

CHAPTER 1

GENERAL PROVISIONS

100. OFFICIAL STATUS

Section 100.01. Title. This codification of the ordinances of the City of Medina may be referred to and cited as: "The Medina City Code."

Section 100.03. References. For the purposes of internal references in this Code and citation by its users, the following terms shall be used:

Chapter	Arabic numerals (e.g. Chapter 1)
Section	Arabic numerals (e.g. Section 100)
Subsection	Arabic numerals for section and subsection separated by a decimal (e.g. Subsection 100.03)
Subdivision	The Subdivision of a Subsection is indicated by adding Subd.

Reference or citations made in a form other than the foregoing shall not defeat the intent of the Council in enacting an ordinance or the intent of a user of the Code in referring to a section of the Code when the intent is otherwise clear. This Code shall be liberally construed to carry out its intended purpose.

Section 100.05. Adoption by Reference. Statutes, administrative rules, regulations of the State of Minnesota, codes and ordinances which are adopted by reference in this Code are adopted pursuant to Section 471.62 of Minnesota Statutes. At least one copy of any item so adopted, but not less than the number of copies required by law, shall be kept in the office of the City Clerk-Treasurer for use by the public.

Section 100.07. Official Statutes. References in this Code to Minnesota Statutes are to Minnesota Statutes of 1982 unless otherwise provided in this Code.

Section 100.09. Relation to State Law. It is the intent of the Medina City Council that the provisions of this Code are the fullest exercise of the regulatory and other powers granted to it by State law. When this Code imposes a more stringent rule or standard of conduct than contained in similar provisions of State law, it is the intent of the Council that the provisions of this Code prevail over such State law, to the extent permitted by law.