

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 510

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to cities and towns; requiring
8 municipalities to test fire hydrants and develop
9 certain plan for such testing; requiring certain
10 agencies to promulgate rules; providing for
11 codification; and providing an effective date.

12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 108.1 of Title 11, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. Every municipal governing body of this state shall, in order
17 to ensure proper functioning, annually test and develop a plan for
18 inspecting, repairing, and maintaining wet barrel fire hydrants and
19 dry barrel fire hydrants located within the applicable municipal
20 boundaries. This plan shall include the following recommendations:

- 21 1. The frequency of individual fire hydrant inspections;
22 2. The manner in which municipalities indicate fire hydrants
23 are temporarily inoperable; and
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1 3. The provisions for the removal of permanently inoperative
2 fire hydrants.

3 B. The Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management or the State
4 Fire Marshal shall promulgate rules which shall include, but not be
5 limited to, provisions for certifying and posting the results of
6 such testing.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2009.

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