

**First Reading: July 1, 2025**  
**Second Reading: July 8, 2025**

ORDINANCE NO. 14248

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE,  
PART II, CHAPTER 21, SECTIONS 21-22 AND 21-31,  
RELATING TO CODE OFFICIAL AND AUTHORITY TO  
ADMINISTER AND ENFORCE CHAPTER.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA,  
TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. That Chattanooga City Code, Part II, Chapter 21, Section 21-22, Definitions, be amended by deleting only Code Official in its entirety and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

**Sec. 21-22. Definitions.**

*Code Official:* The Administrator of the Department of Public Works or Chief Building Official for the City of Chattanooga, who is charged with the administration and enforcement of this chapter, or said employee's duly authorized representative.

SECTION 2. That Chattanooga City Code, Part II, Chapter 21, Section 21-31, Authority to Administer and Enforce Chapter, be amended by deleting same in its entirety and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

**Sec. 21-31. Authority to Administer and Enforce Chapter.**

The authority for the administration and enforcement of this chapter shall rest with the Code Enforcement Office of the Department of Public Works or Chief Building Official ("Public Works Department").

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance shall take effect two  
(2) weeks from and after its passage.

Passed on second and final reading: July 8, 2025

  
CHAIRPERSON

APPROVED: ☒ DISAPPROVED: ☐

  
MAYOR

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