CHAPTER XVI

STREET NUMBERING AND NAMING

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GENERAL PROVISIONS

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16-1-1 Amendment

Chapter 16 of the Town of Hotchkiss Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

16-1-2 <u>Numbers Required</u>

It is the duty of the owner or occupant of every building in the Town to number such building in accordance with the provisions of this section and with the numbers assigned by the Town Clerk . The Town Clerk shall assign to every building its proper number. The numbers shall be furnished by the owner or occupant of the building.

16-1-3 System of Numbering

For the purpose of this ordinance the term street shall include all avenues, ways, lanes, courts, drives, etc. In numbering the buildings upon the streets of Town all even numbers shall be on the North and West side of each street, and all odd numbers shall be on the South and East side of each street or avenue: however. where streets curve or change direction, the street shall be numbered in accordance with the principal direction it lies. addresses shall be assigned from a grid system. The individual grids within the system shall be 457 feet by 457 feet. (This is the distance from the centerline of a street to the centerline of the next street east or west in the early subdivisions within the Town.) Each grid shall contain 100 numbers (e.g. 100 through 200, 1200 through 1300), and where practical, these grids shall be extended or shortened to coincide with the existing town blocks; however, no individual grid shall be altered so as to adversely affect the rest of the grid network.

The point of origin for the grid system shall be the intersection of Bridge Street and First Street. There shall be no address with a number smaller than 100 (i.e. the point of origin shall be the intersection of 100 E/W and 100 N/S). First Street Shall serve as the major North/South axis, therefore separating east and west addresses. Bridge Street shall serve as the major East/West axis, therefore separating North and South addresses.

16-1-3 System of Numbering, cont.

When assigning and individual structure an address, the structure's relative location within the grid shall also determine the address (i.e. if a building on an E/W street is located approximately halfway between the grid lines running N/S it shall be assigned a number in the 40's or 50's (e.g. 351 West Bridge Street, 448 East Hotchkiss Avenue).

16-1-4 Placing Numbers

It shall be the duty of the owner or occupant of any building to place assigned numerals in a conspicuous position at the front of each building.

16-1-5 Naming Streets

The Board shall have the power to name or re-name any of the streets or Public highways of the Town and the Board shall have the power to divide or subdivide any of the streets, public highways or public lands into streets, roadways, gutters, sidewalks, and parks.

No street name shall be duplicated and no street shall be closely named to an existing street (i.e. Jefferson Street, Jefferson Avenue, Jefferson Way).