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functions and activities pertaining to the review of building permits, occupancy permits and licensing of facilities for compliance with fire prevention law. In exercising these functions, the Director shall consult with the Fire Marshal in all matters pertaining to the interpretation or revision of the fire prevention law.

(E) SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT. MANAGEMENT OF THE SOLID WASTE PROGRAM INVOLVING REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL - INCLUDING SANITARY LANDFILL AND INCINERATOR OPERATIONS AND OTHER RELATED FUNCTIONS.

Sec. 3. Sections 73-12, title "Department of Public Works - Functions generally,"; 73-13, title "Same-Direction; appointment of director," and 73-14, title "Same-Divisions," Chapter 73, title "Administration," of the Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended, be and are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. Section 87-22, Chapter 87, title "Garbage and Refuse," subtitle "Refuse Collection District," of the Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended, be and is hereby amended to substitute the words "Director of the Department of Environmental Protection" in place of the words "Director of Public Works" wherever they appear.

Sec. 5. A new Section 2-16F, Chapter 2, title "Administration," subtitle "Department of Fire/Rescue Services," is hereby added to the Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended, to read as follows:

2-16F. DEPARTMENT OF FIRE/RESCUE SERVICES.

THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED A DEPARTMENT OF FIRE/RESCUE SERVICES UNDER THE IMMEDIATE DIRECTION OF A DIRECTOR WHO SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

THE DEPARTMENT SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

(A) FIRE PREVENTION. ALL FUNCTIONS AND ACTIVITIES PERTAINING TO FIRE PREVENTION, INCLUDING THE FUNCTIONS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE FIRE MARSHAL.

(B) COMMUNICATIONS. OPERATION OF FIRE/RESCUE DISPATCH SERVICE.

(C) TRAINING OF FIRE/RESCUE SERVICES.

(D) THE DIRECTOR SHALL SERVE AS EXECUTIVE SECRETARY TO THE FIRE BOARD, PROVIDING COORDINATION WITH AND ASSISTANCE TO THE FIRE BOARD IN THE BOARD'S RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.