ORDINANCE NO. 2017-<u>2</u>

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 687, ARTICLE VIII ENTITLED DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL UTILITIES

WHEREAS, City Council has considered the qualifications necessary for the Director of the Department of Municipal Utilities; and

WHEREAS, the present qualifications for the position of Director as specified in Chapter 687, Section 687 - 71 limits the number of candidates who may otherwise qualify to serve as Director by placing unnecessary and burdensome requirements for individuals to meet so as to qualify for the position of Director; and

WHEREAS, by eliminating or modifying the over burdensome requirements, but maintaining those requirements necessary to meet the needs of the Department, many more qualified, competent persons may be considered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Vineland that Chapter 687, Part 2, Article VIII, Section 687 - 71, shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced as follows:

"Section 687-71 The Director shall have a minimum of a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution, in addition to 5 years supervisory experience in project management for commercial electrical construction projects. In lieu of a bachelor's degree, qualified candidates shall have not less than 10 years managerial experience in the commercial electrical profession which shall include procurement and purchasing, budgeting, and personnel matters."

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that any Ordinance or portions thereof that are inconsistent herewith shall be deleted and void to the extent of such inconsistencies and the terms of this Ordinance shall supersede the same.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon adoption and publication according to Law.

Passed first reading:

Passed final reading:

President of Council

Approved by the Mayor:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk