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ORDINANCE #2019-04

**AMENDING SECTION §120-2 DEFINITIONS - ALARM SYSTEMS OF THE
MUNICIPAL CODE**

The Common Council of the City of Waterloo, Wisconsin does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1: Section §120-2 Definitions - Alarm Systems is hereby amended as follows:

§ 120-2 Definitions.

As used in this article, the following terms shall have the meaning indicated:

ALARM BUSINESS

Any business operated by a person for profit which alters, installs, leases, maintains, monitors, replaces, sells, services or responds to an alarm system or which causes any of these activities to take place.

ALARM RESIDENTIAL

1. A single occupant residence that has an automated alarm system that will activate an alarm company.

2. A multi occupancy residence that is owned by a single person or company for profit.

ALARM SYSTEM

One or more devices installed or placed to signal the presence of a hazard requiring urgent attention to which the Fire Department or Police Department is expected to respond.

ALARM USER

Any person who owns or rents the premises on which an alarm system is maintained within the City or the Waterloo Fire District.

FALSE ALARM

The activation of an alarm system through negligence of the owner or lessee of an alarm system or of his employees or agents, the activation of an alarm system through mechanical failure or malfunction because of improper maintenance by the alarm user, or the activation of an alarm system because of improper installation and/or use of equipment by the alarm business, but does not include alarms caused by tornadoes, earthquakes or other violent conditions or acts of God.

FIRE ALARM

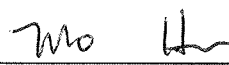
An alarm system signaling the presence of fire or smoke.

SECTION 2: This ordinance shall take effect and be in force after its passage and publication in a manner provided for by law.

Acted on and adopted at a regular meeting of the Common Council on July 11, 2019.

City of Waterloo

Signed: 
Jenifer Quimby, Mayor

Attest: 

Mo Hansen
City Clerk/Treasurer

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