

**CITY OF POMPANO BEACH**  
**Broward County, Florida**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH AMENDING CHAPTER 158, "ARCHITECTURAL APPEARANCE COMMITTEE" OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA, BY AMENDING SECTION 158.04, "POWERS AND DUTIES", PROVIDING FOR REVIEW OF NEW CONSTRUCTION ON PROPERTY ABUTTING A DESIGNATED ARTERIAL OR COLLECTOR ROAD TO BE REVIEWED BY THE ARCHITECTURAL APPEARANCE COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Pompano Beach passed Ordinance No. 98-57 creating an Architectural Appearance Committee and defined its powers of review; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Pompano Beach now desires to extend the review of the committee; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to law, ten (10) days' notice has been given by publication in a paper of general circulation in the City, notifying the public of this proposed ordinance and of a public hearing in the City Commission Chambers of the City of Pompano Beach; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing before the City Commission was held pursuant to the published notice described above, at which hearing the parties in interest and all other citizens so desiring had an opportunity to be and were, in fact, heard; now, therefore,

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA:**

**SECTION 1:** That Section 158.04, "Powers and Duties", of Chapter 158, "Architectural Appearance Committee", of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Pompano Beach is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 158.04 POWERS AND DUTIES.

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B. Plans and Specifications. Except single family dwellings and duplex dwellings as excluded by the City's Zoning Code from development review, every application for a permit to erect a building or structure or to materially alter a front or side elevation of any existing building or structure in the City of Pompano Beach or in some fashion change the exterior appearance of any building or structure shall, unless subject to review by the Director of the Department of Development Services as provided in paragraph "D" of this section, be accompanied by six sets of detailed plans plus color and material samples. If the plans submitted do not furnish sufficient information adequately to show the scope of the planned construction for which a permit has been requested, then there shall be furnished, in addition to the six sets of detailed plans, one set of detailed specifications for such proposed work; both the plans and specifications shall be prepared by a registered architect or registered engineer, qualified under the laws of the State of Florida to prepare such plans and specifications and no permit therefor shall be issued until such plans (and specifications, when required) shall have been previously approved by the Committee as provided herein above. No plans or specifications in violation of this or any other ordinance of the City of Pompano Beach shall be approved. No permit for the construction or addition to any building (excluding single-family and duplex dwellings) shall be issued until and unless the plans therefor have been approved by the Architectural Appearance Committee as being in accordance with the standards as provided for in this section.

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(D) Minor Construction. Minor construction and alternations shall be exempt from review by the Committee. However, the Department of Development Services Director or his designee shall approve, approve with conditions or deny the issuance of a building permit for minor construction and alterations. Minor construction and alterations are as follows:

- (1) Rehabilitation of existing facades.
- (2) New construction on property not abutting a designated arterial or collector road as defined by the Broward County Trafficways Plan that does not exceed 5,000 sq. ft. of floor area.

**SECTION 2:** If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

**SECTION 3:** This Ordinance shall become effective upon passage.

PASSED FIRST READING this 8TH day of MAY, 2001.

PASSED SECOND READING this 22ND day of MAY, 2001.

  
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WILLIAM F. GRIFFIN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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MARY L. CHAMBERS, CITY CLERK

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