

## **PREFACE**

The Olathe Municipal Code, originally published by Book Publishing Company in 1971, has been kept current by regular supplementation by the Office of the City Clerk. Ordinances are compiled, edited and indexed on a monthly basis.

The code is organized by subject matter under an expandable three-factor decimal numbering system which is designed to facilitate supplementation without disturbing the numbering of existing provisions. Each section number designates, in sequence, the numbers of the title, chapter, and section. Thus, Section 10.12.050 is Section .050, located in Chapter 12 of Title 10. In most instances, sections are numbered by tens (.010, .020, .030, etc.), leaving nine vacant positions between original sections to accommodate future provisions. Similarly, chapters and titles are numbered to provide for internal expansion.

In parentheses following each section is a legislative history identifying the specific sources for the provisions of that section.

Footnotes referring to applicable statutory provisions are located throughout the text. A subject-matter index locates specific code provisions by individual section numbers.

The December 2011 revision includes amendments to the Ordinance Disposition Tables, Title 9 to codify Ordinance No. 11-47 and Title 10 to codify Ordinance No. 11-48