

**Town of Caroline Resolution
for
Use of Approved Third Party Electrical Inspectors for Code Enforcement**

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RESOLUTION # 101 of 2019

**THIRD PARTY ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR LIST TO BE MAINTAINED BY CODE
ENFORCEMENT OFFICER**

Motion by: _____

Seconded by: _____

WHEREAS The administration and enforcement of the New York State Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code is the responsibility of local government in New York., and

WHEREAS Most municipal code enforcement agencies rely on third-party inspection agencies to determine code compliance regarding electrical installations, and

WHEREAS the use of third-party electrical inspectors assists in the efficient and cost-effective administration of the New York State Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code, and

WHEREAS Town of Caroline Code Enforcement Officer is responsible for code compliance and enforcement, and

WHEREAS the Town of Caroline Code Enforcement Officer is qualified to determine the appropriate qualifications and competency of such third party inspectors, therefore be it,

RESOLVED that it is hereby the Policy of the Town of Caroline that the Code Enforcement Officer shall maintain a list of approved third-party electrical inspectors, and

RESOLVED that the Code Enforcement Officer shall require all approved third-party electrical inspectors to provide evidence of General Liability Insurance naming the Town of Caroline as a Certificate Holder, and

RESOLVED that the Code Enforcement Officer shall require a demonstration of qualifications and continuing education based on generally accepted standards, and

RESOLVED that the Code Enforcement Officer may remove any third party inspector who does not maintain adequate insurance, qualifications, is unresponsive to requests related to Code Enforcement and/or otherwise provides good cause for the Code Enforcement Officer, in their sole discretion to remove the inspector from the list of approved inspectors.

ADOPTED: VOTE – AYES: _____ **NAYS:** _____