

**DATE:** December 3, 2019

**TO:** Mayor and City Council

**FROM:** City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** Adoption of Ordinance Establishing a Fire Prevention Code for the City Of

Hayward; Adopting the California Fire Code, 2019 Edition, Prescribing Regulations Governing Conditions Hazardous to Life And Property From Fire or Explosion; Providing for the Issuance of Permits and Collection of Fees; Providing for Penalties for Violation, and Repealing Ordinance No. 16-23, As Amended, and All Other Ordinances and Parts of Ordinances in Conflict

Therewith

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Council adopts the Ordinance introduced on November 19, 2019.

#### **SUMMARY**

This item entails adoption of the California Fire Code with some modifications and amendment of Chapter 3, Article 14 of the Hayward Municipal Code related to the Fire Prevention Code.

# **BACKGROUND**

The Ordinance was introduced by Council Member Mendall at the November 19, 2019, special meeting of the City Council with the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: Zermeño, Márquez, Mendall, Lamnin, Wahab, Salinas

**MAYOR Halliday** 

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAIN: None

The adoption of the Ordinance included additional language, shown in red text, to two sections as follows.

- Section 1. Effective January 1, 2020, Ordinance No. 16-23 and all amendment thereto, is hereby repealed and in substitution thereof a new fire code for the City of Hayward is hereby enacted as Chapter 3, Article 14 – Fire Prevention Code of the City of Hayward to read as follows:
- CHAPTER 49 WILDLAND-URBAN INTERFACE FIRE AREA SECTION 4901 GENERAL

## STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

This agenda item is a routine operational item and does not relate to one of the Council's Strategic Initiatives.

## FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

## PUBLIC CONTACT

The summary of the Ordinance was published in the Hayward Daily Review on Friday, November 29, 2019. Adoption at this time is therefore appropriate.

#### **NEXT STEPS**

The Hayward Municipal Code and other related documents will be updated accordingly.

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