

Significant Local Amendments to the 2012 International Fire Code

Overall The purpose for this report is to familiarize the city council with the significant local changes related to the adoption of the 2012 International Fire Code. The changes selected were identified for their special significance or change in application.

- 102.7.3** Adopting specific NFPA standards in order to allow the most current accepted industry practices and emerging technologies.
- 113.3** Revised section to reflect it is a misdemeanor citation for working without a permit.
- 401.9.1** Provided a definition as to what constitutes a nuisance alarm and provide language to enforce.
- 511** New chapter to standardize all fire protection related signage and to bring all signage requirements into one chapter.
- 903.7** Provided language to indicate the minimum size of the fire protection equipment and riser rooms and provide for means to approve alternate sizes.
- 912.2.1** Clarified that the Fire Department Connection (FDC) shall face a fire lane to reflect fireground operations.
- 912.2.3** Revised distance that the FDC shall be located from the nearest fire hydrant to 50 ft. from 100 ft. to reflect fireground operations.