

City Council – Action Request Form

Date: August 14, 2023

To: Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and Members of the City Council

From: Aaron King, Assistant City Manager
Chris Murphy, Director of Planning and Development Services

Council Action Requested:
Request for a Public Hearing on an Ordinance Amending the *Unified Development Ordinances* (UDO) to add Graphics illustrating Various Ordinance Provisions (UDO-CC24)

Strategic Focus Area: Livable Neighborhoods
Strategic Objective: N/A
Strategic Plan Action Item: N/A
Key Work Item: Yes, FY 2022-2023 - Phase II UDO ClearCode Graphic Enhancements



Summary of Information:

Planning and Development Services staff proposes the addition of illustrative graphics throughout the *Unified Development Ordinances* (UDO) to provide clarity in describing ordinance regulations to users. Adding graphics to the UDO was one of the main recommendations of the 2018 UDO Code Assessment project and listed in the Planning Board’s subsequent work programs. An initial set of 24 graphics was added to the UDO in fall 2020 (UDO-CC3). The proposed amendment includes 93 graphics illustrating various UDO provisions which staff believes would greatly benefit from visual explanation. The graphics are intended to illustrate the existing UDO provisions and will not alter the intent or meaning of the provisions. Staff believes that the graphics included in this amendment substantially complete the process of illustrating the UDO.

The City-County Planning Board held a public hearing on the proposed amendment at its June 8, 2023 meeting. The Board recommended approval of the amendment by a unanimous 9-0 vote. Staff will be available to present UDO-CC24 at the August 2023 Community Development/Housing/General Government Committee meeting.

Committee Action:

Committee	CD/H/GG 8/14/2023	Action	Approval
For	Unanimous	Against	
Remarks:			