

Information Item

Date: June 11, 2024

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

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Subject: Consideration of a Technical Corrections Ordinance Amending Chapter 75 of the Code of the City of Winston-Salem Entitled “Stormwater Management”

Strategic Focus Area: Livable Neighborhoods

Strategic Objective: NA

Strategic Plan Action Item: NA

Key Work Item: NA



The attached Chapter 75 Technical Corrections Ordinance Amendment makes a number of changes to the Winston-Salem City Code. The Amendment, if adopted, will:

1. Incorporate the requirements of the city’s NPDES Stormwater permit by allowing access to inspect facilities within the municipal limits of the city to determine compliance with Chapter 75 of the City Code and the city’s NPDES permit.
2. Achieve compliance with requirements of HB 488 by removing the lien provisions, the stormwater control measure replacement fund and escrow account creation requirements of the Post Construction section and replacing them with the revised escrow provisions as outlined in HB488.

The aforementioned changes are necessary for the reasons indicated above.

