

Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council Item ID 31981 Agenda Number 45.

Meeting Date: 5/1/2014 Department: Code Compliance

Subject

Set a public hearing to consider an ordinance repealing and replacing City Code Section 25-1-462 (Criminal Enforcement) to allow for enhanced criminal penalties for violations of the International Property Maintenance Code and similar codes. (Suggested date and time: May 15, 2014, 4:00 p.m.)

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	June 6, 2013, Council initiated the code amendment.
For More Information:	
Boards and Commission Action:	Planning Commission approved 7-0, Commissioner Chimenti was absent, Commissioner Hernandez was off the dais.
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

Council Resolution No. 20130606-049 initiated a code amendment that would allow prior convictions to be considered when assessing fines in Municipal Court cases. The proposed code amendment will increase the minimum fine when an offender is convicted of violating Chapter 25-12 (*Tedmial Codes*).