

AGENDA



Thursday, April 22, 2010

Item(s) to Set Public Hearing(s)
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION**Item No. 44**

Subject: Set a public hearing to consider second/third readings of an ordinance amending City Code Sections 25-12-111 and 25-12-113 relating to permitting requirements of the 2008 National Electrical Code. (Suggested date and time: May 27, 2010, 4:00 p.m., at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX).

For More Information: Dan McNabb, 974-2752; Leon Barba 974-7254; Sylvia Arzola, 974-6448.

Prior Council Action: City Council adopted the 2008 National Electric Code with local amendments.
March 11, 2010 - City Council set the public hearing for April 8, 2010.
April 8, 2010 - Council approved ordinance on first reading.

On April 8, 2010, the City Council approved first reading of an ordinance relating to permitting requirements of the 2008 National Electrical Code. Council continued the public hearing to allow for additional consideration of proposed revisions related to reactivation of expired building permits.

The Electrical Code establishes minimum requirements to provide safe electrical construction and operation within both residential and commercial structures for the protection of public health and welfare.

The proposed ordinance adopts amendments establishing minimum requirements for application and permit expiration times.