

Agenda Item

City Council

Item #: 9.1. 2/11/2025 **File #:** 24-0445

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

THRU: Tom Kisela, City Manager

FROM: Pamela Coleman, City Clerk

Mike Vigliotta, City Attorney

1. SUBJECT

Introduction and First Reading of Ordinance No. 03-25 containing administrative updates to various sections of Titles 9, 10, 12, and 13 of the Orange Municipal Code.

2. SUMMARY

In January 2022, the City Clerk's Office initiated a recodification and comprehensive review of the Orange Municipal Code utilizing an agreement with Quality Code Publishing. The review is complete and staff evaluated and implemented recommended updates to the Code. This proposed Ordinance contains administrative updates to various sections of Titles 9, 10, 12, and 13 to delete outdated language, update references to conform with current law and code provisions, and achieve internal consistency.

3. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Introduce and conduct First Reading of Ordinance No. 03-25. An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Orange amending various sections in Titles 9, 10, 12, and 13 of the Orange Municipal Code to delete outdated language, update references to conform with current law and code provisions, and achieve internal consistency.

4. FISCAL IMPACT

None.

5. STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS

Not applicable.

6. DISCUSSION AND BACKGROUND

Over the past several years, there have been a number of changes in State law impacting existing Orange Municipal Code (OMC) provisions. There have also been a number of new State laws requiring the addition of new OMC provisions. At the same time, a number of OMC provisions have been added and revised to reflect changed City policies. Not all of the changes in the OMC have been captured throughout the remaining OMC provisions, resulting in several code sections that still contain outdated, superseded, or changed references. In addition, there are several OMC provisions needing clerical revisions.

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The proposed Ordinance makes administrative adjustments and corrects, revises and/or deletes the inaccuracies found in Titles 9, 10, 12 and 13 of the OMC.

7. ATTACHMENTS

- Ordinance No. 03-25
- Ordinance No. 03-25 (redlined)