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**BACKGROUND:** The proposed amendments clarify, simplify, consolidate, and update the City's fire hydrant requirements. A summary of the proposed changes are as follows:

- Adds term definitions
- Consolidates and simplifies the hydrant spacing requirements
- Reduces minimum water main sizes to come in line with common municipal standards (fire flow rates remain the same)
- Removes obsolete zoning designations, terms, and product numbers
- Deletes metric units
- Moves enforcement language from Chapter 39 to Chapter 14 for consolidation purposes