



CITY OF HARRISONBURG CITY MANAGER

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TO: Eric Campbell, City Manager
FROM: Wesley Russ, Assistant City Attorney
DATE: August 2, 2021
RE: Proposed Amendments to Title 7, Chapter 3 of the City Code

Summary: Proposed Amendments to Title 7, Chapter 3 of the City Code, "Sewer System," at the request of the Harrisonburg-Rockingham Regional Sewer Authority.

Background:

At its June 7, 2021 meeting, the Harrisonburg-Rockingham Regional Sewer Authority approved revisions to the HRRSA's Operating Rules and Regulations. These revisions were mandated by Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) based on the United States EPA's Streamlining Regulations.

DEQ has reviewed and accepted the amendments to HRRSA's Operating Rules and Regulations.

Key Issues:

Pursuant to the City's Interjurisdictional Pretreatment Agreement, HRRSA from time-to-time requests each participating jurisdiction amend its local ordinances to ensure consistency between HRRSA's Operating Rules and Regulations and the participating jurisdictions.

HRRSA has requested these amendments be adopted no later than September 1, 2021.

Environmental Impact: N/A

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Prior Actions:

City Council last amended Title 7, Chapter 3 of the City Code at HRRSA's request in 2018.

Alternatives:

- (a) Adopt the amendments to Title 7, Chapter 3 as presented
- (b) Decline to take any action

Community Engagement: N/A



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Recommendation: Staff recommends alternative (a)

Attachments:

1. Redlined copy of Title 7, Chapter 3

Review:

The initiating Department Director will place in Legistar, in sequence of transmittal, the names of each department that must initial their review in order for this item to be placed on the City Council agenda. The completion of review only addresses the readiness of the issue for Council consideration. This does not address the recommendation for approval or denial of the issue.

