



County of Los Alamos

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Council Meeting Staff Report

August 31, 2021

Agenda No.:	A.
Indexes (Council Goals):	* 2021 Council Goal - N/A
Presenters:	Troy Hughes
Legislative File:	CO0614-21

Title

Incorporated County of Los Alamos Ordinance No. 02-313_IFC_Amended, An Ordinance of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos, New Mexico, Adding, Amending, and Deleting Certain Sections of Chapter 22, Articles II, III, and IV.

Recommended Action

I introduce, without prejudice, Incorporated County of Los Alamos Ordinance No. 02-313_IFC_Amended, adding, amending, and deleting certain sections of Chapter 22, Articles II, III and IV; and ask staff to assure that it is published as provided in the County Charter.

County Manager's Recommendation

The County Manager recommends that Council introduce this Ordinance.

Body

On May 25, 2021 Los Alamos County Council approved Code Ordinance No. 02-313, an ordinance of the Incorporated County of Los Alamos, New Mexico, adding, amending, and deleting certain sections of Chapter 22, Articles II, III, and IV. The adoption of this code assists the Fire Marshal's office in evaluating for the minimum requirements of fire and life safety considering today's demands and allows for congruent messaging to our customers between the building and fire codes. This adoption also broadcasts that Los Alamos County leads the way in the State, as far as fire safety, by adopting the latest edition of the code to address today's world.

Amendments to sections of the previously adopted code are introduced in this amended Code Ordinance No. 02-313 as follows:

Section 2. Sec. 22-31 - Adoption of fire codes.

Section 8. Sec 22-71 - Permit Fees

Section 9. Sec. 22-72 - Inspection Fees

Section 10. Sec. 22-72 - Refunds

Section 12. Sec. 22-131 - Wildland Urban Interface and Fuels Management

Section 13. Sec. 22-132 - Application of requirements

Alternatives

To utilize the Ordinance as accepted on May 25, 2021, without the amended content.

Attachments

A - Incorporated County of Los Alamos Code Ordinance 02-313_IFC_Amended