City of Pensacola



Memorandum

File #: 07-21 City Council 2/25/2021

ADD-ON LEGISLATIVE ACTION ITEM

SPONSOR: City Council President Jared Moore

SUBJECT:

PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 07-21 CREATING SECTION 14-2-140 OF THE CITY CODE PROVIDING FOR UNSAFE STRUCTURE AND BUILDING ABATEMENT

RECOMMENDATION:

That City Council adopt Proposed Ordinance No. 07-21 on second reading.

AN ORDINANCE CREATING SECTION 14-2-140 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR UNSAFE STRUCTURE AND BUILDING ABATEMENT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; REPEALING CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

HEARING REQUIRED: No Hearing Required

SUMMARY:

In September 2020, the City Council approved the recodification of the City Code, accomplishing a large number of updates and revisions to the 1986 Code to bring it current with the City Charter, Florida statutes and current practices. In this process, the previous code provision pertaining to the declaration and enforcement of unsafe structures was inadvertently omitted and the purpose of creating Section 14-2-140 is to reinstate the provision in the City Code.

PRIOR ACTION:

Ordinance No. 33-20 adopting and enacting a new code for the City of Pensacola was adopted by City Council on September 24, 2020.

February 11, 2021 - City Council voted to approve Proposed Ordinance No. 07-21 on first reading.

FUNDING:

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

None

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CITY ATTORNEY REVIEW: Yes

2/10/2021

STAFF CONTACT:

Keith Wilkins, City Administrator Susan Woolf, City Attorney Jonathan Bilby, Director of Inspections Services

ATTACHMENTS:

1) Proposed Ordinance No. 07-21

PRESENTATION: No