



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEMS

To: Mayor Graham and City Council
From: Dennis Sullivan, Director of Engineering & Public Works
Pam Funk, Assistant City Administrator
Date: August 1, 2005
Subject: ORDINANCE – Authority of City Ordinance Change

List of committees that have reviewed: Public Works Committee

Background: The City Attorney and Engineering & Public Works staff revised the ordinance to add language to address possible shortcomings in the current ordinance. Briefly, members of the Public Works force need to access private property in the completion of their duties. In particular, members of the Water and Sewer Divisions routinely in their activities need to inspect and correct deficiencies or problems in the water and sewer systems on private property.

Legal Considerations, if any: Access to private property to inspect and maintain public utilities.

Budget Impact: None.

Staff recommendation: Staff recommends amendment of the ordinance.