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TO: City Council

FROM: Alex Khojikian, City Manager

PREPARED BY: City Clerk's Office

MEETING DATE: December 09, 2024

SUBJECT:

Wireless Communication Facilities in the Public Right of Way Update — Ordinance Adoption

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt an Ordinance to amend San Mateo Municipal Code (SMMC) Chapter 17.10 "Wireless Communications Facilities in the Public Right-Of-Way;"

BACKGROUND:

On November 18, 2024, the City Council introduced an Ordinance to amend San Mateo Municipal Code (SMMC) Chapter 17.10 "Wireless Communications Facilities in the Public Right-Of-Way;". The proposed Ordinance is attached. If adopted, the Ordinance will become effective 30 days after its adoption.

BUDGET IMPACT:

There is no budget impact associated with review of the proposed Ordinance and Policy update.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:

This Ordinance adoption is not a project subject to CEQA, because it is an organizational or administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment. (CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5).) In addition, small cell facilities are categorically exempt from CEQA as they either are (1) minor alterations of existing facilities, (2) replacements of existing structures where the new structure will be located in the same site and have substantially the same purpose, or (3) construction and location of new small facilities or structures. (CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, 15302, 15303).

NOTICE PROVIDED

All meeting noticing requirements were met.

ATTACHMENTS

Att 1— Proposed Ordinance

Att 2— Public Comments

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