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TO:

Utilities Committee

FROM:

Paula Vandehey, Director of Public Works PW

DATE:

May 27, 2021

SUBJECT:

Approve update to Municipal Code Chapter 20, Article II Water Utility,

creating new Section 20-42 Valving.

The Department of Public Works requests approval to create a new Section 20-42 Valving to Municipal Code Chapter 20. The existing Section 20-42 Private Water Wells will become a new Section 20-43. This request is to clarify under what circumstances triple valving will be required for new and redeveloped commercial properties.

Sec. 20-42 Valving

All new and redeveloped commercial properties planning to install a fire service line or combination fire/domestic service line shall be triple valved to provide continuous water supply during a watermain break or other discontinuance of service, unless this requirement is specifically waived in writing by the Director of Public Works.