

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION REQUEST

Please email requests to the Mayor's Legislative Team
at MileHighOrdinance@DenverGov.org by **3:00pm on Monday**. For any questions please contact Skye Stuart.

****All fields must be completed.****
Incomplete request forms will be returned to sender which may cause a delay in processing.

Date of Request: 11/16/16

Please mark one: Bill Request or Resolution Request

1. Has your agency submitted this request in the last 12 months?

Yes No

If yes, please explain: This is a second package of amendments to the 2016 Denver Building and Fire Code which were previously approved by City Council on 3/7/16 and a first set of amendments approved on 4/25/16.

2. **Title:** (Include a concise, one sentence description – please include name of company or contractor and contract control number - that clearly indicates the type of request: **grant acceptance, contract execution, contract amendment, municipal code change, supplemental request, etc.**)

2016 Denver Building and Fire Code, Amendment Package 2

This request is for a municipal code change to Article II of Chapter 10 to approve a second set of amendments to the approved 2016 Denver Building and Fire Code that consists of the 2016 Denver amendments and the 2015 series of the International Codes

3. **Requesting Agency:** Community Planning and Development

4. **Contact Person:** (With actual knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution.)

- **Name:** Jill Jennings Golich
- **Phone:** 720-865-2909
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5. **Contact Person:** (With actual knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution who will present the item at Mayor-Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary.)

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6. **General description/background of proposed ordinance including contract scope of work if applicable:**

This ordinance contains a set of primarily clarifying and grammatical changes to the 2016 Denver Building and Fire Code which was adopted by City Council on 3/7/16, with the addition of a requirement for single-occupant toilet facilities to be designated gender-neutral – both new and existing. Existing facilities will have until April 30, 2018 to comply with this signage requirement.

****Please complete the following fields:** (Incomplete fields may result in a delay in processing. If a field is not applicable, please enter N/A for that field – please do not leave blank.)

- a. **Contract Control Number:** n/a
- b. **Contract Term:** n/a
- c. **Location:** n/a
- d. **Affected Council District:** all
- e. **Benefits:** Update Denver to the latest building and fire codes used across the country
- f. **Contract Amount (indicate amended amount and new contract total):** n/a

7. **Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance?** (Groups or individuals who may have concerns about it?) **Please explain.** Proposed changes were posted and provided to the Building Code Committee that reviewed the amendment package for

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the initial set of amendments. Staff held an open house on 11/1/16 to allow the public to ask questions and provide feedback on the changes. Additionally, separate meetings were held with the Mayor's LGBTQ Commission, representatives of the Colorado Restaurant Association, Downtown Denver Partnership Retail Council, and representatives of the Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA) to discuss the proposed revisions. Generally, there was support for the changes.

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