



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** A bill for an ordinance reorganizing and amending Chapter 20, Article XI of the Denver Revised Municipal Code regarding Auditor subpoena power in connection with performance of internal audits and investigations and enforcement of prevailing and minimum wage.  
Amends Article XI, Chapter 20 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code regarding Auditor subpoena power in connection with performance of internal audits, and subpoena power related to investigations and enforcement of prevailing and minimum wage. The Committee approved filing this item at its meeting on 4-20-21.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:** Zach Rothmier

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. BR21 0078 AO Auditor Subpoena Power, 2. BR21 0078 AO Auditor Subpoena Power Draft Bill, 3. AO\_Feb02\_OrdinanceRequest, 4. AO\_Ordinance Request PPT\_March2021 UPDATED, 5. AO\_Ordinance Request Memo\_March2021, 6. OrdinanceRequest-OutreachMemo-Apr20, 7. CB21-0078 Filed Bill\_Subpoena Ordinance, 8. 21-0078 Filed Bill\_Subpoena Ordinance, 9. Amendment to 21-0078 - CM Flynn - Final, 10. 21-0078 - signed, 11. 21-0078 Mayor's Signature

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
5/11/2021	1	Mayor	signed	
5/11/2021	1	Council President	signed	
5/10/2021	1	City Council	amended	Pass
5/10/2021	1	City Council	placed upon final consideration and do pass as amended	Pass
5/3/2021	1	City Council	ordered published	
4/20/2021	1	Finance & Governance Committee	approved for filing	
3/23/2021	1	Finance & Governance Committee	postponed to a date certain	
2/2/2021	1	Finance & Governance Committee	postponed to a date certain	

## Other/Miscellaneous Request Template (Appointments; ROW; Code Changes; Zoning Action, etc.)

**Date Submitted:** 1-22-21

**Requesting Agency:** Auditor  
**Division:**

**Subject Matter Expert Name:**

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**Item Title & Description:**

*(Do not delete the following instructions)*

*These appear on the Council meeting agenda. Initially, the requesting agency will enter a 2-3 sentence description. Upon bill filling, the City Attorney's Office should enter the title above the description (the title should be in **bold** font).*

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**Affected Council District(s) or citywide?** Citywide

**Executive Summary with Rationale and Impact:**

*Detailed description of the item and why we are doing it. This can be a separate attachment.*

In recent years certain individuals third party entities whom contract with the City have refused to promptly provide documents and information necessary for the Auditor to perform internal audits as required by City Charter and Code. In addition, passage of Denver's minimum wage law in late 2019 has increased the type and amount of information necessary for the Auditor to collect to perform his duties. As a result, the Auditor seeks to establish subpoena power in City Code in connection with performance of internal audits as provided in D.R.M.C. section 20-275, and investigations and enforcement of prevailing wage (D.R.M.C. 20-76) and minimum wage (D.R.M.C. 58-16, 58-17 and 58-18).

**Address/Location (if applicable):**

**Legal Description (if applicable):**

**Denver Revised Municipal Code (D.R.M.C.) Citation (if applicable):**

**Draft Bill Attached?**