

**IMPACT STATEMENT**

**Title:**

Amend Seismic Related Definitions for Existing Buildings Code to update references from the old American Society of Civil Engineers standards to the current version of the standards (Ordinance; amend Code Section 24.85.020)

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**Purpose of proposed ordinance and background information:**

This ordinance updates the references in the definitions section of Chapter 24.85, governing seismic design requirements existing buildings, to the most current version of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) Standards.

**Financial and budgetary impacts:**

There are no financial or budgetary impacts associated with this ordinance.

**Community impacts and community involvement:**

BDS staff worked with the Seismic and Vintage Building Subcommittee of the Structural Engineers Association and the City’s Structural Advisory Committee to vet the changes and obtained their approval. In addition, included information regarding the amendment on the Development Review Advisory Committee (DRAC) monthly Code Change Project List.

**Budgetary Impact Worksheet**

**Does this action change appropriations?**

- YES: Please complete the information below.
- NO: Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount