

## AGENDA SUMMARY/ REPORT

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**MEETING DATE:** January 13, 2025

**PREPARED BY:** Otis T. Spriggs, AICP, Director of Development Services

**AGENDA CONTENT:** Conduct a public hearing, discussion and receive public comments on a Zoning Text Amendment Ordinance No. 20260113-007 amending the Code of Ordinances, Section 28-81(b)- Use Regulations (Charts), adding “Studio Tattoo or Body Piercing” as a S.U.P., Specific Use Permit allowance within the Central Business District (CBD), Light Industrial (LI), C-MU, Commercial- Mixed Use(C-MU), and Commercial-Office/Retail (C-OR) Zoning Districts.

**AGENDA ITEM SECTION:** Public Hearing Item

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**BUDGETED AMOUNT:** N/A

**FUNDS REQUESTED:** N/A

**FUND:** N/A

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:** This is a request to discuss and take possible action on a Text Amendment request by the City Manager to amend Section 28-81(b), Use Charts, adding “Studio Tattoo or Body Piercing” as a S.U.P., Specific Use Permit allowance within the Central Business District (CBD), Light Industrial (LI), C-MU, Commercial- Mixed Use(C-MU), and Commercial-Office/Retail (C-OR) Zoning Districts.

This will allow for S.U.P., Specific Use Permit for a tattoo studio to be considered within the CBD, Central Business District, Agricultural (AG), Commercial-General (CG), Commercial- Office/Retail (C-OR), and Light Industrial (LI) Districts.

Section 28-81 Use Regulation (Charts); (a) (4) Classification of new/unlisted uses sets forth the requirements for the classification of an unlisted use. The Code requires that when new types of land arise, a determination regarding a change or addition to the use chart may be made by the city manager and the city manager shall refer the question concerning any new or unlisted use to the planning and zoning commission requesting a recommendation as to the zoning classification of any new or unlisted form of land use and into which such use should be placed. The referral of the “use” determination question shall be accompanied by the following statement of facts:

- I. The nature of the use and whether the use involves dwelling activity, sales, services, or processing; (*N/A, Proposed use has occurred in the Downtown and vicinity within the C-G, Commercial General District*)
- II. The type of product sold or produced under the use; (*Tattoo Studio Service*)

- III. Whether the use has enclosed or open storage and the amount and nature of the storage; **(N/A)**.
- IV. Anticipated employment typically anticipated with the use; **(N/A)**
- V. Transportation requirements; **(N/A)**
- VI. The nature and time of occupancy and operation of the premises; **(Normal Business Hours)**
- VII. The off-street parking and loading requirements; **(N/A)**
- VIII. The amount of noise, odor, fumes, dust, toxic materials and vibration likely to be generated; **(None)**.
- IX. The requirements for public utilities such as sanitary sewer and water and any special public services that may be required; **(N/A)**, and
- X. Impervious surface coverage. **(N/A)**.

Exhibit A (attached) contains the mark-up copy of Section 28-81 (b) Use Charts depicting the text amendment requiring the SUP Permit process for Tattoo Studios within all commercial districts.

### **Recommendation**

The City Council should accept the Final Report (3-0 *Vote of Approval*) of the Planning and Zoning Commission and approve the ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances, Use Charts, Section 28-81(b), adding a Tattoo Studio use in the designated Commercial Zoning Districts as an SUP Permit.