



Sept 18, 2026

Election Code Committee Meeting

Delynn Coldiron, City Clerk
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Proposed Code Changes

2026/2027 Work Plan



Proposed Code Changes

Does the Committee have feedback related to the proposed Code changes?

Does the Committee have any concerns about bringing forward the proposed changes for consideration by the entire Council?

- 1. Style Modernization**
- 2. Cross-References**
- 3. Non-Applicable Section Removal – Sections 7-136(c)(1)(a) and (m) and Section 7-191(b)**
- 4. Precinct Map – Section 7-71**
- 5. Redistricting – Section 7-87**
- 6. Campaign Definitions – Section 7-132**
- 7. Campaign Contributions/Expenditures – Section 7-135**
- 8. Independent Expenditures– Section 7-139**

Goal is to have changes implemented by Q1 2027;
first and second readings are planned to occur in
December 2026/January 2027 timeline

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2026/2027 Work Plan and Long-Term Projects

Does the Committee have feedback related to the 2026/2027 Work Plan items?

Does the Committee have feedback on the Long-Term Projects or have other items it wants staff to focus on?

ECC 2026/2027 Work Plan Items

Code Changes - Underway

Charter Changes

Candidate Guidelines/Education

Voter Information Guide

Long-Term Projects

Other?

2026/2027 Work Plan:

- Code Changes (Underway) – Changes related to Campaign Complaints/Enforcement will be reviewed in October
- Charter Changes
 - ✓ Signatures on Nomination Petitions
 - ✓ Term for Mayor
 - ✓ Timing of Regular Elections
- Candidate Guidelines and Education
 - ✓ Setting up a Committee and related information (bank account, EIN #, etc.)
 - ✓ Determining who should be the registered agent and who can sign things
 - ✓ Instructions related to electronic donations and ensuring maximum contribution to candidates

2026/2027 Work Plan:

- Voter Information Guide
 - ✓ Ensuring this is accessible to all voters
 - ✓ Explore providing QR code with ballot information; if not allowed then postcard mailing?

Long-Term Projects:

- Public funding for campaigns
- Other?

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