



**FRUITA**  
COLORADO

## AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

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**TO:** FRUITA CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR

**FROM:** CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

**DATE:** MAY 6, 2025

**AGENDA TEXT:** Ordinance 2025-10 – First Reading – An Introduction of an Ordinance Amending the Adopted 2024 Model Traffic Code to Reflect State Requested Language for Publication of Public Hearing on May 20, 2025.

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### BACKGROUND

The City Council previously adopted the Model Traffic Code by reference, with certain amendments, to address local traffic needs. However, following a request from the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT), there needs to be a sentence added that states: Any additions or modifications included in this code, however, do not apply to state, U.S., or interstate highways.

This change brings the updated code into compliance with CDOT.

### FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact to approving this Municipal Code Amendment.

### APPLICABILITY TO CITY GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

This amendment will update the Municipal Code to reflect the current traffic rules and regulations throughout Colorado so that Fruita is in concurrence with other municipalities.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO COUNCIL

- Publish a Synopsis of Ordinance 2025-10: A Request to Approve an Ordinance Amending the Adopted 2024 Model Traffic Code to Reflect State Requested Changes for publication of public hearing on May 20, 2025.
- Deny the Ordinance and bring back at a future date.

### RECOMMENDATION

It is the recommendation of staff that the City Council by motion:

**MOVE TO PUBLISH A SYNOPSIS OF ORDINANCE 2025-10: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRUITA, COLORADO AMENDING THE**

**ADOPTED 2024 MODEL TRAFFIC CODE TO REFLECT STATE REQUESTED  
LANGUAGE FOR PUBLICATION OF PUBLIC HEARING ON MAY 20, 2025.**