

Special District Concealed Carry Metropolitan District Model Service Plan and BID Operating Plan Updates

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- Response to Senate Bill 21-256
 - Authorizes special districts to further limit concealed carry permitting
- Language added to model metropolitan district service plans and BID operating plan and budget preclude this option
- Both amendments accomplished by resolution

Metro District Model Service Plans



- Single and multi-district models
 - No difference other than the multi-district plan allows for more than one related district
- First adopted in 2006
- Minor “end user fee” amendment in 2012
- Council action only at time of initial district approval or major amendment

Metro District Model Service Plans- Continued



- MSPs function as standard form documents with standard content and required limiting language (e.g. mill levy caps or prohibition of use of eminent domain w/o City approval)

Added service plan language:



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- *“Concealed Carry Prohibition. The District shall not adopt or enact an ordinance, resolution, rule or other regulation that prohibits or restricts an authorized permittee from carrying a concealed handgun in a building or specific area under the direct control or management of the District as provided in C.R.S. § 18-12-214.”*

BID Operating Plans and Budgets



- Required at time of City Council creation and must be annually approved there after
- Therefore, if approved, this change would apply to all BIDs beginning with their 2022 Operating Plans and Budgets

Added BID plan language:



7 (f)

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Same as for metro districts

Next Steps:



- Council hearing on August 24, 2021
 - Consent?
- Very recent proposed metropolitan districts and BIDs already incorporate this change
- Language would apply to all BIDs going forward, but only new metropolitan districts or those with amended service plans
- Future Working Group Process