



December 14, 2022

To: Colorado Springs City Council

Dear Members of Colorado Springs City Council,

As Chair and on behalf of the Colorado Springs Fire Board of Appeals, I am writing you to deliver to you the entire Board's unanimous agreement with the recommended adoption of the updated 2022 Fire Prevention Code, as locally amended. As a committee and individual members, we had several opportunities to review the code and suggested changes.

We were each given a copy of the code and asked to review and comment. Deputy Fire Marshal Cooper has made a presentation to the board reviewing critical changes and allowing for questions and detailed discussions from board members. At our last meeting, a final review and question and answer session gave focus to the document. We are pleased to recommend acceptance of this to the City of Colorado Springs Code.

This board highly respects and appreciates the efforts by all members of the Fire Department and other city offices (officials) in the review of this document. The safety and well-being of the citizens of Colorado Springs are our top priority and it is great to see this team work hard for the citizens of Colorado Springs.

We appreciate the effort made by everyone to make Colorado Springs one of the safest cities in the country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David W. Hewett", with a large, stylized "S" or "H" flourish at the end.

David W. Hewett  
Chair  
Fire Board of Appeals