

7.10: Consider Introduction of Ordinance #17-04 Amending Irrigation Requirements (Project #17-104)

Community Development Director Gladhill reviewed the staff report and recommendation of the Environmental Policy Board (EPB) and Planning Commission to eliminate the requirement for in-ground irrigation systems in any zoning district and require newly installed irrigation systems to include rain sensors and water efficient technology systems. He stated the ordinance is eligible for adoption in May and that more detail will be provided then, adding this is a goal that would allow more flexibility in new development areas.

Motion by Councilmember Williams, seconded by Councilmember Kuzma, to Introduce Ordinance #17-04 An Ordinance Amending Multiple Sections of the Ramsey City Code Relating to Irrigation Requirements.

Motion carried. Voting Yes: Acting Mayor LeTourneau, Councilmembers Williams, Kuzma, Johns, Riley, and Shryock. Voting No: None. Absent: Mayor Strommen.