

City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 25-0157, Agenda Item #: 35.

2/13/2025

Posting Language

Approve an ordinance amending City Code Section 2-1-168 (Resource Management Commission) to add "recommendations for the natural gas utility ratemaking, franchise agreement priorities, and operational policies for which the City has regulatory authority" as an item the Commission shall review and analyze and as a subject on which the Commission shall advise council. Funding: This item has no fiscal impact.

Lead Department

Audit and Finance Committee.

Fiscal Note

This item has no fiscal impact.

For More Information:

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Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:

December 11, 2024- Audit and Finance Committee- On a 4-0 vote, the Committee recommended to send a bylaws amendment item to full Council for approval, Council Member Ryan Alter's motion, Council Member Mackenzie Kelly's second. Mayor Pro Tem Leslie Pool (co-chair), off the dais.

Additional Backup Information:

City Code Section 2-1-168 (*Resource Management Commission*) must be amended to effectuate bylaws amendments that were recommended for approval. The Audit and Finance Committee recommended bylaws changes for the Resource Management Commission for approval to Council. The proposed bylaws changes add "recommendations for the natural gas utility ratemaking, franchise agreement priorities, and operational policies for which the City has regulatory authority" as an item the Commission shall review and analyze and as a subject on which the Commission shall advise Council, and this ordinance puts those items into City Code.