

Code Change Fact Sheet

This fact sheet must be attached to any ordinance in Legistar that is proposing to amend Columbus City Codes. It should also be circulated among Councilmember offices prior to submitting an ordinance in Legistar.

It is also a standard practice that Council will not consider any code changes that have not been previously reviewed and approved by the City Attorney's office. Drafters should ensure that the City Attorney's office has approved a final version of a proposed code change prior to circulating this fact sheet to Councilmember offices.

Drafter: **Department:**

Email and Phone:

Columbus City Code Title Being Amended/Created/Repealed:

What is the overall purpose of this code change?

Why is this code change needed?



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What would be the impact of not adopting this code change?

Some city employees could obtain outside employment with CBP or ICE without the City's knowledge or consent.

Are there any operating or capital budget cost/savings implications for this code change?

These may be direct or indirect, and please also note any long-term impact.

There are no budget implications anticipated.

Describe the community engagement process regarding this code change. What residents, impacted parties, and constituents may be affected? Have they been engaged, and how so? How was their feedback incorporated (or not incorporated) into this code change?

City Council held a hearing to solicit feedback on this legislation, and others, on February 17, 2026.

Will this code change take effect with the ordinance, or is there a delayed effective date?

The code change is an emergency action, so it will go into effect as soon as the Mayor signs it OR 10 days after passage, whichever is sooner.



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