

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS  
AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

**DEPARTMENT:** Development and Infrastructure Services

**AGENDA DATE:** Introduction: May 15, 2007, Public Hearing June 5, 2007

**CONTACT PERSON/PHONE:** Barry Russell, Assistant Director, Parks and Recreation – 541-4292

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:** City-wide

**SUBJECT:**

An ordinance amending Title 9, Health and Safety, of the El Paso City Code by deleting Chapter 9.20, Tree Pest Control, in its entirety.

**BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

This is a companion ordinance to the proposed addition of Chapter 9.11, Tree Care, to Title 9, Health and Safety. The new ordinance provides for tree pest control so this language is no longer necessary.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

N/A

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:**

N/A

\*\*\*\*\*REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION\*\*\*\*\*

**LEGAL:** (if required) \_\_\_\_\_ **FINANCE:** (if required) \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:** Norman C. Merrifield

**APPROVED FOR AGENDA:**

**CITY MANAGER:** Patricia D. Adauto, Deputy City Manager **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 9, HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE BY DELETING, CHAPTER 9.20, TREE PEST CONTROL, IN ITS ENTIRETY**

**WHEREAS**, the City amended the El Paso City Code to add Section 9.11 which covers tree care in public places and addresses the prevention of nuisances created by trees located on private property; and,

**WHEREAS**, Section 9.11 addresses tree pest control; therefore, there is no longer a need for section 9.20,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS:**

1. That Title 9 (Health and Safety), is amended by deleting Chapter 9.20, Tree Pest Control, of the El Paso City Code in its entirety.

2. Except as expressly amended herein, all other provisions of Title 9, Health and Safety, of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

**EXECUTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2007.**

THE CITY OF EL PASO

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John Cook  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Richarda Duffy Momsen  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Lupe Cuellar  
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

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Norman C. Merrifield, Ed.D., Director  
Parks and Recreation Department

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