

City of Greensboro

Melvin Municipal
Office Building
300 W. Washington Street
Greensboro, NC 27401

Agenda Report

File Number: 2022-678

Agenda Item# I. 12.

Agenda Date: 6/21/2022. **Department:** City Attorney's office

Meeting Type: Council Meeting **Category**: General Business Agenda

Title: 2022 - 678 Ordinance Approving Amendments to City Ordinances in Chapter 23

Railroads

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

□ Create an Environment to Promote Economic Development Opportunities and Job Creation

☐ Maintain Infrastructure and Provide Sustainable Growth Opportunities

⊠Promote Public Safety & Reduce Crime

□ Exceptional Customer Service and a Diverse City Government Workforce

☐ Ensure Fiscal Stewardship, Transparency, & Accountability

Council District: All

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: NA

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PURPOSE:

To repeal certain ordinances contained in Chapter 23 Railroads as there are state statutes addressing the same action.

BACKGROUND:

North Carolina revised NCGS §160A- 175 and §NCGS 1§4-4 effective December 1, 2021, regarding local ordinances. The ordinances in Chapter 23 Railroads currently do not have the language now necessary to enforce as a criminal violation. In reviewing the ordinances contained in this Chapter, Legal identified those currently enforced by state statues and recommend these ordinances be repealed.

BUDGET IMPACT:

There is no budget impact.

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

NA

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED: It is recommended that City Council review these proposed revisions to Chapter 23 of the City Ordinance.