

RESOLUTION NO. RES-2019-168

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA SETTING A TIME AND PLACE FOR A PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE PROPOSED ADOPTION, BY REFERENCE, OF THE 2019 CALIFORNIA ENERGY CODE (CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 24. PART 6) ALL-ELECTRIC, LOW-RISE RESIDENTIAL REACH CODE

WHEREAS, the Energy Code of the City of Santa Rosa is set forth in Title 18, Chapter 18-33 of the Santa Rosa City Code; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Rosa City Code Title 18, Chapter 18-33 adopts, by reference, the California Energy Code (California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 6); and

WHEREAS, in January 2019, as part of the triennial code update, the State of California Building Standards Commission adopted the 2019 California Energy Code, which was published in July 2019 as the California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 6; and

WHEREAS, the California Energy Code adopted by the Building Standards Commission becomes effective 180 days after publication by the State and must be enforced by each city and county; and

WHEREAS, data provided by energy-efficiency industry experts has been provided to show that energy savings from enactment of an All-Electric Reach Code will save more energy than the current provisions in Title 24, Part 6. The California Energy Commission has accepted the Cost-Effectiveness Study for Low-Rise Residential New Construction, prepared by Frontier Energy, Inc., Misti Bruceri & Associates, LLC as showing the implementation of an All-Electric Reach Code is cost-effective; and

WHEREAS, the Planning and Economic Development Department proposes adoption by reference of the 2019 California Energy Code (California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 6) with local amendments, to be effective January 1, 2020.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa sets a public hearing during its regular meeting on November 19, 2019, at 5:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the item is reached on the agenda, for the proposed adoption by reference, with local amendments as appropriate, of the 2019 California Energy Code (California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 6).

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 12th day of November, 2019.

AYES: (6) Vice Mayor Rogers, Council Members Combs, Fleming, Olivares, Sawyer, Tibbetts

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (1) Mayor Schwedhelm

ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
Acting City Clerk Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney