



Adoption of the 2020 Model Traffic Code for Colorado

CITY COUNCIL MEETING – April 19 , 2022

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Strategic Plan



Supportive and Sustainable
Infrastructure



Safe, Active, and Engaged
Community



Introduction

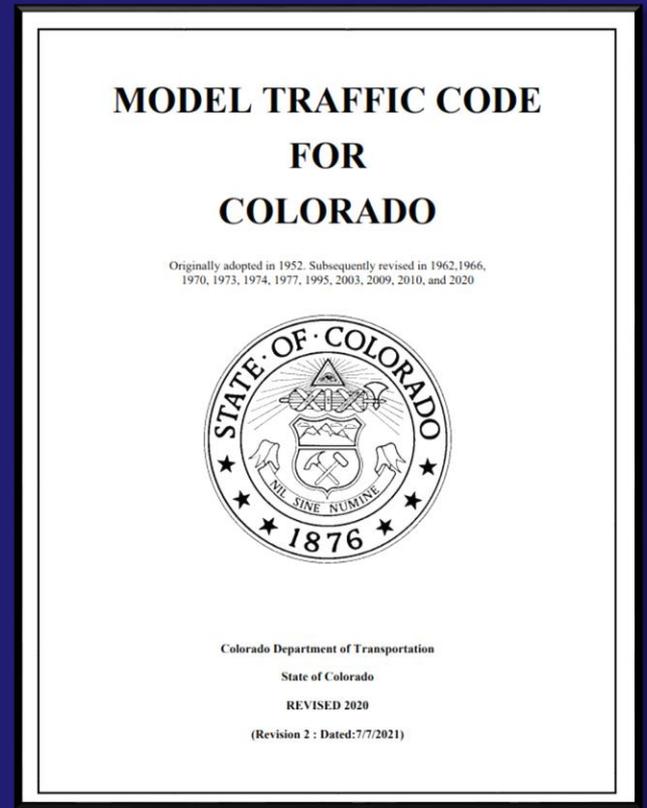
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- Adoption of the 2020 Model Traffic Code
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- Final Recommendation



Background

Model Traffic Code for Colorado

- Originally adopted in 1952 by the Colorado Department of Transportation
- Provide traffic regulations consistent with state law
- Guides traffic safety, laws, and enforcement
- Most recent version is 2020





Adoption of 2020 Model Traffic Code

- Chapter 10, Vehicles and Traffic of Brighton Municipal Code refers to the 2010 Model Traffic Code of Colorado
- 2020 version incorporates all changes in vehicle related laws and traffic enacted since 2010





Adoption Coordination

- Police Department
- City Attorney
- Public Works





Code Exclusions

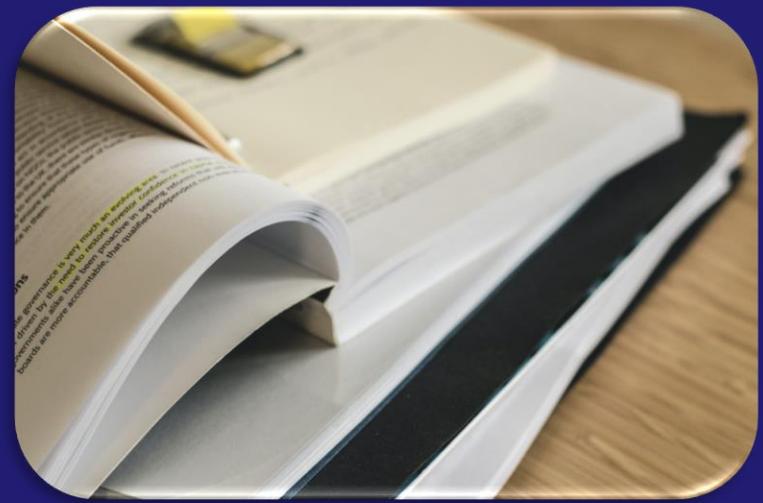
- Section 10-4-3 - Additions, Deletions, and Modifications
- A lengthy list of deleted provisions removes those sections that classify the violations and sections that are not applicable





Summary of Coordination

- Review of additions to 2020 version
- Updated Section 3 - Additions, Deletions, and Modifications
- Adopt 2020 Version
 - i. First reading April 19th
 - ii. Second reading May 5th





Final Recommendation

Staff is recommending approval of the proposed adoption, by reference, of the 2020 revised version of the Model Traffic Code for Colorado into Chapter 10: “Vehicle and Traffic” of the Brighton Municipal Code.



OPTIONS FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION

- Approve the Ordinance at first reading;
- Approve the Ordinance with specific changes;
- Deny the Ordinance as drafted; or
- Continue the item to be heard at a later, specified date.



Questions

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Public Works Department**