

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and City Council

**FROM:** Robbie Corder, City Manager

**SUBJECT:** Consider & Act: Ordinance amending Section 3.09.009 of the Code of Ordinances to allow the display of Untied States flags in the City parkway on certain holidays

## **BACKGROUND:**

During its June 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting, the City Council directed staff to draft an ordinance allowing the display of United States flags in the parkway of residential streets. The attached ordinance amends section 3.09.009 of the Code of Ordinances to allow United States flags to be flown on the following holidays:

- Memorial Day (last Monday of May);
- Flag Day (June 14);
- Independence Day (July 4);
- Labor Day (first Monday of September); and
- Veterans Day (November 11).

The proposed amendments to this section of Code would permit the display of United States flags within the City parkway (area between the curb and sidewalk) on residential streets. Flags shall not exceed 3' by 5' in area mounted on poles not to exceed 10' in height. All requests to display flags are limited to a non-profit organization, and require City Council approval.

## RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the ordinance.