

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 12, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. the Van Meter City Council will hold a public hearing to consider an amendment to the City Code of Ordinances. In summary, the amendment would remove the Public Safety Department, clarify the duties of the Fire and Police Departments to account for the removal of the Public Safety Department, and amend the appointment and duties of the offices of Mayor, City Administrator, City Fire Chief, and Police Chief. The amendment would remove Chapter 31 “Public Safety Department” and modify the following sections:

Chapter 15 “Mayor”:	15.03 “Appointments”
Chapter 21 “City Administrator”:	21.01 “Appointment and Compensation,”
	21.02 “Administrative Responsibility”
	21.04 “Appointments”
Chapter 30 “Police Department”:	30.06 “Police Chief”
Chapter 35 “Fire Department”:	35.06 “Appointment of Officers”
	35.11 “Calls Outside City”
	35.12 “Mutual Aid”
	35.13 “Authority to Cite Violations”
	35.15 “Fee Schedule”

The full text of the amendment shall be available for review by the public beginning September 7, 2022 at the Van Meter City Hall, located at 310 Mill St, Van Meter, IA 50261, during the business hours of 9 a.m. through 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. A copy will also be added to the Van Meter website at <https://www.vanmeteria.gov>. The proposed amendment will take immediate effect upon passage by the City Council and approval by the Mayor.