From:	David Strohmaier
To:	Bryan von Lossberg; Ed Childers; Jeremy Keene
Cc:	Grp. City Council and City Web Site
Subject:	RE: New LED streetlights
Date:	Wednesday, July 1, 2020 2:18:04 PM

Thanks for bringing this up, Ed. And, given our experience on the ground over the past decade, and with changes in technology, it might be worth blowing the dust off of the outdoor lighting ordinance and determining whether it needs any adjustments in the year 2020.

Best,

Dave

P.S. Ed, tell us what you really think. You would love to see more dancing turkeys on electronic signage across town?!

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Subject: Re: New LED streetlights

Thank you, Ed. I'm looping in Jeremy Keene from Public Works. In short the NWE light replacements must be compliant with our dark skies ordinance. Jeremy could elaborate (though I believe he's gone on vacation for a bit).

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On Jul 1, 2020, at 11:25 AM, Ed Childers <ed.childers@charter.net> wrote:

Hi, Council & Commissioner.
I haven't seen the LED streetlights yet, but I saw a complaint about them.

We have a "Dark Skies Ordinance" that should address the replacement lighting.

Commissioner Strohmaier was part of the working group that put the ordinance together. He might have some thoughts on the subject.

> 8.64.090 Non-conforming Commercial, Industrial, or Multi-Family Residential light fixtures.
> A. Street Light fixtures in Lighting Districts
> 1. All existing street lighting fixtures that are in violation of this ordinance are permitted as
> nonconforming street lighting without any time limit.
> 2. If a pole is replaced, both the pole and the pole mounted light fixture shall be compliant with
> the provisions of 8.64.100.
> 3. If a light fixture is replaced on an existing non-conforming pole, the replacement light fixture
> shall be compliant with 8.64.100.

Thanks.
---ed

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