

SALT LAKE CITY ORDINANCE

No. _____ of 2025

(Reallocation of the Responsibilities of the Department of Public Services
and the Department of Community and Neighborhoods)

An ordinance amending provisions of Chapter 2.08 of the Salt Lake City Code relating to the responsibilities of the Department of Public Services and the Department of Community and Neighborhoods.

WHEREAS, the City Council of Salt Lake City, Utah desires to amend Sections 2.08.050 and 2.08.080 of the Salt Lake City Code relating to the responsibilities of the Department of Public Services and the Department of Community and Neighborhoods.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of Salt Lake City, Utah that:

Section 1. Section 2.08.050 of the Salt Lake City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.08.050: DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND NEIGHBORHOODS:

A. Functions: The department of community and neighborhoods shall have charge of and be responsible for:

1. Land use planning;
2. Business regulation;
3. Housing;
4. Building and housing codes;
5. Transportation engineering;
6. Nonparking civil enforcement, including enforcement of snow removal;
7. ~~Capital asset management;~~Arts council; and
8. Division of youth and family programs.

B. City Engineer: The position of city engineer shall be assigned to the department of community and neighborhoods under the administrative direction of the director of community and neighborhoods. The city engineer shall be a registered professional engineer of the state and shall be responsible for the review, supervision and acceptance of all engineering and

architectural design, and construction work required by or for the city, except as assigned in this code to other departments or offices of the city; the coordination and supervision of all construction work done within the public rights of way of the city; and the records of public improvements as prescribed by state statute. The duties may be delegated by the city engineer as deemed prudent and appropriate; such delegation may include the department of public utilities (for recording and maintaining engineering records relating to the water and sewer services and its engineering functions) and the department of airports.

Section 2. Section 2.08.080 of the Salt Lake City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.08.080: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICES:

A. Functions: The department of public services shall have charge of and be responsible for the division of fleet management, the division of facilities, the division of compliance, and the division of streets; ~~and the division of city engineering;~~

1. The operation of the crossing guard program;
2. The operation and maintenance of streets, parkways, sidewalks, street lighting, traffic signals, and similar public ways and facilities;
3. Building improvements, m~~M~~aintenance and repair of all city owned buildings within the city; and
4. Enforcement of parking ordinances and regulations; ~~;~~
5. Operation of the internal security program.

~~—B.— City Engineer: The position of city engineer shall be assigned to the department of public services under the administrative direction of the director of public services. The city engineer shall be a registered professional engineer of the state and shall be responsible for the review, supervision and acceptance of all engineering and architectural design, and construction work required by or for the city, except as assigned in this code to other departments or offices of the city; the coordination and supervision of all construction work done within the public rights of way of the city; and the records of public improvements as prescribed by state statute. The duties may be delegated by the city engineer as deemed prudent and appropriate; such delegation may include the department of public utilities (for recording and maintaining engineering records relating to the water and sewer services and its engineering functions) and the department of airports.~~

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon the date of its first publication.

Passed by the City Council of Salt Lake City, Utah, this _____ day of _____, 2025.

Chris Wharton, Council Chair

Transmitted to Mayor on _____.

Mayor's Action: _____ Approved. _____ Vetoed.

Erin Mendenhall, Mayor

ATTEST:

Keith Reynolds, City Recorder

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Approved as to Form

Date:

Allison Parks, Deputy City Attorney