

## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Mayor and City Council Members

**From:** Craig Barker, Community Development Director

**Date:** March 2, 2011

**Subject:** Ordinance to allow Backyard Chickens in certain zones of the City

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On February 22, 2011 the City Council discussed a proposed ordinance regulating the keeping of backyard chickens in certain residential zones. The attached ordinance includes changes requested by the Council at that time.

The City Council set March 8, 2011 as the date for a Public Hearing to consider public comments, and take action on the proposed ordinance amendment.