

Sections Amended by Ordinance No. ____

Ordinance: An Ordinance Amending Miscellaneous Sections in the Rialto Municipal Code to Provide the Director of Public Works with the Same Authority as the City Engineer

Summary of Change: Unless otherwise noted below, each amended section adds or public works director (with the condition that the Director holds a California Professional Engineer license, where applicable) to grant the Director of Public Works co-equal authority with the City Engineer.

Title 2 — Administration

Chapter 2.42 — Public Works Department

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
2.42.060	Master plan of streets and highways	Adds or public works director to reference for office maintaining the master plan

Chapter 2.48 — Purchasing

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
2.48.040	Definitions	Adds definition of Public Works Director
2.48.190	General procurement methods for public projects	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority for determining estimated cost of public projects
2.48.200	Purchasing process	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority for preparing estimated cost used to set bidding thresholds
2.48.210	Informal public project bidding procedure	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to review/approve engineering plans, and which may effect design immunity under Gov. Code Section 830.6
2.48.250	Field orders	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to approve field orders, maintain field order accounting, and approve related change orders
2.48.260	Acceptance of public projects; notices of completion	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority whose recommendation supports acceptance of completed public project work

Title 3 — Revenue and Finance

Chapter 3.33 — Development Impact Fees

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
3.33.030	Definitions	Adds public works director to definition of approval authority for construction and credit agreement for determining construction costs
3.33.100	Fee credits	Adds public works director as authority for plan approval, facility inspection, and determining fee credit amounts
3.33.110	Construction and credit agreements	Adds public works director as authority for permits, inspections, acceptance, and cost determinations under credit agreements
3.33.120	Appeal to city administrator	Adds public works director as official whose credit decisions may be appealed

Title 5 — Business Licenses and Regulations

Chapter 5.44 — Cable Systems Regulations

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
5.44.027	System construction	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority directing changes/extensions to cable system structures in public ways and issuing permits

Title 9 — Public Peace, Morals and Welfare

Chapter 9.02 — Interference with Survey Mark

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
9.02.010	Prohibited	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority placing survey marks that protected from destruction or defacement by the code

Title 10 — Vehicles and Traffic

Chapter 10.12 — Traffic Control Devices

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.12.010	Installation authority	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to place/maintain traffic control devices (subsections A, B, and C)

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10.12.030	Signal installation	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to install/maintain traffic signals, conduct field investigations, and erect street name signs (subsections A, B, and C)
10.12.040	Lane marking	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to mark centerlines and lane lines
10.12.050	Distinctive roadway markings	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to place/maintain distinctive roadway markings
10.12.060	Removal, relocation authority	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to remove, relocate, or discontinue traffic control devices
10.12.070	Hours of operation	Adds public works director as authority (alongside city engineer and chief of police) to determine hours/days of traffic control device operation

Chapter 10.16 — Turning Movements

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.16.010	Turner, multiple lane and intersection markers	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to place intersection traffic control devices and designate turn lanes
10.16.020	Restricted turn signs	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine and sign restricted-turn intersections
10.16.030	Signal controlled intersections — Right turns	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to post signs restricting right turns at signal-controlled intersections

Chapter 10.20 — One-Way Streets and Alleys

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.20.010	Posting authority	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to place/maintain one-way street signs

Chapter 10.24 — Special Stops

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.24.010	Sign erection authority	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to erect/maintain stop signs on through streets and at railroad grade crossings

Chapter 10.28 — Parking

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.28.030	Maintenance of no stopping zones and no parking areas	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to maintain no stopping/no parking signage and curb markings
10.28.040	No parking areas	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine traffic hazard parking restrictions (subsection C)
10.28.090	Adjacent to schools	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to erect no-parking signs near schools
10.28.100	Narrow streets	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to place no-parking signs/markings on narrow streets
10.28.120	Property transporter	Adds public works director as authority to issue/revoke permits for parking property transport vehicles on streets
10.28.130	Emergency parking signs	Adds public works director as authority (alongside city engineer and chief of police) to order temporary emergency parking restrictions
10.28.140	Twenty-four minute	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine necessity of time-limit parking signage/meters
10.28.150	Forty minute	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine necessity of 40-minute parking restrictions
10.28.160	One hour	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine necessity of 1-hour parking restrictions
10.28.170	Two hour	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine necessity of 2-hour parking restrictions
10.28.180	Parallel on one-way streets	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to regulate parking on one-way streets (subsection C)
10.28.190	Space markings	Adds public works director as authority to install/maintain parking space markings
10.28.200	No stopping zones	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to designate and sign no stopping zones
10.28.210	Loading zone — Establishment authority	Adds public works director as authority to determine and mark loading zones and passenger loading zones
10.28.220	Curb markings	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to place/maintain curb markings indicating parking regulations (subsection D)

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.28.270	Coach zones	Adds public works director as authority to establish bus zones
10.28.280	Taxicab stands	Adds public works director as authority to establish taxicab stands and approve stand signage

Chapter 10.32 — Speed Limits

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.32.040	Regulation of speed by traffic signals	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to regulate traffic signal timing for speed management

Chapter 10.36 — Miscellaneous Regulations

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.36.040	Riding or driving on sidewalk	Adds public works director as authority to grant written permission for temporary vehicle crossing of sidewalks
10.36.060	Obedience to barriers and signs	Adds public works director as authority to approve barrier/sign types placed on streets
10.36.080	Intersection obstruction	Adds public works director as authority to remove obstructing vegetation at intersections

Chapter 10.40 — Truck Routes

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.40.010	Routes	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to designate truck routes
10.40.020	Commercial vehicles prohibited on certain streets	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to erect/maintain signs prohibiting commercial vehicles

Chapter 10.41 — Interstate Trucks

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.41.010	Definitions	Adds new definitions of Public works director (subsections E and F)
10.41.024	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Chapter 10.48 — Heavy Vehicles and Equipment

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.48.010	Permit required	Adds public works director as authority to issue overweight load permits and set permit conditions/bonds

Chapter 10.52 — Pedestrians

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
10.52.010	Crosswalk — Establishment	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to establish/maintain crosswalks and post pedestrian crossing restrictions (subsections A, B, and D)

Title 11 — Streets and Sidewalks

Chapter 11.04 — Improvements

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
11.04.010	Definitions	Adds public works director to definitions of “construction permit,” street opening permit, and utility pole permit; adds new definition of Public works director (subsections F, G, H, and J)
11.04.014	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Chapter 11.05 — Encroachment License Agreements

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
11.05.010	Defined	Adds public works director to reference for administrative issuance of encroachment permits
11.05.014	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Chapter 11.12 — Excavation and Fills

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
11.12.020	Scope; Public works director authority	Adds new provision granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Chapter 11.22 — Wireless Telecommunications Facilities in the Public Right-of-Way

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
11.22.020	Definitions	Adds new definition of Public Works Director; adds public works director as authority for substantial-change determinations and cabinet modifications

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
11.22.024	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Title 12 — Utilities

Chapter 12.04 — Water System

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
12.04.020	Installation — Permit required	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to issue water line permits

Chapter 12.08 — Sewer System

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
12.08.014	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Chapter 12.16 — Underground Utility Districts

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
12.16.010	Definitions	Adds new definition of Public works director
12.16.014	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Chapter 12.32 — Public Utilities

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
12.32.030	Definition of terms	Adds new definition of Public works director
12.32.090	Existing potable water customers	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority for recycled water conversion determinations, schedules, and extensions (subsections C and F)
12.32.100	Failure to commence use of recycled water	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to identify and notify persons failing to use recycled water
12.32.110	Procedures for instituting mandatory service	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority for feasibility determinations and hearing requests for mandatory recycled water service (subsections A and B)

Chapter 12.60 — Municipal Separate Sewer System (MS4)

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
12.60.030	Definitions	Adds new definition of Public works director
12.60.034	Public works director authority	New section granting the public works director (with PE requirement) the same authority as the city engineer throughout the chapter

Title 15 — Buildings and Construction

Chapter 15.52 — House Numbering

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
15.52.020	City engineer and public works director's duty	Retitled to include and public works director; adds public works director as co-equal authority for designating building/street numbers

Title 17 — Subdivisions

Chapter 17.18 — Vesting Tentative Maps

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.18.060	Filing and processing	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority for approval of improvement plans, grading plans, soils reports, and hydrology reports (subsection B, items 1, 5, 6, and 7)

Chapter 17.20 — Dedications and Improvements

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.20.080	Improvements required	Adds public works director as authority for estimating performance bond amounts (subsection C)
17.20.110	Installation of landscaping and irrigation systems — Assessment districts	Adds public works director as authority to determine phasing of landscaping/irrigation installation

Chapter 17.24 — Soils Reports

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.24.010	Required	Adds public works director as authority to receive preliminary soils reports for subdivisions
17.24.030	Soils investigation required when	Adds public works director as authority to require soils investigations for expansive or problem soils

Chapter 17.32 — Monuments

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.32.020	Interior monuments	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority to determine security for monument-setting costs

Chapter 17.44 — Design Standards

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.44.010	Design standards	Adds public works director as authority to set flood channel easement widths (subsection A.4.a)

Chapter 17.46 — Merger of Parcels

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.46.080	Mergers initiated by application	Adds public works director as authority to receive merger applications, approve mergers, file instruments with county recorder, and issue appealable determinations (subsections B, C, and D)

Chapter 17.50 — Reimbursement for Public Improvements

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
17.50.020	Definitions	Adds public works director as authority for approving estimated construction costs
17.50.030	Procedure	Adds public works director as authority for application review and city council recommendations (subsections B and C)
17.50.040	Contents of the reimbursement agreement	Adds public works director as authority for approving engineering-scale plats (subsection B)
17.50.050	Notice and hearing	Adds public works director as authority for setting applicable construction standards (subsection D.1)
17.50.060	Payment by benefited property owner	Adds public works director as authority for determining applicability of contribution charges (subsection B)

Title 18 — Zoning

Chapter 18.47 — Hazardous Waste Overlay Zone

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.47.080	Site development standards	Changes city engineering division to public works department for road construction/improvement approvals (subsection D)

Chapter 18.49 — Downtown Revitalization Overlay Zone

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.49.050	Sign requirements	Adds public works director as authority for encroachment permit approval for street light banner signage and seasonal signage (subsections G.3, H.10, and H.11)

Chapter 18.58 — Off-Street Parking

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.58.030	Office, commercial and industrial design standards	Adds public works director as authority for approving paving materials, drainage facilities, safety features, parking structures, and loading space markings (subsections D, E, L.1, M, and O.3)
18.58.040	Residential design standards	Adds public works director as authority for driveway grade approvals, commercial vehicle parking surface approvals, route approvals, driveway paving, recreational vehicle parking surfaces, and drainage facilities (subsections A.3, C.6.e.v, C.6.e.vii, C.7.a, C.7.b, and C.8)

Chapter 18.59 — Transportation Control Measures (TCM)

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.59.030	Design standards	Adds public works director as authority for defining transit improvements and approving sidewalk installations (subsections F and K)

Chapter 18.75 — Floodplain Management Ordinance

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.75.140	Designation of the floodplain administrator	Adds public works director as co-equal floodplain administrator alongside city engineer

Chapter 18.78 — Specific Plans

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.78.040	Definitions	Adds or public works director to definition of Development Review Committee membership (subsection G)

Chapter 18.100 — Mobile Home Development (MHD) Zone

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.100.080	Development standards	Adds public works director (with PE requirement) as authority for roadway design/construction approval (subsection J.3)

Chapter 18.102 — Regulation of Signs and Advertising Structures

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.102.050	General provisions	Adds public works director as authority for encroachment permits for signs in public right-of-way (subsection B.6)
18.102.060	Sign requirements	Adds public works director as authority for encroachment permits for noncommercial and directory signs in public right-of-way (subsections A.1 and B.3.a.iv)

Chapter 18.103 — Vehicle Wrecking, Storage and Dismantling

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.103.070	Requirements for lawful operation	Adds public works director as authority for approving impervious surfaces and drainage/retention requirements at dismantling facilities (subsection A.2)

Chapter 18.108 — Regulation of Recycling Facilities

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.108.040	Criteria and standards for recycling facilities	Adds public works director as authority to receive quarterly recycling reports from small collection facilities and processing facilities (subsections B.11 and D.13)

Chapter 18.111 — Wireless Telecommunications Facilities

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.111.040	Standards for wireless telecommunication facilities	Adds public works director as authority for requiring right-of-way improvements (subsection B.13)

Chapter 18.112 — Indoor Storage Uses

Section	Section Name	Description of Change
18.112.050	Development standards	Adds public works director as authority for paving requirements for parking lots, drive-aisles, and truck courts (subsection D.2)