

To: Ordinance Review Committee
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Subject: Revised Blasting Amendments
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Attached is a revised version of the amendment to the Code of Ordinances to create a new Chapter 13 dealing with blasting. The revised version incorporates the changes the ORC discussed at its October meeting. The attached version is in track changes so you can see the revisions. Here is an overview of the changes:

1. The provisions requiring the posting of a sign at the blast site have been deleted.
2. The well testing requirements have been simplified to eliminate the requirement for flow testing and reducing the things that need to be tested for.
3. The seismic monitoring requirements have been simplified by removing the technical specifications and simply requiring that seismic monitoring be conducted.
4. The definition of fly rock has been deleted since the term no longer appears in the amendment.