



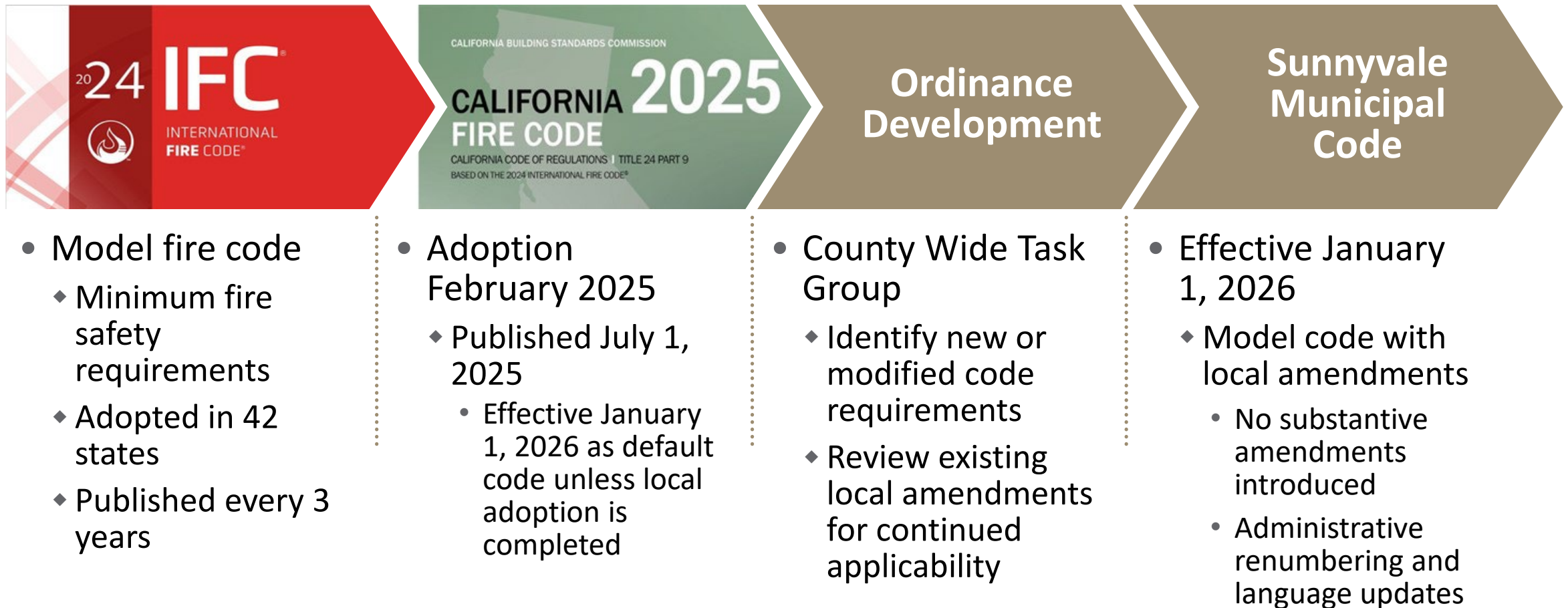
Sunnyvale

Ordinance Amending Chapter 16.52 of the Sunnyvale Municipal Code and Amending Chapter 20.10 of the Sunnyvale Municipal Code

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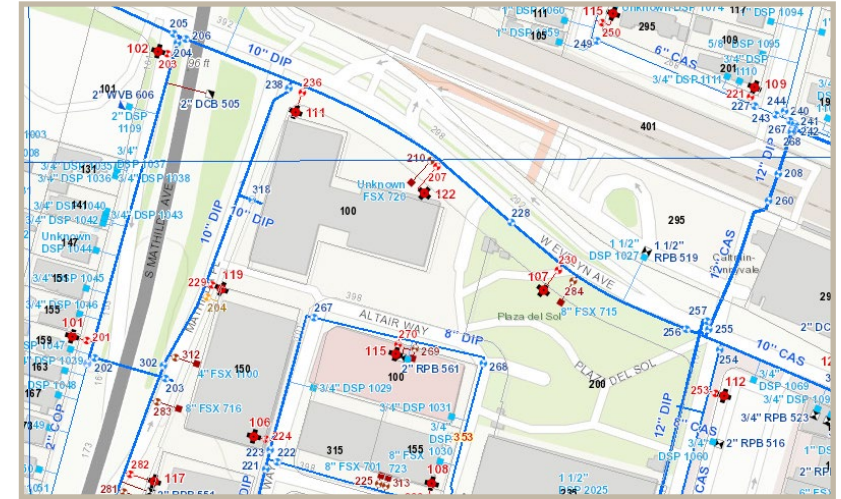


Sunnyvale Fire Code Adoption Cycle



Local Policy and Needs

- Silicon Valley
 - ◆ Cutting edge of R&D technology may not be covered in model codes
- Public Safety Model
 - ◆ Emphasis on fire access, water supply regardless of occupancy
- Local amendments continue to support General Plan



Staff Recommendation

Considerations

- Administrative renumbering and language updates
- City adopts local amendments or risks defaulting to minimum standards

Staff Recommendation

- Introduce the Ordinance Amending Chapter 16.52 of the Sunnyvale Municipal Code to Adopt by Reference the 2025 California Fire Code with Local Amendments and Related Findings, and Amending Chapter 20.10 of the Sunnyvale Municipal Code, and Find that the Action is Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act under CEQA Guidelines Section 15308, 15305, and 15061.