

**AGENDA**



**Recommendation for Council Action**

Austin City Council	<b>Item ID</b>	24501	<b>Agenda Number</b>	92.
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<b>Meeting Date:</b>	6/20/2013	<b>Department:</b>	Planning and Development Review
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**Subject**

Conduct a public hearing and consider an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 25-2 relating to the use classifications of electronic prototype assembly and electronic testing in the downtown mixed use and central business district base zoning districts.

**Amount and Source of Funding**

**Fiscal Note**

<b>Purchasing Language:</b>	
<b>Prior Council Action:</b>	
<b>For More Information:</b>	Greg Dutton, 974-3509.
<b>Boards and Commission Action:</b>	April 17, 2013 – Approved by the Downtown Commission on a 12-0 vote with Commissioner MacKinnon off the dais. June 11, 2013: Approved by the Planning Commission on a 8-0 vote with Commissioner Anderson absent.
<b>MBE / WBE:</b>	
<b>Related Items:</b>	

**Additional Backup Information**

This amendment has the following proposed changes:

Electronic Prototype Assembly and Electronic Testing are currently prohibited uses in the downtown mixed use (DMU) and central business district (CBD) base zoning districts. The proposed amendment could make them conditional or permitted. Electronic Prototype Assembly and Electronic Testing are commercial uses that do not involve manufacturing or synthesizing of raw materials.

Staff recommends approval of this amendment.