

**AGENDA**



**Recommendation for Council Action**

Austin City Council	<b>Item ID</b>	37254	<b>Agenda Number</b>	189.
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<b>Meeting Date:</b>	12/11/2014	<b>Department:</b>	Planning and Development Review
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**Subject**

Conduct a public hearing and consider an ordinance amending the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan.

**Amount and Source of Funding**

**Fiscal Note**

<b>Purchasing Language:</b>	
<b>Prior Council Action:</b>	June 14, 2012 - Council adopted the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan.
<b>For More Information:</b>	Paul DiGiuseppe, 512-974-2865.
<b>Boards and Commission Action:</b>	October 14, 2014 - Approved by the Planning Commission on a 7-0 vote with Commissioners Stevens and Roark absent.
<b>MBE / WBE:</b>	
<b>Related Items:</b>	

**Additional Backup Information**

On June 14, 2012, the City Council adopted the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan by Ordinance No. 20120614-058. Pursuant to the City Charter, Article X, Section 5, all amendments to the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan or element or portion thereof recommended by the Planning Commission shall be forwarded to the City Manager and shall be subject to review and adoption in the same manner as when it was originally adopted.

Periodic amendments to the Imagine Austin Comprehensive Plan help keep it viable. The proposed amendments are needed to support other City initiatives. These amendments will support the Digital Inclusion Strategic Plan which was authorized by Council to promote access to digital technology by all residents, institutions, and businesses; the School Readiness Action Plan, which focuses on helping children from birth to five years succeed in school by addressing various needed services; and will include minor grammatical revisions.