

Attachment No. 4

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Copy of SACFD email rescinding request to amend IBC and IFC fire sprinkler area thresholds

At this time, the South Adams County Fire Department will pull the amendment for fire sprinklers in buildings over 5000 square feet. I would like the council to move forward with the adoption of the 2012 ICC. I will work with the CBO Pat Buckley and staff on an agreeable amendment for Fire Sprinklers in buildings. If we are able to come to an agreement we will present the amendment at a later date or with the adoption of the 2015 ICC. I would like to thank the council for their time in listening to my concerns on sprinklered buildings. I am still very passionate that all buildings need to have fire sprinklers per the size of the building. Currently there are only two occupancy types out of 25 that can be built with no fire sprinkler system according to the International codes. All remaining occupancies are set at 12,000 square feet or less, when they are required to have a fire sprinkler system. We will be working towards addressing these occupancies, specifically the F2 (low hazard factory) and S2 (low hazard storage) occupancies. Once again, thank you for your time.

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