

Amendment 5 to CB 119607: Hydrofluorocarbons v1

Sponsor: Councilmember Herbold

Description:

This would add a recital to CB 119607 recognizing the potential global warming impacts of hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs) in refrigerants used in consumer appliances, such as electric heat pumps, and the Council's commitment to advocate for statewide legislation to expedite the reduction of HFCs with high global warming potential.

Notes:

Double underlines indicate new language to be added.

~~Double strikethroughs~~ indicate language proposed to be removed.

Amendments

Amend the recitals of Council Bill 119607, as follows:

WHEREAS, the use of heating oil in the City emits carbon pollution that would be substantially lessened if heating oil users converted from oil-fired heating systems to electric systems; and

WHEREAS, refrigerants used in electric heating systems typically contain hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs) that, if not disposed of properly, contribute to global warming and the City Council commits to advocating for statewide legislation to expedite the reduction of HFCs with high global warming potential in consumer appliances, such as electric heat pumps; and