

City Council Delays Action on Fee Increases

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Those looking to do home improvements in La Crosse can count some savings after a city council decision this week. The council has delayed by at least two months inspection fee increases for electrical, plumbing and HVAC. City council member Andrea Richmond pushed for the delay in part because it became clear to her that most of the city council wasn't aware they were also agreeing to automatic annual increases in the same fees.

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Richmond also doesn't want to add fees of any kind until a consultant is hired to measure efficiencies in city hall.