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CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: AUGUST 6, 2008

DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY
DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC

Consent Discussion

SUBJECT:
NEW BILL

Bill No. 2008-42 Allows facilities that provide testing, treatment, or counseling for drug or alcohol abuse, including overnight care, by means of special use permit in the C-M and M Zoning Districts. Prepared by Councilman Ricki V. Barlow

Fiscal Impact

No Impact

Augmentation Required

Budget Funds Available

Amount:

Funding Source:

Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

This bill will amend the City's zoning regulations to allow facilities that provide testing, treatment, or counseling for drug or alcohol abuse, including overnight care, by means of special use permit in the C-M and M Zoning Districts.

RECOMMENDATION:

This bill should be submitted to a Recommending Committee for review, hearing and recommendation to the City Council for final action.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Bill No. 2008-42

Minutes:

COUNCILMAN BARLOW requested that the Westcare representative present clarify what services are currently offered and what they intend to provide as they move forward.

MAYOR GOODMAN indicated that he would allow the comments and incorporate them by reference to the Recommending Committee meeting of 8/19/2008.

KIRBY BURGESS, Westcare, said that the non-profit organization is celebrating 35 years of providing mental health and substance abuse services, primarily to youth. Many of those years have included services at this location. Changes in services were allowed under a variance, and at the expiration of the funding, returning to the original zoning was unsuccessful. He expressed appreciation for all the day-to-day assistance provided by COUNCILMAN BARLOW and his staff to get to this point.

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First Reading - Referred - COUNCILMEMBERS TARKANIAN and BARLOW

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