



Agenda Item No.: 3.

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RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MEETING OF: JUNE 14, 2011

DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY
DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC

☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

SUBJECT:
Bill No. 2011-26 Repeals Chapter 6.54 of Municipal Code relating to the regulation of membership clubs. Proposed by: Flinn Fagg, Acting Director of Planning

Fiscal Impact:

☐ No Impact ☐ Augmentation Required
☐ Budget Funds Available

Amount:

Funding Source:

Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

This bill will repeal Chapter 6.54 of the Municipal Code relating to the regulation of membership clubs. The provisions of Chapter 6.54 were adopted many years ago when the practices of some types of membership clubs came under public scrutiny. With the passage of time, the provisions of this chapter have been either superseded by other Code provisions or deemed unnecessary.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Bill No. 2011-26
2. Business Impact Statement

Motion made by STAVROS S. ANTHONY to Approve as Do Pass

Passed For: 2; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0

RICKI Y. BARLOW, STAVROS S. ANTHONY; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)

Minutes:

Prior to hearing this item, COUNCILMAN BARLOW noted that the bills on today's agenda, if approved, will be eligible for adoption on 7/6/2011.

By way of reading the item, COUNCILMAN BARLOW declared the Public Hearing open.

FLINN FAGG, Director of Planning, explained that staff's recommendation to repeal Chapter 6.54 of the Municipal Code will assist in streamlining the business licensing code. The regulations regarding membership clubs are contained elsewhere in the business licensing code, so there is no longer a need to have this section as a separate category.

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COUNCILMAN BARLOW questioned the impact, if any, on clubs such as the Elks Lodge, to which MR. FAGG replied this item relates to membership clubs within retail businesses, such as Costco. Regulations for clubs like the Elks Lodge are covered under another category of the Code.

By way of calling for a motion, COUNCILMAN BARLOW declared the Public Hearing closed.

