



Recommending Committee Minutes

1. Call to Order

Minutes:

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

PRESENT: COUNCILMEMBERS ANTHONY and FIORE

ALSO PRESENT: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TOM PERRIGO, DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY JEFF DOROCAK, CITY CLERK LUANN D. HOLMES and DEPUTY CITY CLERK GABRIELA PORTILLO- BRENNER

2. Announcement Regarding: Compliance with Open Meeting Law

Minutes:

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE: This meeting has been properly noticed and posted at the following locations in accordance with the State of Nevada Executive Department Declaration of Emergency Directive 006: The City of Las Vegas website – www.lasvegasnevada.gov and The Nevada Public Notice Website – notice.nv.gov.

3. Bill No. 2020-18 - For possible action - Amends LVMC 6.82.060, pertaining to smoking lounges, to update an age limitation to be more consistent with Federal law regarding tobacco sales. Proposed by: Robert Summerfield, Director of Planning

Minutes:

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY declared the Public Hearing open.

ROBERT SUMMERFIELD, Planning Director, reported that this bill pertains to an amendment to Title 6 to match Federal law, which limits tobacco sales and use to persons of age 21 and over. There was already a limitation for smoke lounges, so this bill will make the city's law consistent with Federal law.

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY declared the Public Hearing closed and announced after the vote that this bill would be eligible for adoption at the meeting of July 8, 2020.

Motion made by Michele Fiore to Approve as Do Pass

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

For-Michele Fiore, Stavros Anthony;

4. Bill No. 2020-19 - For possible action - Amends LVMC 10.32.020, pertaining to the crime of battery which constitutes domestic violence, to update penalty provisions to conform to changes in State law that become effective July 1, 2020. Proposed by: Bradford R. Jerbic, City Attorney

Minutes:

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY declared the Public Hearing open.

JEFF DOROCAK, Deputy City Attorney, said this bill amends LVMC 10.32.020, which was created last year to

set up a city code misdemeanor for battery, which constitutes domestic violence due to the issue with jury trials. In order to match State law, this bill adds provisions to LVMC 10.32.020 regarding counseling, which allows a judge to set a minimum of 6 months with no cap on counseling for a first offense and a minimum of 12 months with no cap on counseling for a second offense. The bill also includes language to allow judges to sentence individuals to alcohol treatment and counseling for the use of alcohol. He emphasized that the changes mirror the State's penalties and provisions that will become effective July 1, 2020. The bill is in order.

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY declared the Public Hearing closed and announced after the vote that this bill would be eligible for adoption at the meeting of June 17, 2020.

Motion made by Michele Fiore to Approve as Do Pass

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

For-Michele Fiore, Stavros Anthony;

5. Citizens Participation: Public comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters within the jurisdiction of the Committee. No subject may be acted upon by the Committee unless that subject is on the agenda and is scheduled for action. If you wish to be heard, come to the podium and give your name and correct spelling for the record. The amount of discussion on any single subject, as well as the amount of time any single speaker is allowed, may be limited.

Minutes:
None.

6. Adjournment

Minutes:
The meeting was adjourned at 10:04 a.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Gabriela Portillo-Brenner, Deputy City Clerk

THIS MEETING WAS PROPERLY NOTICED AND POSTED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATE OF NEVADA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY DIRECTIVE 006
The City of Las Vegas Website – www.lasvegasnevada.gov
and
The Nevada Public Notice Website – notice.nv.gov