

# COUNCIL COMMITTEE MINUTES

**COMMITTEE NAME:** LAW AND LEGISLATION  
**MEETING DATE:** October 6, 1998  
**MEETING TIME:** 12:15 P.M.  
**LOCATION:** 915 I Street, 2nd Floor, Council Chambers

The meeting was called to order at 12:20 p.m. by Heather Fargo, Chairperson.

## ROLL CALL

Present: Committee Members Fargo (Chair), Kerth, Steinberg, Cohn (arrived at 12:30pm)

Absent: None

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### 1.0 CONSENT CALENDAR

### 2.0 STAFF REPORTS

#### 2.1 Legislative Update - Oral

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No update given at this meeting.

#### 2.2 Adoption of Ordinance regulating public consumption of Marijuana

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Recommendation of Staff: Approve Staff Recommendation  
and Forward to City Council

Committee Action: Gave direction to staff to make language changes in  
Ordinance and forward to City Council

Captain Ernie Daniels, Police Dept., gave an overview of the proposed ordinance regarding regulation of public consumption of marijuana. This ordinance would:

- 1) make it either an infraction or a misdemeanor for anyone to smoke marijuana in or within 1,000 ft of the grounds of any school, Sacramento Zoo, Funderland or Fairytale Town
- 2) would prohibit the consumption of marijuana in or within 100 ft of any building to which the public has access or within 100 ft of any other person (other than a primary caregiver)

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