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Tuesday, September 17, 2024

11:00 a.m.

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**City of Sacramento
Law and Legislation Committee**

City Hall Complex, 915 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

**Regular Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, September 17, 2024
11:00 AM**

All items listed are heard and acted upon by the Law and Legislation Committee unless otherwise noted.

Open Session

Regular meeting called to order by Chair Valenzuela at 11:02 a.m. Tuesday, September 17, 2024 at the Sacramento City Hall Council Chamber.

Members Present: Eric Guerra (at 11:05 a.m.), Rick Jennings, Caity Maple and Chair Katie Valenzuela.

Land Acknowledgement – Led by Councilmember Maple.

Pledge of Allegiance – Led by Councilmember Maple.

Consent Calendar

All items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered and acted upon by one Motion. Anyone may request an item be removed for separate consideration.

Action: Moved/Seconded: Member Maple / Member Jennings.

Yes: Members Rick Jennings, Caity Maple and Chair Valenzuela.

Absent: Member Eric Guerra.

A motion **passed** to adopt the Consent Calendar in one motion except as indicated at each item.

1. Law and Legislation Committee Meeting Minutes

File ID: 2024-00304

Location: Citywide

Action: Passed a **Motion** approving the Law and Legislation Committee meeting minutes dated August 20, 2024.

Contact: Katie Gresham, Program Specialist, (916) 808-8016, kmgresham@cityofsacramento.org; Mindy Cuppy, MMC, City Clerk, (916) 808-5442, mcuppy@cityofsacramento.org; Office of the City Clerk

2. Law and Legislation Log

File ID: 2023-01671

Location: Citywide

Action: Passed a **Motion** approving the Law and Legislation Log.

Contact: Consuelo Hernandez, Director of Governmental Affairs, (916) 808-7395, cahernandez@cityofsacramento.org, Office of the City Manager

3. Legislative Advocacy Correspondence

File ID: 2023-01681

Location: Citywide

Action: Received and filed.

Contact: Consuelo Hernandez, Director of Governmental Affairs, (916) 808-7395, cahernandez@cityofsacramento.org, Office of the City Manager

Discussion Calendar

4. Tenant Protection Program Update

File ID: 2024-01257

Location: Citywide

Members of the public provided public comments.

Action: Reviewed and commented.

Contact: Peter Lemos, Code and Housing Enforcement Chief, (916) 808-8183, plemos@cityofsacramento.org; Greg Sandlund, Planning Director, (916) 808-8931, gsandlund@cityofsacramento.org; Community Development Department

5. Policy Direction Relating to Cannabis Consumption Lounges

File ID: 2024-01339

Location: Citywide

Members of the public provided public comments.

Action: 1) Reviewed and considered a pilot-permit program for the social consumption of cannabis in designated areas at storefront cannabis dispensaries; and 2) provided direction to staff.

Contact: Leyne Milstein, Assistant City Manager, (916) 808-8491, lmilstein@cityofsacramento.org; Peter Coletto, Director of Finance, (916) 808-5416, pcoletto@cityofsacramento.org; Office of the City Manager; Fiona Mattson, Program Specialist, (916) 808-8925, fmattson@cityofsacramento.org, Office of Cannabis Management

6. **Councilmember Proposal Request for Committee Consideration - Amend Ordinance Section 17.612.010 Landscaping Requirements**

File ID: 2024-01629

Location: Citywide

Action: Moved/Seconded: Member Guerra/ Member Maple.

Yes: Members Eric Guerra, Rick Jennings, Caity Maple and Chair Valenzuela.

Members of the public provided public comments.

Committee reviewed and provided direction on the attached councilmember proposal regarding a request to amend Sacramento City Code section 17.612.010 Landscaping Requirements; and passed a **Motion** directing the appropriate council appointive officer to commence work on the proposal with committee members and forwarding the item to the city council for consideration without further review by the committee.

Contact: Councilmember Lisa Kaplan; Mateo Ramirez-Mercado, District Director, (916) 808-7339, mrmercado@cityofsacramento.org, Office of Councilmember Kaplan

Committee Comments-Ideas, Questions and Meeting Reports

None.

Public Comments-Matters Not on the Agenda

None.

Adjourned – 12:56 p.m.

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of September 17, 2024, as approved by the Sacramento Law and Legislation Committee.


Kathryn Gresham (Oct 15, 2024 11:49 PDT)

Katie Gresham, Program Specialist

10/15/2024