



AGENDA

City of Sacramento

Law and Legislation Committee

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Legislative Analyst

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Deputy City Attorney

City Hall
915 I Street, 1st Floor – Council Chambers
November 9, 2006 – 12:30 P.M.

The Law and Legislation Committee is a Standing Committee, a permanent committee of the City Council established to consider subjects of a particular class. Its purpose is to review state and federal legislation affecting the City and proposed changes to municipal ordinances in order to make recommendations to the full City Council.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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AGENDA

Tuesday, November 9, 2006

City Hall

915 I Street - First Floor Council Chamber

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

Call to Order - 12:30 p.m.

Roll Call

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.

1. Approval of Minutes for October 17, 2006.

Location: (Citywide)

Recommendation: Approve Committee minutes for October 17, 2006.

Contact: Jennifer Carlino, Sr. Deputy City Clerk, (916) 808-8091, City Clerk's Office.

2. Law and Legislation Log

Location: (Citywide)

Recommendation: Approve legislative log

Contact: Yvette Rincon, Legislative Analyst, (916) 808-5827, City Manager's Office.

Staff Reports

Staff reports include oral presentations including those recommending receive and file. Each speaker is limited to a maximum of 3 minutes.

3. 2007 State and Federal Legislative Platform

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Law and Legislation Committee approve the proposed 2007 State and Federal Legislative Platform and forward it to full City Council for adoption.

Contact: Yvette Rincon, Legislative Analyst, (916) 808-5827

4. Front Yard Landscaping Ordinance

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: It is recommended that the Law and Legislation Committee review and approve the attached ordinance amending Sacramento City Code Sections 17.68.010 A. to be forwarded to City Planning Commission.

Contact: Max Fernandez, Code Enforcement Director, (916) 808-7940

Public Comments- Matters Not on the Agenda

5. To be announced

Adjournment

6. To be announced

LAW AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
Preliminary Calendar
As of October 26, 2006

DISCLAIMER: The following information is tentative as to dates and subjects.

November 9, 2006

2007 State and Federal Legislative Platform – **City Manager’s Office**
Front yard Landscaping – **Code Enforcement**

November 21, 2006

Ordinance Amendments to the History and Science Commission – **CC&L**
Amend Ordinance Relating to the Management of Street Furniture– **Transportation Dept.**
Ordinance on Mandatory Reporting of Theft or Loss of Firearms – **Police Department**

December 5, 2006

Ordinance Amendments to the Animal Care Code– **General Services**
Public Financing of Campaigns – **City Manager’s Office**
Pedicab Ordinance – **Code Enforcement**

PENDING ORDINANCES/REPORTS:

Report Back on Contract Standards – **Finance/Procurement Department**
Report Back on Representation of Neighborhood Associations - **Development Svcs/NSD**
Contractual Conflict of Interest of City Employees– **Finance Department**
Drug & Gun Free Zones and Creation of Civil Exclusion- **Police**
Illegal Dumping Vehicle Impound Ordinance – **Utilities Department**
Housing Trust Fund Nexus Study – **Planning Department**
Amend Ordinance Regarding Reward Program – **Utilities Department**
Amend Tree Ordinance – **Parks & Rec**
Amend Ordinance Relating to Recycling Centers – **Development Svcs**
Discussion paper on Truancy/Daytime Curfew for Teens– **Police Department**
Alcohol Use Permit Processing Ordinance – **Police Department**
Ordinance to Regulate Valet Parking – **Transportation Department**
Report Back on City-wide Sign Ordinance and A-Frame Signs - **Development Svcs**
Solid Waste and Recycling Facility Fee – **Solid Waste Department**
R Street Urban Design Plan and SPD Amendments – **Planning Department**
Tot Lot Ordinance – **Parks Department**
Discussion Paper on an Ordinance to Prohibit Smoking in Parks – **Parks Department**
Ordinance Relating to Bi-Directional Amp. Devices in Newly Constructed Buildings – **Police Department**
Discussion Paper on Fast Food Litter Fee Ordinance – **Finance Department**
Amend Ordinance Relating to the Exemption of Sidewalk Improvements for SFRs – **Planning Department**
Ordinance Banning Cart Vendors – **Finance Department**
Discussion Paper on Adopting an Ordinance on Firefighters Bill of Rights – **Fire Department**
Docks Area Plan – **Economic Development**
Amend Ordinance Relating to Police Mounted Units – **Police Department**