AGENDA
City of Sacramento
Law and Legislation Committee

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Deputy City Attorney

City Hall
915 I Street, 1st Floor – Council Chambers

September 4, 2007 – 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

You are welcomed and encouraged to participate in this meeting. Public comment is taken (3 minutes maximum) on items listed on the agenda when they are called. Public Comment on items not listed on the agenda will be heard at the end of the meeting as noted on the agenda. Comments on controversial items may be limited and large groups are encouraged to select 3-5 speakers to represent the opinion of the group.

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AGENDA

Tuesday, September 4, 2007

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 August 9, 2007.**
   Location: (Citywide)

   Recommendation: Approve Committee minutes for August 9, 2007.

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

2. **Approval of Minutes for August 21, 2007.**
   Location: (Citywide)

   Recommendation: Approve Committee minutes for August 21, 2007.

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

3. **Law and Legislation Log**
   Location: (Citywide)

   Recommendation: Approve legislative log

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

4. **Legislative Position: Oppose Senate Bill 619 Relating to Public Contracts**
   Location: Citywide

   Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Law and Legislation Committee adopt an oppose position on SB 619.

   Contact: Azadeh Doherty, Principle Planner, Department of Transportation, 808-3137

Staff Reports

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

5. **Legislative Update (Oral Report)**
   Location: Citywide

Recommendation: This report is informational.

Contact: Patti Bisharat, Director of Governmental Affairs, City Manager's Office, (916) 808-8197

6. **Legislative Position: Oppose Assembly Bill 70 Flood Liability**
Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Law and Legislation Committee continue to oppose AB 70.

Contact: Dave Brent, Engineering Manager, Utilities Department, (916) 808-1420

7. **City Code Amendment Relating to Payment of Prevailing Wages to Volunteers on Public Projects**
Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Law and Legislation Committee approve and forward to the full City Council an ordinance amending Sacramento City Code Section 3.60.010 and adding Section 3.60.195 to Chapter 3.60 of the Sacramento City Code relating to payment of prevailing wages to volunteers on public projects.

Contact: J.P. Tindell, Park Planning & Development Manager, 808-1955

Public Comments- Matters Not on the Agenda

8. **To be announced**

Adjournment

9. **To be announced**

LAW AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
Preliminary Calendar
As of August 29, 2007

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

September 18, 2007
Development Services Department Regulatory Improvement Bundle B – **Development Services**
Suspending Fees related to Solar Water Heaters for Calendar Years 2007-2009 – **Development Services**
Alcohol Sales and Nuisance Abatement Ordinance – **DSD and Police**
Temporary Surface Parking Lots – **Development Services**

October 2, 2007
Fire Code Amendments – **Fire Department**

October 16, 2007
Rental Inspection Program Options – **Code Enforcement**

PENDING ORDINANCES/REPORTS:
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**
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 Services**
Solid Waste and Recycling Facility Fee – **Solid Waste Department**
R Street Urban Design Plan and SPD Amendments – **Planning Department**
Ordinance Relating to Bi-Directional Amp. Devices in Newly Constructed Buildings – **Police**
Ordinance Banning Cart Vendors – **Finance Department**
Docks Area Plan – **Economic Development**
Amend Vacant Building Code to Require Fencing of Vacant Lots– **Code Enforcement**
Campaign Finance Ordinances Review – **Attorney's Office**
Mobile Food Vendor Ordinance – **Finance Department**
Discussion Paper on the Amendment Options for the Home Occupation Permit – **Finance Department**
Discussion Paper on Portable Gas Leaf Blowers – **Code Enforcement and CMO**
Regulation of Check Cashing and Payday Loan Stores – **City Attorney and City Manager's Office**
Amend Pedicab Ordinance Relating to Insurance Requirements – **Code Enforcement**
Fire Code Amendments – **Fire Department**
R Street Corridor Special Planning District (SPD) Amendments – **Development Services**
Amend Ordinance Relating to Downtown Garbage Pickup Times – **Utilities Department**
Amend Ordinance Relating to the Management of Street Furniture – **Transportation Dept.**