

The Committee on Legislative Affairs & Elections met on Thursday, June 6, 2019.

Members present were Councilor Michael Mclaughlin, presiding, Councilors Rosa DiFlorio and Anthony DiPierro.

Member absent was Councilor Fred Capone.

Communication received from Councilor Capone that he would be attending the high school Scholarship night and would be unable to attend.

The Committee considered a Resolution offered by Councilor Michael Marchese: That any new piece of business that is placed on the council calendar be sent to committee without discussion.

City Clerk Sergio Cornelio was also present.

The members were all in agreement that there was no need to add a new rule because current rules relating to in-depth subject matters gave the President the authority to stop debate and request a motion to refer to the appropriate committee if it appeared there would be a prolonged discussion. Councilor DiFlorio remarked that she didn't want to see any new business stifled if action could be taken upon introduction

The Committee voted: to report back to the City Council with a recommendation to refer back to Sponsor.

Respectfully Submitted,

John W. Burley
Clerk of Committees

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Member absent was Councilor Fred Capone.

Communication received from Councilor Capone that he would be attending the high school Scholarship night and would be unable to attend.

The Committee considered a Resolution offered by Councilor Richard Dell Isola, as President: That the Everett City Council hereby approves an Ordinance to regulate outdoor dining permits.

City Clerk Sergio Cornelio was also present.

Mr. Cornelio informed the Committee that the Legal team drafted the proposed Ordinance and he suggested that with the outdoor dining season upon us that the matter be referred out of Committee for enrollment. He explained that the office of Planning and Development would issue the permits and that ISD would confirm compliance. The Ordinance contains regulations on barriers/furniture and fixtures/Utensils, plates, napkins, menus as well as the outdoor dining permit process, conditions and liability insurance requirements. Copies of the proposal were emailed to all City Councilors as well as placed on each Councilors desk at the City Council meeting on May 13th. Mr. Cornelio noted that City Attorney Keith Slattery would be present at the regular City Council meeting to address any questions.

The Committee voted: to report back to the City Council with a recommendation for Favorable Action on enrollment.

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The Committee considered a Resolution offered by Councilor Richard Dell Isola, as President: That an Ordinance amending Article IV of Section 17 News Racks, be approved by the City Council.

City Clerk Sergio Cornelio was also present.

Mr. Cornelio informed the Committee that the six month moratorium was coming to an end and that he wanted to prevent the City from becoming inundated with these types of news racks all up and down Broadway/Route 99. He explained that the Ordinance is already in existence and that with the assistance of City Attorneys Keith Slattery and Matt Lattanzi along with DPW Director Greg St. Louis the Ordinance was tweaked. He noted that the City would regulate and zone the placement of all news racks and charge an annual fee for the permit in which they must comply with the rules and regulations that also contain certain color requirements. Mr. Cornelio announced that his office would now be the issuing authority. Copies of the proposal were emailed to all City Councilors as well as placed on each Councilors desk at the City Council meeting on May 13th.

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The Committee considered a Resolution offered by Councilor Peter Napolitano, as President: Be it Ordained by the Everett City Council that Section 3-33. Keeping of Hens/Poultry of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Everett be amended as follows:

City Clerk Sergio Cornelio and Director of Health Elaine Silva were also present.

Councilor DiPierro recommended that Section 3-33 be deleted in its entirety by the City Council so as to allow the Board of Health to adopt the appropriate regulations that fall under its jurisdiction.

The Committee voted: to report back to the City Council with a recommendation to delete Section 3-33 in its entirety so as to allow the Board of Health to adopt the appropriate regulations that fall under its jurisdiction..

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