

RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding legislation to amend the California Vehicle Code to allow seizure and impoundment of a motor vehicle in connection with prostitution, pimping, pandering, and solicitation.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Martinez - Buscaino), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2015-16 State Legislative Program SPONSORSHIP and/or SUPPORT of legislation that would amend California Vehicle Code Section 22659.5 to allow for the seizure and impoundment of a motor vehicle when used in the commission or attempted commission of an act that violates the California Penal Code sections related to prostitution, pimping, pandering and solicitation even if the owner or operator of the vehicle has not had a prior conviction for the same offense within the past three years.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At its regular meeting held on October 16, 2015, the Rules, Elections, Intergovernmental Relations, and Neighborhoods Committee considered Resolution (Martinez - Buscaino) and a report from the CLA dated September 2, 2015 relative to establishing the City's position regarding legislation to amend the California Vehicle Code to allow seizure and impoundment of a motor vehicle used in the commission or attempted commission of an act that violates the California Penal Code sections related to prostitution, pimping, pandering, and solicitation. The CLA report attached to Council file No. 15-0002-S75 provides additional background information and a summary of the Resolution.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council adopt the accompanying Resolution. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE



MEMBER	VOTE
WESSON:	YES
HUIZAR:	YES
HARRIS-DAWSON:	YES

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