

STAFF REPORT*CITY OF OCEANSIDE*

DATE: December 14, 2011

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers

FROM: City Manager's Office

SUBJECT: **INTRODUCTION OF AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE OCEANSIDE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 10A BY THE ADDITION OF SECTION 10A.3(d) REGARDING SMOKING PROHIBITIONS AT THE OCEANSIDE CIVIC CENTER PLAZA COMPLEX**

SYNOPSIS

Staff recommends that the City Council introduce an ordinance of the City Council of the City of Oceanside amending Oceanside City Code Chapter 10A by adding Section 10A.3(d) which includes a prohibition of smoking at the Civic Center Plaza Complex located at 330 North Coast Highway.

BACKGROUND

At the Council's meeting of November 30, 2011, Council unanimously requested that staff return with an ordinance to ban smoking in the entire Civic Center Plaza Complex after receiving numerous complaints, specifically related to the main Library, regarding smoking on the Plaza and smoking-related trash at the Civic Center Plaza Complex in and around the main fountain.

ANALYSIS

Staff has received numerous complaints regarding smoking on the Civic Center Plaza Complex. As such, a Councilmember Item was placed on the agenda for the November 30, 2011, meeting, and Council subsequently gave unanimous direction to staff to return with an ordinance that would prohibit smoking at the Civic Center Plaza Complex. Staff will have to identify a designated smoking area for staff and visitors.

FISCAL IMPACT

It is anticipated that there will be a nominal cost to change the signage at the Civic Center Plaza Complex.

COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE REPORT

Does not apply.

CITY ATTORNEY'S ANALYSIS

The referenced documents have been reviewed by the City Attorney and approved as to form.

RECOMMENDATION

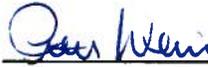
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SUBMITTED BY:



Peter A. Weiss
City Manager

REVIEWED BY:

Attachment 1: Ordinance

1 SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the thirtieth (30th) day
2 from and after its final passage.

3 INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Oceanside,
4 California, held on the ___ day of _____, 2011, and, thereafter,

5 PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of
6 Oceanside, California, held on the ___ day of _____, 2012, by the following vote:

7 AYES:

8 NAYS:

9 ABSENT:

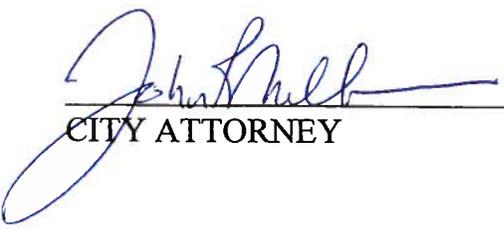
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12 MAYOR OF THE CITY OF OCEANSIDE

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