

The City of Lee's Summit

Action Letter - Draft

Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee

Monday, April 3, 2023

11:30 AM

Via Video Conference

220 SE Green Street

Lee's Summit, MO 64063

Notice is hereby given that the Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee of the City of Lee's Summit will meet on Monday, April 10, 2023 at 11:30 am via video conference as provided by Section 2-50 of the City of Lee's Summit Code of Ordinances, adopted by the City Council on June 15, 2021, Ordinance No. 9172. Persons wishing to comment on any item of business on the agenda may do so by sending a request prior to 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 31, 2023, to the City Clerk at clerk@cityofls.net to attend the meeting on the video conferencing platform. The City Clerk will provide instructions regarding how to attend by this method. The meeting may be viewed on the City's website at WatchLS.net, and on various cable providers (Spectrum Channel 2, AT&T U-Verse Channel 99 and Comcast Channel 7).

1. Call to Order

Chairperson Shields called the Legislative Intergovernmental Relations Committee for April 3, 2023 to order at 11:34 a.m.

2. Roll Call

Staff in Attendance:

Christal Weber

Donna Lake

Brian Head

Jina Bellamy

Present: 4 - Chairperson Hillary Shields
Vice Chair John Lovell
Councilmember Mia Prier
Mayor Bill Baird

3. Approval of Agenda

Councilmember Lovell made a motion to Approve the Agenda for the April 3, 2023 Legislative Intergovernmental Relations Committee. Seconded by Councilmember Prier. Motion Passed 4-0.

Aye: 4 - Chairperson Shields
Vice Chair Lovell
Councilmember Prier
Mayor Baird

4. Public Comments

There were no public comments.

5. Business

- A. [2023-5550](#) Approval of the March 13, 2023 Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations Committee Action Letter.

Councilmember Lovell made a motion to Approve the March 13, 2023, Legislative Intergovernmental Relations Committee action letter. Seconded by Councilmember Prier. Motion passed 4-0.

Aye: 4 - Chairperson Shields
Vice Chair Lovell
Councilmember Prier
Mayor Baird

- B. [2023-5514](#) Review of Lobbyist Report

Brian gave an overview of a couple of items from the Lobbyist report.
Specifically:

1. Video service provider bill. There is a lawsuit in progress that will push timeline out for cities to collect taxes on streaming.
2. HB909 - Landfill Bill regarding jurisdiction - not assigned to Committee yet.
3. SB131 - Exempts guns, ammunition and also food from local sales tax - will cost cities.

There was a question about funding for the State Highway Patrol relocation. Mr. Head informed the Committee that the Lobbyist and Staff are trying to find funding sources, however, there is no solution at this time.

Mr. Head asked the Committee if they would like the Lobbyist to come to the next Legislative and Intergovernmental relations Committee meeting (via zoom) to provide an update as part of his contractual agreement to inform the City twice a year. The Consensus of the Committee was affirmative.

6. Roundtable

Mayor Baird gave a brief report on the City's trip to National League of Cities. He felt the program was informative but mentioned they were unable to meet with the Representatives and met with their staff instead.

Councilmember Lovell mentioned that Senator Hawley (Representative who lives in Kansas City) was at the recent Chamber Governmental Relations Committee meeting and offered to assist us in the future when possible.

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for May 8, 2023 via zoom.

7. Adjournment

Chairperson Shields adjourned the meeting at 11:58 a.m.

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