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Hallandale Beach, FL 33009

City of Hallandale Beach City Commission Agenda Cover Memo

Meeting Date:	May 3, 2017		Item Type: (Enter X in box)	Resolution	Ordinance	Other	
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Fiscal Impact: (Enter X in box)	Yes	No	Ordinance Reading: (Enter X in box)	1st Reading		2nd Reading	
				X			
		X	Public Hearing: (Enter X in box)	Yes	No	Yes	No
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Funding Source:	N/A		Advertising Requirement: (Enter X in box)	Yes		No	
						X	
Account Balance:	N/A		Quasi Judicial: (Enter X in box)	Yes		No	
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Project Number :	N/A		RFP/RFQ/Bid Number:	N/A			
Contract/P.O. Required: (Enter X in box)	Yes	No	Strategic Plan Priority Area: (Enter X in box)				
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Sponsor Name:	Commissioner Michele Lazarow		Department: Mayor and City Commission				

Short Title:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 6 "ANIMALS", ARTICLE I, IN GENERAL, SECTION 6-12, ENTITLED "RETAIL SALE OF DOGS AND CATS", TO ALLOW FOR AND PROMOTE ADOPTION EVENTS AT PET STORES; REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP; AMENDING PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Staff Summary:

Commissioner Lazarow requested staff bring forward a item for Commission consideration to amend Chapter 6 of the Code of Ordinance to allow for and promote adoption events at pet stores.

Section 6-12 of the City Code currently prohibits the sale of dogs and cats by pet stores and shops, with certain exceptions. A more humane model is being adopted by cities nationally to promote the adoption of rescue animals and help reduce the euthanizing of millions of animals in shelters every year.

Amending Section 6-12 would streamline and clarify the City's regulations, promote adoption of rescue animals, and require disclosure of the organization providing the animal for adoption.

It would be in the best interest of the residents of the City of Hallandale Beach to amend Chapter 6, Animals; Article I, In General; Section 6-12 to allow for adoption events of dogs and cats at pet stores and shops, and require disclosure of the organization providing the animal for adoption.

Why Action is Necessary:

Pursuant to Article V, Section 5.01 of the City of Hallandale Beach Charter, a Ordinance adopted by the Commission is required to amend or repeal any ordinance previously adopted by the Commission.

Fiscal Impact:

None

Proposed Action:

The Commission consider the proposed Ordinance on First Reading.

Attachment(s):

Exhibit 1 – Ordinance