



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Regulatory Services

Date: November 29, 2010

To: Council Member Elizabeth Glidden, Chair – Regulatory, Energy & Environment Committee

Subject: Amendment of Title 11, Chapter 231 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Health and Sanitation: Swimming Pool Code to add Minnesota Rule 231.30 enable the enforcement of the Abigail Taylor Act and the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 144.1222, and Minnesota Rules, parts 4717.0150 to 4717.3970.

Recommendation: Passage of ordinance amendment

Previous Directives: None

Department Information

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Approved by:

Rocco Forté, Director of Emergency Preparedness & Regulatory Services

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Lori Olson, Deputy Director of Environmental Management & Safety

Presenters in Committee: Curt Fernandez

Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval ___ Date _____
- Civil Rights Approval Approval ___ Date _____
- Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval ___ Date _____

Financial Impact

- No financial impact
- Other financial impact

Community Impact

- City Goals

Supporting Information

Since July 24, 1987 the City of Minneapolis has maintained the pool program through a delegation agreement with the Minnesota Department of Health. Through that agreement the city has been able to continue its efforts to ensure that pools are safe and the public is protected by performing regulatory inspections.

A review of the current City of Minneapolis ordinance chapter 231 was done by Assistant City Attorney Lee Wolf and he has recommended that City amend the ordinance and add Minnesota Rule 231.30 to the ordinance as the City will be enforcing provisions of Chapter 4717 through the delegation agreement with the Minnesota Department of Health.

We are requesting you grant the permission to amend the Title 11, Chapter 231 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Health and Sanitation: Swimming Pool Code.