

AN ORDINANCE

BY: Councilmember Clair Muller

02-0-0683

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE I, SECTION 2 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ADD A NEW PROVISION REQUIRING THE REGISTRATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF LOBBYISTS ON CITY PROPERTY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES TO THE EXTENT OF THE CONFLICT WITH THIS ORDINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, state law requires the registration of lobbyists and regulates certain activities of lobbyists who, for compensation, undertake to promote or oppose the passage of state legislation; and

WHEREAS, state law requires that lobbyists engaged in lobbying at the state Capitol and elsewhere display their identification as a lobbyists in a readily visible manner; and

WHEREAS, it is the will of the Council that lobbyists engaged in lobbying in City Hall or on City-owned property be registered with the City and display their identity while so engaged; therefore:

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That a new subsection is hereby created in Article I, Section 2, of the Code of Ordinances (Section 2-1 et seq.) to read as follows: Lobbying on City-owned property: As used in this article, the term "Lobbyist" means any natural person who, for compensation, either individually or as an employee of another person, undertakes to promote or oppose the passage of any legislation by the Council or any committee thereof, or the approval or veto of legislation by the Mayor;

Section 2. That a new subsection is hereby created in Article I, Section 2, of the Code of Ordinances requiring that lobbyists register with the City and identify themselves to read as follows: Lobbyist registration and identification while engaged in lobbyist activities on City-owned property: No person shall engage in lobbying as defined by this article on City-owned property unless such person is registered on a docket book maintained for that purpose by the Municipal Clerk and unless such person displays his or her identity in a readily visible manner.

Section 3. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict with this ordinance.

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10/21/02
3:58 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

MULTIPLE

02-TR-1813;0373;0375;0385;
0683;0955;0963;0965
FILE

YEAS: 11
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 5
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	NV Fauver	NV Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	NV Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	NV Boazman	NV Woolard

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FILED BY
CITY COUNCIL

OCT 21 2002

APPROVED BY:

Rosalind Rubens Newell

ROSALIND RUBENS NEWELL
INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY

- CONSENT REFER
- REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER

Date Referred 4/1/02

Referred To: *Final Committee*

Date Referred

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First Reading

Committee _____
 Date _____
 Chair _____
 Referred to _____

Committee
FIN/Sec

Date
4-10-02

Chair

Action:
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)
Other:

Members

Refer To

Committee
Finance & Personnel

Date
10/16/02

Chair
Clair Muller

Action:
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)
Other:
File

Members
Allen Muller
Alexander
Demetrius
James

Refer To
Refer to Mayor

FINAL COUNCIL ACTION

- 2nd Reading
- 1st & 2nd Reading
- 3rd Reading
- Consent
- V Vote
- RC Vote

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT PROTEM

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CITY CLERK

MAYOR'S ACTION