

THE CITY OF WARWICK
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

NO..... DATE.....

APPROVED.....MAYOR

A RESOLUTION IN REGARDS TO AMENDING THE CITY COUNCIL RULE 27
REGARDING RECONSIDERATION

Resolved that,

WHEREAS, the City Council previously adopted rules for the 2021-2022 session via PCR-1-21; and

WHEREAS, the City Council then adopted amended rules for the 2021-2022 session via PCR-40-21 Sub A; and

WHEREAS, the City Council then adopted amended rules for the 2021-2022 session via PCR-92-21 Sub A; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to further amend the previously adopted rules in regard to Rule 27 to permit a motion for reconsideration to be seconded by any member.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Council Rules are hereby amended as follows:

[...]

RECONSIDERATION

Rule 27: When a vote has been passed, it shall be in order for any member voting with the prevailing side to move reconsideration thereof, in accordance with the provisions of these rules, at either the same or next subsequent meeting. The same Ordinance, Resolution or vote shall come but once before the City Council for reconsideration. A motion for reconsideration must be seconded by a member ~~of the prevailing side~~ and must be voted upon at the same meeting in which it is made.

If the motion for reconsideration is made at the next subsequent meeting and adopted, then the vote on the merits of the matter being reconsidered shall be docketed and voted upon at the following meetings, unless notice of the reconsideration matter was posted in accordance

1 with the Open Meetings Act, in which case, the vote on the merits of the matter being
2 reconsidered shall take place at the same meeting as the motion for reconsideration was adopted.

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6 This Resolution shall take effect upon passage.

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8 The Council Solicitor shall provide the Clerk a revised draft of the City Council Rules as
9 amended in its entirety, and the Clerk is directed to post the revised rules on the City of Warwick
10 website.

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12 SPONSOR: COUNCILMAN LADOUCEUR
13 COUNCILWOMAN TRAVIS

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15 COMMITTEE: INTERGOVERNMENTAL
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