

ORDINANCE NO. 114, 2017
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS
REPEALING ARTICLE III OF CHAPTER 15 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY
OF FORT COLLINS RELATING TO AMUSEMENT DEVICES AND PLACES

WHEREAS, the City has imposed a license requirement upon amusement devices and places, including but not limited to, pool tables, roller skating rinks, shooting galleries, and electronic game devices; and

WHEREAS, proprietors of such devices and places are required to obtain a license and pay a licensing fee on either a six-month or annual basis; and

WHEREAS, in response to citizen inquiry, the City Council has determined that circumstances in the community have changed since the original adoption of this license requirement making it no longer necessary to regulate these amusement devices and places for the benefit of the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the revenue from the licensing fees is insignificant in light of the City's budget; and

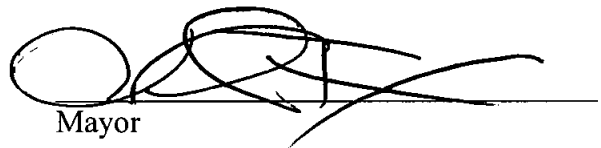
WHEREAS, it is the desire of City Council to amend Chapter 15 of the City Code to eliminate the license requirements for such devices and places.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS as follows:

Section 1. That the City Council hereby makes and adopts the determinations and findings contained in the recitals set forth above.

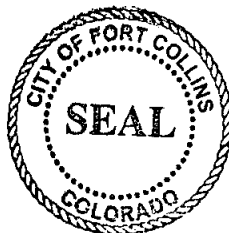
Section 2. That Article III of Chapter 15 of the Code of the City of Fort Collins is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Introduced, considered favorably on first reading, and ordered published this 15th day of August, A.D. 2017, and to be presented for final passage on the 5th day of September, A.D. 2017.

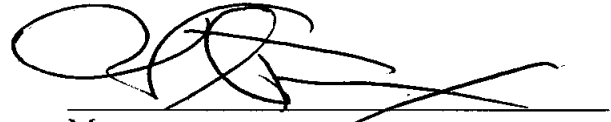

Mayor

ATTEST:


Interim City Clerk



Passed and adopted on final reading on the 5th day of September, A.D. 2017.



Mayor

ATTEST:



Chief Deputy City Clerk