Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	22-1632	**Version:**	1	**Name:**	10/3/22 Resolution Terminating the Local State of Emergency in Response to COVID-19
Type:	Resolution			**Status:**	Passed
File created:	10/3/2022			**In control:**	City Council
On agenda:	10/3/2022			**Final action:**	10/3/2022
Enactment date:	10/3/2022			**Enactment #:**	R-22-329

Title: Resolution Terminating the Local State of Emergency in Response to COVID-19

Sponsors: Jeff Hayner, Elizabeth Nelson

Indexes:

Code sections:

Attachments:

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
10/3/2022	1	City Council		
10/3/2022	1	City Council	Amended	Fail
10/3/2022	1	City Council	Approved	Pass

Resolution Terminating the Local State of Emergency in Response to COVID-19
Prepared by: Christopher Frost, Senior Assistant City Attorney
Whereas, On August 24, 2020 the City Council consented to the Mayor's declaration of a local state of emergency in response to the COIVD-19 pandemic (R-20-321);

Whereas, Since that time, the management of the COVID-19 pandemic has entered an ongoing phase and State and County states of emergency and health orders related to COVID-19 have expired or been rescinded;

Whereas, A declared state of emergency is no longer necessary for the City to take appropriate measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19;

Whereas, Preventive measures, such as vaccination, masking, social distancing, and isolation after contact have become established methods for controlling transmission of COVID-19;

Whereas, City Council recognizes that the threat to human health posed by COVID-19 continues to exist regardless of a declared state of emergency; and

Whereas, City Council therefore deems it prudent to continue requiring vaccination for persons appointed to boards and commissions and allowing electronic meetings for certain City boards and commissions;

RESOLVED, That City Council hereby terminates the local state of emergency effective immediately in accordance with City Code, Chapter 15, Section 1:327(3); and

RESOLVED, That the provisions of City Council Resolution R-21-418 (Resolution to Continue Electronic Meetings for Certain City Boards and Commissions After December 31, 2021) shall continue in effect, regardless of the termination of the local state of emergency.

Sponsored by: Councilmember Hayner