

**RESOLUTION NO. 39362** 

A RESOLUTION relating to committees, boards, and commissions; amending the Rules of Procedure of the Council of the City of Tacoma as follows: amend Rule 15 - Standing Committees, Section A, by removing item 4, Neighborhoods and Housing, as an established standing committee; and revise item 5, Public Safety, Human Services, and Education, by changing the name to Community Vitality and Safety.

WHEREAS, at the January 12, 2016, Study Session, the City Council discussed proposed amendments to the Rules of Procedure of the Council of the City of Tacoma ("Rules of Procedure"), Rule 15 - Standing Committees, Section A, and

WHEREAS Neighborhood and Housing Committee topic assignments often overlap with and can be reviewed more efficiently by other standing committees, and

WHEREAS, in order to provide more efficient meetings for the City Council and staff who prepare and attend the meetings, a recommendation was made to remove item 4, Neighborhoods and Housing, as an established standing committee, and have the topic assignments typically covered by that Committee moved to one of the other remaining standing committees, and

WHEREAS, in addition, a recommendation was made to change the name of the Public Safety, Human Services and Education Committee to "Community Vitality and Safety" Committee to better reflect the purpose of the Committee and the wide variety of topics discussed, and

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WHEREAS the reassignment of topics and other recommended changes are as set forth in the draft Standing Committee Process Manual, on file in the office of the City Clerk; Now, Therefore,

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the *Rules of Procedure of the Council of the City of Tacoma* City is hereby amended as follows: (1) amending Rule 15 - Standing Committees, Section A, by removing item 4, Neighborhoods and Housing, as an established standing committee; and (2) revising item 5, Public Safety, Human Services, and Education, by changing the name to Community Vitality and Safety, all as more specifically set forth in the proposed document on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted		
Attest:	Mayor	
City Clerk		
Approved as to form:		
City Attorney		