

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No.

WHEREAS, The Providence City Council enacted a lobbyist registration ordinance in 2013; and

WHEREAS, The Providence City Clerk began to implement the ordinance later that year; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-272 of the lobbyist registration ordinance provides that the City Council may periodically review the administration of the provisions of the ordinance and may take necessary legislative action to strengthen the administration and enforcement of it; and

WHEREAS, The City Council has not yet undertaken such a review to date, and

WHEREAS, The City Clerk's office has sufficient experience to make such a review worthwhile.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby requests that a representative from the City Clerk's office report to the Ordinance Committee concerning the administration of the lobbyist registration ordinance, and include in said report any appropriate suggestions or recommendations to strengthen the administration and enforcement of it.