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CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: July 26, 2023
SUBMITTED BY: Tamara Melton, City Administration
ITEM TYPE: Ordinance
AGENDA SECTION: BUSINESS/ADVERTISING, PETITIONS, HEARINGS & COMMUNICATIONS
SUBJECT: ORDINANCE 4013 - FIRST READING

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BRADENTON, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 26, ARTICLE II, SECTION 26-38, DISASTER EMERGENCIES; COUNCIL RESPONSIBILITY, TO ALLOW THE MAYOR OR VICE-MAYOR TO DECLARE A DISASTER EMERGENCY AND ISSUE EMERGENCY ORDERS IN THE EVENT THE QUORUM OF CITY COUNCIL CANNOT BE ATTAINED IN PERSON WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

SUGGESTED ACTION: No action is required at this meeting. This is the required first reading of the Ordinance. The second reading and public hearing is scheduled for August 9, 2023.

Is this item Quasijudicial?

No

Does this item require a public hearing?

No

EXPLANATION:

Ordinance 4013 would revise Section 26-38 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Bradenton to allow the Mayor or Vice-Mayor to declare a state of emergency, in the event a quorum of the City Council not be attained in person within a reasonable time.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

None

ATTORNEY REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION:

Attorney Rudacille reviewed and approved.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

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ATTACHMENTS:

[Ordinance 4013](#)