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### NARRAGANSETT TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM REPORT

**DATE:** December 18, 2023  
**FROM:** Mark A. Davis, Solicitor  
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**SUBJECT:**

A MOTION TO INTRODUCE, READ, PASS AND ACCEPT as a First Reading an ordinance in amendment of Chapter 731 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Narragansett entitled "Zoning" specifically Section 2.2 entitled "Definitions" (Households).

**SUGGESTED ACTION:**

On November 6, 2023, the Town Council referred the proposed amendment of Chapter 731 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Narragansett entitled "Zoning", specifically Section 2.2 entitled "Definitions" to amend the definition of Households.

The Town recently passed a zoning ordinance limiting the number of College Students to a maximum of three per dwelling. Narragansett ordinances currently prohibit more than four unrelated persons from residing in a dwelling. For consistency and enforcement purposes, and for the reasons provided in the adoption of the three college student ordinance, it is prudent to reduce the number of unrelated persons in a dwelling from four to three.

The Planning Board reviewed this ordinance amendment at their November 27, 2023 meeting.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[Ordinance Amendments Definitions Housholds - 3-unrelated.pdf](#)