

**MOORPARK CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA REPORT**

TO: Honorable City Council

FROM: Jeff Matson, Captain 

BY: Maureen Benson, Assistant City Clerk 

DATE: January 25, 2008 (CC Meeting of 02/06/08)

SUBJECT: Consider Resolution Establishing the Fine for Violations of Chapter 9.32, Social Host Ordinance of the Moorpark Municipal Code

DISCUSSION

Ordinance No. 367, amending Section 9.32.060.B of the Social Host Ordinance was adopted on December 5, 2007, with an effective date of February 15, 2008. This ordinance removed the specific fine amount for violations and added language to clarify that the fine amount would be set by resolution of the City Council.

This change enables Council to modify the fine amount by future resolution without adopting a new Ordinance. The City Council previously reviewed a draft resolution to implement the fine of \$2,500.00 in conjunction with review of Ordinance No. 367 and directed staff to schedule the fine resolution for the first meeting in February 2008, with an effective date to coincide with the effective date of Ordinance No. 367.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION**ROLL CALL VOTE**

Adopt Resolution No. 2008-_____.

Attachment: Resolution

ATTACHMENT

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOORPARK, CALIFORNIA, ESTABLISHING THE FINE FOR VIOLATIONS OF CHAPTER 9.32, SOCIAL HOST, OF THE MOORPARK MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 338 established Chapter 9.32, Social Host, of the Moorpark Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 367 amended Section 9.32.060.B of the Moorpark Municipal Code to remove the specific fine amount for violations of Chapter 9.32, and to add language clarifying that the fine amount would be set by resolution of the City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOORPARK DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby approves a fine amount of \$2,500.00 for any violation of Chapter 9.32, Social Host, of the Moorpark Municipal Code, which fine amount shall be in addition to any recovery of response costs that might be imposed under Section 9.32.070 of the Municipal Code.

SECTION 2. The fine for violations of the Chapter 9.32, Social Host, shall be reviewed annually by the City Manager and Police Chief to ensure that the fine is current and related to actual cost.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall be effective upon the effective date of Ordinance No. 367, February 15, 2008.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this resolution and shall cause a certified resolution to be filed in the book of original resolutions.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of February, 2008.

Patrick Hunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Maureen Benson, Assistant City Clerk

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