

Ordinance Fact Sheet

TO: CITY COUNCIL

DATE: August 14, 2006

FROM: CITY ATTORNEY

SUBJECT: AN UNCODIFIED ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA SUSPENDING SECTIONS 9.36.220 AND 9.36.230 OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO LIMITATIONS ON HOURS OF OPERATION OF AMPLIFIED SOUND AND GENERAL NOISE SOURCES FOR SPECIFIED HOURS AND AREAS ON SEPTEMBER 9, SEPTEMBER 30, OCTOBER 7, OCTOBER 28 AND NOVEMBER 11, 2006 (UCLA FOOTBALL)

TITLE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE:

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PURPOSE OF ORDINANCE:

This proposed ordinance is brought forward at the request of the Rose Bowl Operating Company. It will extend the hours for amplified sound and general noise sources on UCLA game days, but it will not suspend the decibel limitations in the code or otherwise allow sound or noise beyond the established levels. Specifically, it will allow amplified sound and general noise sources until 11 p.m. on Saturday, September 9, Saturday, September 30, Saturday, October 7, Saturday, October 28 and Saturday, November 11, 2006 for five UCLA football games that could potentially be played at night. The proposed ordinance will not increase the allowable level of amplified sound and general noise sources on the specified days. This proposed ordinance is required for the event to take place, and is being brought forward this evening at the request of the Rose Bowl Operating Company because of timing considerations.

MEETING OF 08/14/2006

AGENDA ITEM NO. 11.A.(2)

REASON WHY LEGISLATION IS NEEDED:

The Noise Ordinance was enacted by ordinance and can only be suspended by an ordinance of the City Council.

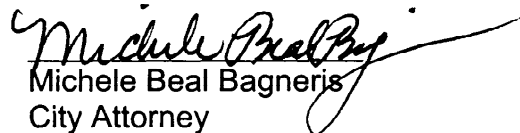
FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

There is no fiscal impact from suspending the noise ordinance.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:

The impacts of suspending Sections 9.36.220 (amplification sound regulations) and 9.36.230 (general noise sources) of the Noise Restrictions Ordinance of the Pasadena Municipal Code is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under CEQA Guidelines Section 15323 Normal Operations of Facilities for Public Gatherings.

Respectfully submitted,


Michele Beal Bagneris
City Attorney

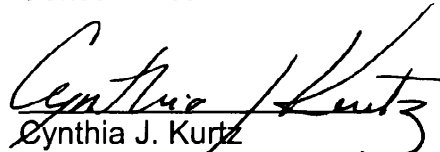
Prepared by:



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Nicholas George Rodriguez
Sr. Assistant City Attorney

Concurrence:


Cynthia J. Kurtz
City Manager

Introduced by Councilmember

ORDINANCE NO. _____

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SECTION 1. The People of the City of Pasadena ordain as follows:

Sections 9.36.220(B) and 9.36.230(B)(9) of the Pasadena Municipal Code are suspended from the hours of 10:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on September 9, September 30, October 7, October 28 and November 11, 2006, for events at the Rose Bowl area for which a valid license agreement is in force and effect, but with respect to hours of operation, only, and not with respect to the imitations on the maximum levels of amplified sound or noise ordinarily specified for activity taking place prior to 10:00 p.m., which shall remain in effect.

SECTION 2. The City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this Ordinance and shall cause this Ordinance to be published in full text.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its publication.

Signed and approved this __ day of _____, 2006.

Bill Bogaard
Mayor of the City of Pasadena

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was adopted by the City Council at its meeting held _____, 2006, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Published:

JANE L. RODRIGUEZ, CLC
CITY CLERK

Approved as to form:

 8/7/06

Nicholas George Rodriguez
Assistant City Attorney