

**CITY OF TAMARAC
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM
CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Commission

FROM: Hans Ottinot
Interim City Attorney

DATE: March 10, 2021

RE: Ordinance Amending Code Section 2-34, entitled "Comprehensive Procedures for City Commission Meetings," subsection k, entitled "Voting Procedures"

Temp. Ordinance No. 2461

RECOMMENDATION:

This Ordinance is for your consideration and adoption.

ISSUE:

The City's code provides comprehensive procedures regulating City Commission meetings. Recently, the City Commission made several changes to the procedure and in its discussions, determined that it wanted to change the current procedure for voting at meetings. On first reading, the City Commission considered adding the Mayor to the rotation. However, the City Commission determined that it would be in the best interests of the City if the Mayor voted first, with the rest of the members voting in random order. The ordinance on 2nd reading accomplishes this and adds that the voting procedure can be changed after each election by resolution.