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COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

Meeting: March 20, 2018

Subject

Social Host Responsibility Ordinance

Recommended Action

1. Conduct second reading of Ordinance No. 18-2172: "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino adding Chapter 10.05 "Social Host Responsibility" to the Cupertino Municipal Code, Article 10 "Public Peace and Morals" to deter underage drinking and drug use during events/gatherings"; 2. Enact Ordinance No. 18-2172.

Discussion

On March 6, 2018, the City Council introduced and conducted the first reading of Ordinance No. 18-2172, recommended by the Teen and Public Safety Commissions. Council voted to schedule the second reading without substantive changes. The final ordinance fixes typographical errors, no substantive changes were made.

Additionally, as requested by Council, Attachment B provides information on penalties associated with Social Host Ordinances in Santa Clara County. As shown in the chart, penalties range from a warning to \$2,000 fines plus the cost of responding to the incident and can range from administrative citations to misdemeanor criminal charges. The proposed penalties are within the range of penalties imposed in most other ordinances.

Sustainability Impact

No impact.

Fiscal Impact

None.

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Attachments:

A – Draft Ordinance No. 18-2172

B – Social Host Ordinance Penalties