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DATE: OCTOBER 6, 2026
TO: CITY COUNCIL
FROM: AMY AUGUSTINE, CITY PLANNER

RE: Review and Discussion of Temporary Signage Regulations

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the City Council review and discuss the temporary signage provisions of Angels Municipal Code Chapter 17.62 and provide direction to staff regarding whether additional review or potential amendments should be considered.

BACKGROUND:

The City's sign regulations establish standards governing temporary signage within the City. The current regulations address temporary signs in residential and nonresidential areas, the Historical Commercial Zoning District, temporary political signs, event-related signs, and other temporary signage.

Among other provisions, the current code establishes permitting requirements and exemptions, limits the amount and duration of certain temporary signage, and establishes specific requirements for temporary signs within different zoning districts.

DISCUSSION:

Staff is bringing this matter forward to encourage a general Council review and discussion of the City's temporary signage regulations and to determine whether the current provisions remain practical, clear, and appropriate for the community.

The Council may wish to consider such issues as:

- Whether the current temporary sign regulations are sufficiently clear and easy for businesses, residents, and community organizations to understand;
- Whether the existing permitting requirements and exemptions are appropriate;
- The current limits on the size, number, and duration of temporary signs;
- Differences between temporary signage requirements in residential, nonresidential, and Historical Commercial areas;
- Regulations affecting banners, event signs, political signs, real estate signs, and other commonly used temporary signage;
- Whether the regulations appropriately balance community aesthetics, traffic and pedestrian safety, property rights, and the ability of businesses and organizations to communicate with the public; and
- Whether staff should return with specific recommendations or potential amendments for further Council consideration.

The current code, for example, generally requires temporary signs outside the Historical Commercial District to obtain a sign permit unless an identified exception applies, while certain nonresidential temporary signs are limited to a specified amount of signage and up to 100 days per calendar year.

The purpose of this agenda item is discussion and direction only. No amendment to the Municipal Code is proposed as part of this item.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no immediate financial impact associated with reviewing and discussing the City's temporary signage regulations. If the Council directs staff to develop proposed amendments, any associated staff time or legal review would be handled through the City's normal administrative processes.

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1) Angels Municipal Code Chapter 17.62 – Sign Regulations

