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MEMORANDUM

City Attorney's Office

Date: September 9, 2026

To: Mayor Jackola and City Council
From: Tre' Kennedy, City Attorney
Subject: Public Defender Contract Renewal

Introduction

At the conclusion of the August City Council meeting staff was requested to draft language addressing the parking of refrigerated trucks in the vicinity of residential neighborhoods or noise sensitive areas (property normally used for sleeping, or normally used as a school, church, hospital or public library).

Current Report

Attached, please find Ordinance 2026-07, Ordinance No. 3049 which adds subsection L to the list of per se violations set forth in LMC 8.10.050. Subsection L prohibits:

The parking of any vehicle or trailer in, or in the vicinity of, a residential zone or noise sensitive area, between the hours of nine p.m. and seven a.m. while any motor, engine or auxiliary motor engine, including but not limited to those for refrigeration or electrical generation purposes, is in operation so as to create unreasonable noise.

Requested Action

Staff recommends that the City Council approve the Ordinance.