



Public Safety & Health Committee - Board of Representatives

Gloria DePina, Chair

Matthew Quinones, Vice Chair

Committee Report

Date: Monday, February 6, 2017

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: Democratic Caucus Room, 4th Floor Government Center,
888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford CT

The Public Safety & Health Committee will meet as indicated above. In attendance were Vice Chair Quinones and Committee Member Reps. Caterbone, Coppola, Giraldo, Moore and Zelinsky. Absent or excused were Chair DePina and Committee Member Reps. Adams and Kolenberg. Also present were Reps. de la Cruz and Ryan; Dr. Jennifer Calder, Health Director and Ted Jankowski, Director of Public Safety, Health and Welfare.

Vice Chair Quinones called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Item No.	Description	Committee Action
1. PS29.072	ORDINANCE <u>for final adoption</u> ; Establishing Requirements to Assist in Saving Water with Professionally-Installed Irrigation Systems. 10/07/16 – Submitted by Mayor Martin 10/19/16 – Held in Committee 11/30/16 – Approved by Committee, as amended 01/19/17 – Public Hearing held	Approved 4-0-2

Committee members discussed the current water levels with Dr. Calder and Mr. Jankowski. They explained that the water levels are improving but there is an ongoing conservation effort. The two big factors which contributed to the current drought are nature and the use of irrigation systems. These sensors cost between \$70 and \$200. A motion to approve this ordinance was made, seconded and approved by a vote of 4-0-2 (Reps. Quinones, Giraldo, Moore and Zelinsky in favor; Reps. Caterbone and Coppola abstaining).

Vice Chair Quinones adjourned the meeting at 6:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Matthew Quinones, Vice Chair

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