

FINANCE COMMITTEE

10-0398R

RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT PROVIDE THE COUNCIL INFORMATION REGARDING THE USE AND SALE OF THE SUBSTANCE K2 WITHIN DULUTH.

BY COUNCILOR FEDORA:

WHEREAS, the use of the substance commonly referred to as K2, a blend of herbs treated with synthetic marijuana which when inhaled can produce hallucinogenic effects, has raised public safety concerns nationally; and

WHEREAS, while the drug enforcement agency is currently reviewing the chemical properties of K2, it is currently unregulated and sold over the counter.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the city council hereby requests that the Duluth police department provide the council with information regarding the sale and use of K2 within the city of Duluth to help determine whether regulation is needed.

Approved as to form:

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Attorney

CCREQ/ATTY     GBJ:cjk     7/12/2010

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution requests the police department provide the city council information regarding the use and sale of the substance commonly referred to as K2 within the city to help determine whether regulation is needed.