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TO

DATE:

March 27, 2008

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council Room 400, City Hall

Attention: Ms. Karen Randle

City Council Bill #08-0051 has been introduced for the purpose of increasing the prepayable citation penalties for certain sanitary maintenance offenses; and correcting certain cross-references to those offenses.

This bill, if passed, would increase the prepayable penalties associated with certain violations of the Property Maintenance Code for residential and commercial properties. The increases are proposed to increase by \$50 for residential properties from \$50 to \$100 and to increase by \$100 for commercial properties from \$100 to \$250.

It is not expected that additional staff would be required due to passage of the proposed legislation. Consequently, there is no expectation of fiscal impact.

The Department of Finance supports approval of Council Bill #08-0051.

cc: Edward J. Gallagher Angela Gibson

