

AMENDMENT NO. 1
TO
RESOLUTION NO. RS2021-837

Mr. President –

I hereby move to amend Resolution No. RS2021-837 by amending the ballot summary for the proposed amendment to the Metropolitan Charter as follows:

This amendment provides that the Metropolitan Government’s exercise of power pertaining to government-owned property, and the Council’s authority to set property tax levies, are subject to a public referendum only as required by state law, and that any automatic reversion of the property tax levy shall be as specifically authorized by state law. This amendment defines “benefits” for elected officials as health insurance provided for elected officials taking office after September 1, 2023. This amendment ~~would provide~~ provides that if there is a conflict between the Council’s authority to enact ordinances under Section 3.05 and any provision of Article 18 of the Charter (other than the rezoning of property), Section 3.05 will prevail. This amendment adds a definition for “professional sports team” to mean an entity operating a sports team that commences operations within Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County after the effective date of this amendment and participates in the National Football League, National Basketball Association, National Hockey League, Major League Soccer, or Major League Baseball. This amendment retains the Charter’s existing processes and requirements for the recall of elected officials and amendments to the Charter, to prevail over any provisions in Sections 15.07, 15.08, or 19.04 to the contrary.

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