THE CITY OF OKLAHOMA CITY OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNSELOR

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TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Kenneth Jordan

Municipal Counselor

<u>Proposed amendment</u> to Section 32-458, providing for a penalty. Councilwoman Salver

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO CHAPTER 32 OF THE OKLAHOMA CITY MUNICIPAL CODE, 2012, ENTITLED "MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC," TO PROVIDE CERTAIN REGULATIONS REGARDING PERSONS STANDING, SITTING, OR STAYING ON CERTAIN PUBLIC STREETS, HIGHWAYS, OR MEDIANS; AMENDING CHAPTER 32, ARTICLE I, SECTION 32-1 OF THE OKLAHOMA CITY MUNICIPAL CODE, 2010, TO INCLUDE A DEFINITION FOR "MEDIAN" AND TO AMEND THE DEFINITION FOR "EMERGENCY;" AMENDING CHAPTER 32, ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 32-458 OF THE OKLAHOMA CITY MUNICIPAL CODE, 2010, TO DELETE ALL CURRENT WORDING IN SAID SECTION 32-458 AND TO PROVIDE REGULATIONS RELATING TO PERSONS STANDING, SITTING, OR STAYING ON CERTAIN PUBLIC STREETS, HIGHWAYS, OR MEDIANS; FURTHER PROVIDING A PURPOSE FOR SUCH REGULATIONS AND FOR CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS TO SUCH REGULATION AND PROVIDING A PENALTY.

by adding a new paragraph (e) to the proposed amendment of Section 32-458 of Article XIII of Chapter 32 of The Oklahoma City Municipal Code, 2010 so that it is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 32-458. Pedestrians soliciting rides, business or donations from vehicle occupants. Standing, sitting, or staying on any street, highway, or median.

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(e) Any person who violated the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not to exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). No court costs or statutory fees shall be assessed.