



# City of Lauderhill, FL

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## File Details

**File Number: 12R-2041**

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**Reference:**

**In Control:** City Commission

**File Created:** 11/08/2016

**File Name:** Ord-Lobbyist Activities Registration Fee

**Final Action:**

**Title:** ORDINANCE NO. 160-11-153: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL AMENDING THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 2, ADMINISTRATION; ARTICLE II, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES; DIVISION 1, GENERALLY; SECTION 2-24, LOBBYING ACTIVITIES; REINSERTING THE PROVISION REGARDING LOBBYIST REGISTRATION FEES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE (REQUESTED BY CITY MANAGER, CHARLES FARANDA) .

**Notes:**

**Sponsors:**

**Enactment Date:**

**Attachments:** ORD-160-11-153-Code 2-24 Lobbying activities Registration Fee.docx, ORD-160-09-148-Code 2-24 Lobbying activities.pdf

**Enactment Number:**

**Contact:**

**Hearing Date:**

\* **Drafter:** angel petti rosenberg

**Effective Date:**

### History of Legislative File

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#### Text of Legislative File 12R-2041

##### Request Action:

To re-inert the inadvertent deletion of the section regarding lobbyist registration fees in Code section 2-24.

##### Need:

To re-insert the provision regarding lobbyist registration fees that was inadvertently deleted.

##### Summary Explanation/ Background:

Ordinance 160-09-148 was just recently passed on October 31, 2016 which deleted all of the City Code of Ordinances Section 2-24 to provide that all lobbyist activities shall be governed by State law

and the amended Broward County Ethics Code. This amendment to the code inadvertently also deleted the provision which authorized the setting of the lobbyist registration fee via Resolution which is already in existence and which was intended to remain in existence. This Ordinance merely replaces the provision which was inadvertently deleted when the other sections of the code were removed.

**Attachments:**

Ordinance No. 16O-09-148.

**Cost Summary/ Fiscal Impact:**

None.

**Estimated Time for Presentation:**

**Master Plan:**

**Goal 1: Clean, Green Sustainable Environment**

- Increase mass transit ridership
- Reduce City energy consumption
- Reduce water consumption

**Goal 2: Safe and Secure City of Lauderhill**

- Crime in lower 50% in Broward
- Residents feel safe in neighborhood
- Reduce emergency fatalities

**Goal 3: Open Spaces and Active Lifestyle for all ages**

- Increase participation in youth sports
- Add new park land and amenities
- Increase attendance at cultural programs and classes

**Goal 4: Growing Local Economy, Employment and Quality of Commercial Areas**

- Increase commercial tax base
- Increase employment in Lauderhill businesses
- Decrease noxious and blighted uses in commercial areas

**Goal 5: Quality Housing at all Price Ranges and Attractive Communities**

- Neighborhood signs and active HOAs
- Housing & streets improved, litter reduced
- Increase proportion of single family homes and owner occupied housing

**Goal 6: Efficient and Effective City Government, Customer Focused & Values Diversity**

- Improves City efficiency
- Increase use of Information Technology
- Increases residents perception of Lauderhill as an excellent place to live

**ORDINANCE NO. 160-09-148**

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. The City of Lauderhill Code of Ordinances, Chapter 2, Administration, Article II, Officers and Employees, Division 1, Generally, Section 2-24, Lobbying activities, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 2-24. – Lobbying activities.**

~~(a) *Definitions.* All definitions contained in F.S. § 112.312 and Broward County Code section 1-19, Code of ethics for elected officials, as now existing or as may be amended, are incorporated herein, as applicable to their respective legislation.~~

~~(b) *Lobbying registration and statements.*~~

~~(1) Every lobbyist shall file with the city clerk the information as required by Broward County Code section 1-19, Code of ethics for elected officials. Should any part of section 1-19 of the Broward County Code be declared invalid, it shall not otherwise affect the validity of the remaining provisions of the Code, which shall be deemed to have been enacted without the invalid provision.~~

~~(2) A lobbyist shall annually submit to the city clerk's office a signed statement, under oath, listing all lobbying expenditures and sources from which funds for making such expenditures have come and all gifts of any kind given to any elected or appointed official or employee of the city. The statement of expenditures and gifts given shall be for the period from July 1 to June 30, and shall be filed no later than July 30 of each year. Lobbying expenditures shall not include personal expenses for lodging, meals and travel. Such~~

~~statements shall be rendered in the form provided by the city clerk and shall be open to public inspection. A statement shall not be required if there have been no more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) in expenditures reporting period.~~

~~(c) *Notification by sign.* A sign shall be prominently displayed which shall notify the lobbyists that they must register with the city clerk.~~

~~(d) *Penalties.* Violation of any provision of this section shall be punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days, or both. A violation of subsection (b)(1) of this section shall be waived if the lobbyist submits a lobbyist appearance record as required by subsection (b)(1).~~

~~(e) *Registration fee.* An annual lobbyist registration fee may be established by resolution adopted by the city commission. Such fee shall be for the purpose of providing funding to the city to offset the cost of recording, transcription, administration or any other costs incurred in compiling and maintaining these records and making them available to the public.~~

All lobbying activities shall be governed by Florida Statutes, Section 112.312 and Broward County Code Section 1-19, Code of Ethics for Elected Officials, as now existing or as may be amended from time to time.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances, all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed as to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

PASSED on first reading this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on second reading this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

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