

**GENERAL FACT SHEET**

BILL NUMBER 09-151

BRIEF TITLE	APPROVAL DEADLINE	REASON
False Alarm Ordinance		

**DETAILS** **POSITIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS**

<p>Amending Chapter 5.56 of the Lincoln Municipal Code relating to Emergency Alarm Systems by amending Section 5.56.010 to add and revise definitions; amending Section 5.56.020 to make words and phrases consistent with the definitions; adding a new Section 5.56.025 to specify procedures relating to the permitting of alarm businesses, to specify the length of time a permit remains valid, to specify the fee for an alarm business permit, to specify the time period allowed for renewal of alarm business permits, and to provide a fee for failure to obtain a permit; amending Section 5.56.030 to require permits for all alarm users, to specify the length of time a permit remains valid, to specify the time period allowed for renewal of alarm user permits, and to provide for a permit fee; amending Section 5.56.040 to require an alarm business to immediately notify the alarm user of an alarm, to provide a procedure for notification of the Emergency Communications/911 Center of an emergency alarm, and to delete requirements that notification be made by the Chief of Police; amending Section 5.56.050 to establish a fee schedule for false alarms to be assessed to the alarm user during the alarm user permit term and other fees; adding a new Section 5.56.055 to provide an appeal process; adding a new Section 5.56.065 relating to the process for notices and service of the same; amending Section 5.56.080 to change the penalty language to include a \$50-\$500 fine for violation of Section 5.56.020; adding a new Section 5.56.090 to establish a severability section for Chapter 5.56; and repealing Sections 5.56.010, 5.56.020, 5.56.030, 5.56.040, 5.56.050 and 5.56.080 of the Lincoln Municipal Code as hitherto existing.</p>	Sponsor	Lincoln City Council member John Spatz
	Program Departments, or Groups Affected	
	Applicants/Proponents	<p>Applicant: - - John Spatz</p> <p>City Department: - - City Council</p> <p>Other</p>
	Opponents	<p>Groups or Individuals</p> <p>Basis of Opposition</p>
Discussion (Including Relationship to other Council Actions)	Staff Recommend.	<input type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against Reason Against

	Board or Commission Recommend.	BY <input type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against <input type="checkbox"/> No Action Taken <input type="checkbox"/> For with revisions or conditions (See Details column for conditions)
	CITY COUNCIL ACTIONS (For Council Use Only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Pass (As Amended) <input type="checkbox"/> Council Sub. <input type="checkbox"/> Without Recommendation <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Do not Pass

**DETAILS** **POLICY/PROGRAM IMPACT**

	<b>POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
	<b>OPERATIONAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT</b>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">-</p>
	<b>FINANCES</b>	
	<b>COST AND REVENUE PROJECTIONS</b>	COST of total project: <span style="float: right;">\$</span> COST of this Ordinance/ Resolution <span style="float: right;">\$</span>
		RELATED annual operating Costs <span style="float: right;">\$</span>
		INCREASE REVENUE EXPECTED/YEAR <span style="float: right;">\$</span>
	<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS</b>	CITY [Approximately] _____ \$ _____ %
		- _____ \$ _____ %
		- _____ \$ _____ %
		- _____ \$ _____ %
NON CITY [Approximately] _____ \$ _____ %		
- _____ \$ _____ %		
- _____ \$ _____ %		

	<b>BENEFIT COST</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Front Foot Assessment <input type="checkbox"/> Square Foot _____	Average \$ _____ \$ _____
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APPLICABLE DATES:

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY: - - - Tammy Grammer

REVIEW BY:

REFERENCE NUMBER