

ORDINANCE NO. 13-1514

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, REPEALING VARIOUS PORTIONS OF CARSON MUNICIPAL CODE § 2409(B) RELATING TO COUNCILMEMBERS OBTAINING THE FLOOR TO SPEAK

NOW, THEREFORE, the CITY COUNCIL of the CITY of CARSON, CALIFORNIA, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 2409(B) of the Carson Municipal Code is repealed, in part, as follows:

“B. Getting the Floor. Every council member, desiring to speak shall request recognition means of the electronic queuing system provided in the council chambers, and every councilmember, shall be recognized to speak in the exact order in which they have indicated their request to speak on the electronic queuing system. Upon recognition by the Presiding Officer, every councilmember, shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personalities and indecorous language.”

Section 2. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council of the city of Carson hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, phrases, or portions thereof may be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after its second reading and adoption.

Section 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Ordinance by the City Council of the city of Carson and shall cause a summary of this ordinance to be published in accordance with Government Code § 36933.

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PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council
on this ____ day of April, 2013.

Mayor Jim Dear

ATTEST:

City Clerk Donesia L. Gause, CMC

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney

