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Staff Report

Keeping or Maintaining Chickens Within the City of Annapolis – For the purpose of eliminating the sunset provision set forth in Ordinance 53-11 Amended pertaining to keeping or maintaining chickens within the City of Annapolis.

On April 9, 2012 the Annapolis City Council adopted Ordinance 53-11. Section II of Ordinance 53-11 Amended included an expiration (or “sunset”) provision that would cause the Ordinance to expire on April 9, 2015 and would cause all permits and approvals granted pursuant to that Ordinance to expire unless the City Council took further action to prevent the abrogation of Ordinance 53-11 Amended. Adoption of O-8-15 would eliminate the uncodified sunset provision of Section II of Ordinance 53-11 Amended so that those citizens who keep or maintain chickens within the City of Annapolis may continue to do so.

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