

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position on Senate Bill (SB) 907 (Archuleta), which would strengthen State laws related to Driving Under the Influence (DUI).

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Lee – Rodriguez),
SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

RESOLVE to include in the City's 2025-26 State Legislative Program SUPPORT for SB 907 (Archuleta), which would add gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated and gross vehicular manslaughter to the violent felony list as well as strengthen DUI enforcement and sentencing laws, particularly for repeat offenders.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For: Mid City West Neighborhood Council

Summary:

On September 15, 2026, your Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered a September 9, 2026 CLA report and a May 1, 2026 Resolution (Lee – Rodriguez), relative to establishing the City's position on SB 907 (Archuleta), which would strengthen State laws related to DUI. According to the Resolution, the bill would also allow for full, separate and consecutive terms for each conviction for these violations, as well as create mandatory sentences for hit-and-runs causing injury or death when the defendant has a prior conviction within the last ten years for DUI or gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, or vehicular manslaughter. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to recommend approval of the Resolution. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee

COUNCILMEMBER VOTE

HARRIS-DAWSON: YES

SOTO-MARTINEZ: YES

LEE: YES

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