

## RESOLUTION R17-14

### A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES AMENDING EXHIBIT A TO RESOLUTION NO. R16-33 BY SETTING FORTH THE ADMINISTRATIVE FINES FOR VIOLATIONS OF CHAPTER 9.18 OF THE PALOS VERDES ESTATES MUNICIPAL CODE

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES DOES  
HEREBY FIND, ORDAIN AND RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The City Council finds and declares as follows:

1. At its regular meeting on October 10, 2016 the City Council introduced Ordinance No. 16-718 ("Administrative Citation Ordinance") which adds Chapter 1.50, entitled "*Administrative Citations and Penalties*" and consisting of §§1.50.010 to 1.50.110, to Title 1 of the Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code ("PVEMC") and allows City enforcement officers to issue administrative citations for PVEMC violations. The Administrative Citation Ordinance allows fine amounts to be adopted by City Council resolution, pursuant to Government Code § 53069.4(a)(1).
2. On October 10, 2016, the City Council adopted the fine amounts attached as Exhibit "A" to Resolution No. 16-33 as the City's fine schedule for purposes of imposing fines pursuant to Chapter 1.50 of Title 1 of the PVEMC.
3. At its regular meeting on March 14, 2017 the City Council introduced Ordinance No. 17-721 ("Social Host Liability Ordinance") which adds Chapter 9.18, entitled "*Social Host Liability for Parties at which Underage Drinking Occurs*" and consisting of §§ 9.18.010 to 9.18.060, to Title 9 of the PVEMC and allows City enforcement officers to issue administrative citations for a violation of Chapter 9.18.
4. On March 28, 2017, the City Council conducted a duly noticed public hearing and accepted and considered all of the public testimony on the issue. The City Council finds that such fines are necessary to preserve the health, safety and welfare of the City by deterring "hosts" and conveying the severity of violations of Chapter 9.18.

SECTION 2: The fine amounts attached as Exhibit "A" to Resolution No. R16-33 are hereby amended to include the specific fine amounts for a violation of Chapter 9.18 of the Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code.

SECTION 3: The effective date for the fines coincides with the effective date of the Social Host Liability Ordinance, Ordinance No. 17-721.

SECTION 4: This Resolution is effective immediately upon adoption.

SECTION 5: The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 28th day of March 2017.

  
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Jennifer L. King, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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Vickie Kroneberger, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Christi Hogin, CITY ATTORNEY

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### EXHIBIT A

#### FINE SCHEDULE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION ORDINANCE

- A. Except as otherwise provided herein, violations of the Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code are subject to an administrative fine in the following amounts:
1. A fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for the first violation.
  2. A fine not exceeding two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for a second violation of the same provision within one year.
  3. A fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each additional violation of the same provision within one year of the first violation.
- B. Pursuant to Government Code section 53069.4, violations of any of the provisions of Title 15 of the Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code are subject to an administrative fine in the following amounts:
1. A fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for the first violation.
  2. A fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for a second violation of the same provision within one year.
  3. A fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) for each additional violation of the same provision within one year of the first violation.
- C. Notwithstanding the foregoing, violations of Chapter 9.18 of the Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code are subject to an administrative fine in the following amounts:
1. A fine not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for the first violation.
  2. A fine not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for a second violation of the same provision within one year.
  3. A fine not exceeding seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00) for each additional violation of the same provision within one year of the first violation.