



Littleton

Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** An ordinance on second reading amending Chapter 4 of Title 6 of the Littleton Municipal Code

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**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. Ordinance No. 28-2017, 2. SB 17-008 Concerning Legalizing Certain Knives

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
10/17/2017	2	City Council	approved	Pass
10/3/2017	1	City Council	approved	Pass

Agenda Date: 10/17/2017

**Subject:**  
An ordinance on second reading amending Chapter 4 of Title 6 of the Littleton Municipal Code

**Presented By:** Lena McClelland, Assistant City Attorney

**POLICY QUESTION:**

Does city council support amending Chapter 4 of Title 6 to remove references to and definitions of gravity knives and switchblade knives in alignment with state statute?

**BACKGROUND:**

In March, Governor Hickenlooper signed Senate Bill 17-008, which became effective in early August. The bill removes the definitions of "gravity knife" and "switchblade knife" from C.R.S. §18-12-101 and the reference to both types of knives from C.R.S. §18-12-102 (Possessing a dangerous or illegal weapon).

**STAFF ANALYSIS:**

In order to bring the city code into compliance with state statute, the City Attorney’s Office prepared an ordinance to update the code, specifically sections §§6-4-151 and 6-4-154, to reflect these changes.

**OPTIONS/ALTERNATIVES:**

Failure to update the city code will result in nonconformance with state statute.

**FISCAL IMPACTS:**

None.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approving the ordinance.

**PROPOSED MOTION:**

I move to adopt on second reading the ordinance amending Chapter 4 of Title 6 of the Littleton Municipal Code.