Lambert moved Amendment 1.

The motion carried.

May 25, 2021 DV Findings 1

Sponsor:

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AMENDMENT TO PROPOSED ORDINANCE 2021-0155, VERSION 2

On page 9, beginning on line 183, strike everything through line 193 and insert:

"S. The council finds that the COVID-19 pandemic has intensified the risk of

domestic and sexual violence and increased the need for domestic and sexual violence

services due to, among other things, the impact of stay-at-home orders contributing to

social isolation, separating survivors from their support networks, reducing the time

survivors have away from their abusers and diminishing access to childcare services,

food and education, as well as increased financial stress on families that can lead to

violence. The pandemic also has increased the severity and number of behavioral health

symptoms experienced by people across the county due to far-reaching medical,

economic, social and political consequences. The council therefore also finds that

additional funds for domestic and sexual violence and behavioral health services are

appropriate to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic and its negative economic impacts.

Domestic and sexual violence services may include behavioral health - trauma recovery

services and housing stability services utilizing the Domestic Violence Housing First

model to help domestic and sexual violence survivors address barriers to housing

17 stability."

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- EFFECT prepared by A. Kim: The amendment would amend subsection 1.S of the 19
- 20 Findings to state that domestic and sexual violence services may include behavioral
- health trauma recovery services and housing stability services utilizing the Domestic 21
- Violence Housing First model to help domestic and sexual violence survivors address 22
- 23 barriers to housing stability.