ARTICLE 34. MOTION TO RECONSIDER

34.01 Motion to Reconsider

Once a motion has been voted on, any Member who voted on the prevailing side may bring a motion to reconsider and, if such motion is seconded, it shall be open to debate and dealt with.

34.02 Reconsider at Same Meeting

When a motion to reconsider is made at the same meeting at which the question to be reconsidered was dealt with, the motion shall be resolved at that meeting and shall require the support of a majority of the Members present.

34.03 Reconsider at Subsequent Meeting

Where a motion to reconsider is made at a meeting subsequent to that at which the question to be reconsidered was dealt with, the motion shall be initiated by a notice of motion given pursuant to Article 20 and shall require the support of two-thirds of the Members present in order for the motion to be carried.

34.04 Debate on Motion for Reconsideration

Debate on a motion to reconsider shall be confined to reasons for or against reconsideration.

34.05 Affirmative Vote - Next Order of Business - Exception

If a motion to reconsider is carried, such reconsideration shall become the next order of business, unless the motion calls for a future definite date for the reconsideration.

34.06 Debate on Question Being Reconsidered

Debate on the question being reconsidered shall proceed as though it had not been previously voted on.

34.07 Limited to Two Reconsiderations

During a term of Council, a maximum of two motions to reconsider a Council decision shall be permitted within a 12-month period following the vote on the original question, after which the Council decision shall not be reconsidered for the remainder of the Council term.

34.08 No Delay of Action

A notice of motion to reconsider of any Council decision shall not operate to stop or delay any action in furtherance of that decision, unless Council so directs by a twothirds majority vote.

34.09 Reconsideration of Council Decision by Committee

Once Council has decided a motion, a Committee may not seek to reconsider the same issue, nor consider any other issue which could create a result inconsistent with Council's decision, unless a motion to reconsider is authorized by a two-thirds majority of Council Members.