

LEGISLATIVE #

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Petition PB-12-53 TCH. City of Gainesville. Amend the Land Development Code to allow the local exemption for dogs in designated outdoor portions of public food service establishments in accordance with F.S. 509.233.

Planning Manager Ralph Hilliard gave the staff presentation and noted that the applicable State requirements are substantial, should a local government choose to enact regulations that allow dogs in outdoor seating areas of restaurants. Plan Board Member Amish Sharma expressed concerns about potential sanitation issues, and articulated her opinion that dogs are best excluded from restaurants, notwithstanding her support for vibrant public spaces.

Motion By: Crystal Goodison	Seconded By: Pete Johnson
Moved To: Approve Petition PB-12-53 TCH.	Upon Vote: 4:1 (Nay, Amisha Sharma)