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MARCH 1, 2011 ANNUAL CITY MEETING--  
PROPOSED CHARTER CHANGE RE:  
CITY COUNCIL RULES, LEGAL MAJORITY

In the year Two Thousand Ten.....

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Burlington, as follows:

That WHEREAS, the City Council Charter Change Committee hereby recommends that the following question be placed on the 2011 Annual City Meeting ballot;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the following question be placed on the ballot of the Annual City Meeting to be held March 1, 2011:

“Shall the Charter of the City of Burlington, Acts of 1949, No. 298 as amended be further amended to amend Sec. 48 thereof to read as follows:

Sec. 48. Enumerated.

The city council shall have power:

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(46) to enact and enforce rules for its government and for the government of the ~~board of aldermen~~ city council. Notwithstanding 1 V.S.A. Sec. 172, the city council may enact rules providing that as long as a quorum exists a valid majority for taking action may be a concurrence of a majority of those present and voting.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in accordance with 17 V.S.A. Sec. 2645, public hearings on the above-proposed amendment of the Burlington City Charter shall be held on Friday, January 14, 2011 at 12:00 noon and on Monday, January 24, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in Contois Auditorium, City Hall, Burlington, Vermont.

\* Material stricken out deleted.

\*\* Material underlined added.