Ordinance 85-2

To Amend Section 2.04.380 of Title 2 of the Bloomington Municipal Code Entitled "Order of Business of the Bloomington Common Council"

WHEREAS, The Bloomington Common Council desires to amend the rule establishing Order of Business,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON:

Section I. Section 2.04.380 of the Bloomington Municipal Code shall be repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

2.04.380 Order of business. (a) The council shall transact its business in the following order, but it may by majority vote amend the normal order of business:

I. Roll Call

II. Agenda Summation

III. Approval of Minutes

IV. Reports from:

a. Councilmembers
b. The Mayor and City Offices
c. Council Committees

V. Legislation for Second Readings and Resolutions

VI. First Readings

VII. Privilege of the Floor (This section of the agenda will be limited to 45 minutes maximum, with each speaker limited to five minutes.)

VIII. Adjournment

(b) Whenever possible, brief comments or questions concerning a statement made by a council member or any other person shall be made and addressed before further discussion proceeds, but more extensive discussion may occur later when the member raising the objection or question has been recognized to speak.

Section II. Severability. If any section, sentence, or provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the other parts of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid part, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section III. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 16 day of January, 1985.

Patricia A. Gross

PATRICIA GROSS, President
Bloomington Common Council

ATTEST:

Patricia Williams

PATRICIA WILLIAMS, City Clerk

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this day of , 1985.

Patricia Williams

PATRICIA WILLIAMS, City Clerk

SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this day of , 1985.

Tomilea Allison

TOMILEA ALLISON, Mayor
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This Ordinance, sponsored by Councilmember Mayer, amends the Order of Business rule of the Common Council to place Privilege of the Floor (formerly Petitions and Communications from the Public) after First Readings and prior to Adjournment on the Council agenda.

1/31/85

Signed copies:

1. Legal
2. Mayor