

# City of Fitchburg

## Committee or Commission Referral

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Direct Referral Initiated by:

Direct Referral Approved by:

Date Referred: June 13, 2006

Ordinance Number: 2006-O-12

Date to Report Back: July 11, 2006

Resolution Number:

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Drafted by: Steve Arnold

**TITLE:** AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL AND REENACT FITCHBURG ORD. SECTION 14.10: THE SMOKE-FREE FITCHBURG ORDINANCE

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### Background:

This ordinance modifies Chapter 14 of the Fitchburg Code of Ordinances to replace the current ban on smoking in certain public places with a comprehensive indoor smoking ban. (It also updates the title of the section and increases fines in Ord. Chapter 7.) It is based on a national model ordinance that has been widely supported by the public and local governments, including those in Appleton and Madison, Wisconsin. If enacted, this ordinance will fulfill the Common Council's obligation to protect Fitchburg residents and visitors from the known hazards of secondhand smoke.

Order	Referred To	Staff Contact	Place on Agenda For	Action Taken On Referral
1	Public Safety and Human Services	Ruth Becker	June 21, 27 or July 11, 2006	
2	CEDA	Zimmerman	June 22, 2006	
3	Finance	Roach	July 11, 2006	
4	Parks	Bartell	July 6, 2006	

Amendments: