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## Legal Department

**To:** Mayor and Members of the City Council

**From:** Judy K. Parks, City Attorney 

**Date:** December 12, 2014

**Subject:** Repeal of Chapter 17, section 17.31- Touching of Certain Entertainers Prohibited (Lap Dancing)

As you recall from last week's staff report presentation about this ordinance, direction was given to not pursue any of the options toward keeping this ordinance, and to repeal the present enactment from the municipal code.

This proposed ordinance is before you for first reading to accomplish that repeal.

**ORDINANCE NO.**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF AMES, IOWA, BY REPEALING CHAPTER 17, SECTION 17.31, TOUCHING OF CERTAIN ENTERTAINERS REGULATED, THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE STORY COUNTY DISTRICT COURT DECISIONS IN CASE NUMBERS AMCICI006542 AND AMCICI006544 HOLDING THAT THE ORDINANCE IS PREEMPTED BY STATE LAW; REPEALING ANY AND ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT TO THE EXTENT OF SUCH CONFLICT; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the City Council for the City of Ames, Iowa, that:

Section One. The Municipal Code of the City of Ames, Iowa shall be and the same is hereby amended by repealing Chapter 17, Section 17.31.

**“Sec. 17.31. TOUCHING OF CERTAIN ENTERTAINERS REGULATED. REPEALED”**

Section Two. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, if any.

Section Three. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Passed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

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Diane R. Voss, City Clerk

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Ann H. Campbell, Mayor