



MEMO

Legal Department

Item No. 9

To: Mayor Haila and Ames City Council

From: Mark O. Lambert, City Attorney

Date: December 6, 2019

Subject: Extension of deadline to move to Ames.

I am requesting that the Council approve an extension of my deadline for moving to Ames until August 31, 2020.

Because of a variety of factors, I have yet to find a home in Ames. My youngest daughter graduated from high school in May, and from June through end of November most of my spare time has been taken up with issues regarding my elderly parents.

The deadline was November 1, which I have obviously missed. I still plan to, and am excited about, moving to Ames but I am requesting additional time to do so. August 31 would give me enough time to take advantage of the prime house buying/selling season in Ames, but hopefully my move will be in the Spring or Summer.