

Wilmington, Delaware
November 1, 2019

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WHEREAS, the 107th Session of Wilmington City Council believes openness, transparency, and accountability are important policies; and

Sponsor:

WHEREAS, Wilmington City Council desires to expand the opportunity during the Committee of the Whole meetings for members of the public to use their three minutes to address council on any topic.

**Council
Member
McCoy**

WHEREAS, the Wilmington City Council believes that public comment should not be limited to items on the agenda; and

WHEREAS, Federal Communications Commission restrictions applicable to a government channel apply; and

WHEREAS, Council deems it appropriate to amend its Rules.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, that the Rules of the Council of the City of Wilmington are amended to require that “Rule 3” will include the following paragraph between the existing 1st and 2nd paragraphs:

“During the Committee of the Whole meeting members of the public may use their three minutes to address council on any topic. Public comment is not limited to items on the agenda. Federal Communications Commission restrictions applicable to a government channel apply”.

Passed by City Council,

Attest: _____
City Clerk

SYNOPSIS: Wilmington City Council desires to expand the opportunity during the Committee of the Whole meetings for members of the public to use their three minutes to address council on any topic. Public comment is not limited to items on the agenda. Federal Communications Commission restrictions applicable to a government channel apply.