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Hi Tammy - here is the text.
let me know if you need anything else!

From: Mainella, Lara
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amendments from the floor at the request of Ald. Verveer:

1. amend sec. 31.046(1)(b) to replace the phrase "one (1) hour" with "five (5) minutes".
2. amend sec. 31.046(1)(c) to replace the phrase "one (1) hour" with "five (5) minutes".
3. Authorizing the City Attorney to draft Amendments to the Substitute Ordinance and other City ordinances for the purpose of retaining the one-hour rule in all Urban Design Districts.
4. Authorizing the City Attorney to draft amendments to the Substitute Ordinance and other City ordinances for the purpose of applying the one-hour rule for noncommercial uses in Districts of Special Control.
5. Amending sec. 31.05(1)(a)1. in the Substitute Ordinance by adding the following 2 sentences (underlined) to 31.05(1)(a)1. (just need to read the underlined sentences into the record.) (this is to clarify the intent of the UDC that existing signs that have the technology for changeable copy will re-program their digital signs to match the new 5 minute rule)

31.05 NONCONFORMING SIGNS.

As an exercise of its police powers and authority to regulate for the health, safety and welfare of the public, the City recognizes only the following limited and enumerated circumstances under which a sign that does not meet to the requirements of this chapter may continue to be displayed:

- (1) (a) General Rule. Any existing sign (except an Advertising Sign) that complied with the requirements of this Chapter at the time of erection and becomes noncompliant with the requirements of this Chapter on the effective date of this Ordinance or subsequent amendment may continue to be displayed, and copy may be changed, under the following circumstances:
 1. There is no increase in gross area, net area, illumination, increase or addition of flashing, movement, or other features or characteristics prohibited by Sec 31 045 and no addition of features that would violate Sec 31 046(1) (Electronic Changeable Copy Signs). Existing signs with features fitting the description of any sign prohibited by 31.045(3)(f), (g), (h), or (i) shall be required to conform to the requirements of those subsections. Existing signs with features fitting the description of Electronic Changeable Copy Signs shall be required to conform to all requirements of 31.046(1) including but not limited to the applicable time limitations for changing copy or images.

6. Authorizing the City Attorney to make any other editorial changes to city ordinances necessary to