LEGISTAR #39125 - Body

DRAFTER'S ANALYSIS: This amendment allows the keeping of honeybees in employment districts as either a principle or accessory use. This amendment also amends the supplemental regulations for keeping of honeybees to limit the number of hives allowed to six unless the keeping of honeybees is determined to be the principle use of the lot. This amendment has been recommended by the Pollinator Protection Taskforce.

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The Common Council of the City of Madison do hereby ordain as follows:

1. Subdivision (i) of Subsection entitled “Keeping of Honeybees” of Section 28.151 entitled "Applicability” of Subchapter 28J: Supplemental Regulations of the Madison General Ordinances is created to read as follows:

“(i) In the Employment Districts:

1. No more than six (6) hives may be located on a lot unless the principal use of the lot is for the keeping of honeybees.”

2. Current Subdivision (i) of Subsection entitled “Keeping of Honeybees” of Section 28.151 entitled "Applicability” of Subchapter 28J: Supplemental Regulations of the Madison General Ordinances is hereby renumbered to Subdivision (j).

3. Table 28F-1 of Subsection (1) of Section 28.082 entitled “Employment District Uses” of the Madison General Ordinances is amended by amending therein the following:

“**Employment Districts**							
	TE	**SE**	**SEC**	**EC**	**IL**	**IG**	**Supplemental Regulations**
Agriculture							
Keeping of honeybees	P	P	P	P	P	P	Y
Accessory Uses and Structures							
Keeping of honeybees	P	P	P	P	P	P	Y”