

## **BACKGROUND**

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At the June 8, 2015 Plan Commission meeting, staff was asked to provide the current beekeeping requirements of the Municipal Code in response to Resolution #8-R-15 - Dalton/Meltzer, which is as follows:

Resolution #8-R-15 - Dalton/Meltzer

"Whereas, the City of Appleton approved amended language to allow for the keeping of honeybees on areas zoned Public Institution in 2011, and areas zoned Urban Farm in 2013,

Whereas, there have been no reported incidents or problems related to the maintained honeybee populations,

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved, the Appleton Municipal Code 3-52 be amended to include the following language:

"All zoned areas may, with the Health Officer's written consent, maintain up to 5 hives" and approved Beekeeping Permit requirements."