

ORDINANCE NO. 782

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH
AMENDING SECTION 2.04.020 OF THE HILLSBOROUGH MUNICIPAL CODE
RELATING TO “STUDY MEETINGS”**

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH HEREBY FINDS AND
ORDAINS:

WHEREAS, Section 2.04.020 of the Hillsborough Municipal Code outlines a procedure for the holding of “study meetings;” and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend the title of Section 2.04.020 of the Hillsborough Municipal Code from “study meetings” to “study sessions” to reflect the common name for informational study sessions of the City Council and for consistency with the section text; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend the Section 2.04.020 of the Hillsborough Municipal Code to strike the language stating that no minutes of study sessions shall be kept.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the Town of Hillsborough does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The recitals above are each incorporated by reference and adopted as findings by the City Council.

Section 2. Section 2.04.020 of the Hillsborough Municipal Code is hereby amended and restated to read as follows:

“2.04.020 – Study Sessions.

A study session of the city council may be held from time to time as part of a regular or special meeting agenda published in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act (Govt. Code Sections 54950 et seq.). However, no action shall be taken at any study session. The purpose of a study session shall be informational only.”

Section 3. This ordinance takes effect thirty (30) days after adoption.

Section 4. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, such invalidity has no effect on the other provisions or applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application and, to this extent, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

Section 5. The proposed action is exempt from environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines sections 15378(b)(2) and 15378(b)(5) as ongoing administrative or organizational activities that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.

Section 6. No less than five days prior to the adoption of this Ordinance, the City Clerk published a summary of this Ordinance in accordance with Government Code section 36933. The City Clerk will certify to the passage of this Ordinance by the City Council of the Town of Hillsborough, California, and cause a summary to be published once within fifteen (15) days after its adoption in accordance with Government Code section 36933.


Attest: City Clerk


Mayor of the Town of Hillsborough

ORDINANCE NO. 782 of the Town of Hillsborough introduced on February 14, 2022 and adopted on March 14, 2022, by the following vote of the City Council:

AYES:	Councilmembers	<u>Royse, Krolik, Chuang, Cole, May</u>
NOES:	Councilmembers	<u>None</u>
ABSENT:	Councilmembers	<u>None</u>
ABSTAIN:	Councilmembers	<u>None</u>