

# Business Impact Estimate

Proposed ordinance's title/reference:

**Ordinance #9-26**

An Ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Cape Coral, Florida, Providing for a Referendum to Consider the Adoption of Amendments to Section 4.06, "Mayor; Mayor Pro Tem," of the City of Cape Coral, Florida, Charter Concerning the Election of a Council Member to Serve as Mayor Pro Tem; Providing for Publication of a Notice of the Referendum Election; Providing for Severability and an Effective Date.

This Business Impact Estimate is provided in accordance with section 166.041(4), Florida Statutes.

In accordance with the provisions of controlling law, the City of Cape Coral hereby publishes the following information:

1. Summary of the proposed ordinance (must include a statement of the public purpose, such as serving the public health, safety, morals and welfare):  
**Proposal amends the Cape Coral City Charter to clarify that the election of the Mayor Pro Tem shall be by the majority vote of the City Council to be held at the first regular council meeting following each City General Election.**

2. An estimate of the direct economic impact of the proposed ordinance on private, for-profit businesses in the City of Cape Coral, if any:  
(a) An estimate of direct compliance costs that businesses may reasonably incur; *None anticipated. This is a procedural change in the Charter regarding the selection of the Mayor Pro Tem.*  
(b) Any new charge or fee imposed by the proposed ordinance or for which businesses will be financially responsible; *None. This is a procedural change in the Charter regarding the selection of the Mayor Pro Tem.*  
(c) An estimate of the City of Cape Coral regulatory costs, including estimated revenues from any new charges or fees to cover such costs. *None. This is a procedural change in the Charter regarding the selection of the Mayor Pro Tem.*

3. Good faith estimate of the number of businesses likely to be impacted by the proposed ordinance: *None anticipated. This is a procedural change in the Charter regarding the selection of the Mayor Pro Tem.*

4. Additional information the governing body deems useful (if any):  
*This is a procedural change in the Charter regarding the selection of the Mayor Pro Tem.*