

MEMORANDUM

TO: Charlotte City Council

FROM: Thomas M. Hitch, City Attorney

RE: **CITY ATTORNEY REPORT**

DATE: April 20, 2017

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The following is my report to the City Council on several issues in which our office has been engaged since the last Council meeting:

1. CNI Plastics. As I believe the City Manager may have informed you, I was successful in obtaining an order of summary disposition, ending the case in the City's favor. In addition to collecting the taxes of \$207,747.98, the order also provides that we recover the City's attorney fees, expert witness fees, and the like. The first installment of \$22,000 has been paid. There will probably be an additional \$4,000 collected when my final bill and the costs are tallied. I will be taxing those costs within the next seven days.

2. Charter Amendments. I have been working with the City Manager on the proposed charter amendment issues. I anticipate having an opinion for the Council within the next two weeks, and the drafts for review by the end of April.

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