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Limits an interim ordinance to a maximum of 12 months. Permits up to a six month extension for same reasons that toll running of the 60-day rule under Minn. Stat. § 15.99, subd. 3, paragraphs (d) and (e). This means an interim ordinance may be extended for up to six months if a state statute, federal law, or court order requires a process to occur before the municipality acts on the request, and the time periods prescribed in the state statute, federal law, or court order make it impossible to act on the request within the 12 months, or an application submitted to a municipality requires prior approval of a state or federal agency.

Under current law, an interim ordinance may be extended for up to a total of 18 additional months.

Specifies that an interim ordinance does not extend the time for a local government decision subject to the 60-day rule if the interim ordinance was enacted after an application subject to the 60-day rule was filed.