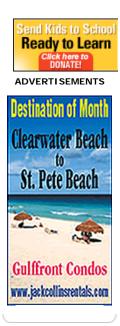
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City postpones impact-fee hike

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ORLANDO -- Orlando officials postponed plans Monday to raise impact fees by as much as \$6,147 to help pay for the cost of new roads.

The City Council was scheduled to hold the first of two public hearings on the measure Monday. But Mayor Buddy Dyer and city commissioners said they wanted to get more input from developers and residents before moving forward.

They're expected to take up the issue again July 24, with a final public hearing Aug. 28.

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