



Civil Service Commission

Civil Service Rules and Regulations

Amendments Directed by Council Re:

Secretary and Recorder

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Overview

- Council Direction on January 3
- City Charter
- Recorder Role and Duties
- Secretary
- Ordinance 8065





Council Action January 3, 2024

- Council directed City Manager and City Attorney to review the position of Civil Service Commission Recorder and return with Recommendations.
 - Recorder must align with Charter
 - Secretary position should align with City process for all boards and commissions



City Charter

- Council Manager Form of Govt.
 in 2004
 - All personnel decisions made by City Manager (City Charter 5.2(1))
 - All appointments to unclassified service, including Recorder, made by City Manager (City Charter 6.2-3(A)



Civil Service Commission Recorder

Duties

- Administrative support for Commission
- Draft agendas
- Communicate to secure quorum
- Provide information on forms and process
- Not full-time





Civil Service Rules and Regulations

- Current process conflicts with Charter
 - Requires commission to select employee
 - Charter states all personnel selected through City Manager



Recommendation re: Recorder

- Recommendation to adjust to align with charter
 - Role of Recorder assigned as part of duties
 - Employee hired through regular City process
 - Meet and greet with Commission similar to hearing officer process
 - Role of Recorder cannot be removed without majority of Commission approval under Charter 6.2-3(B)



Secretary

- January 3 Council discussion- Secretary shall be the Chief Human Resources Officer
- Prior to 2017, HR Director was secretary
- All boards and commissions have the department head as secretary to provide administrative support to the board
- Has expertise in the subject for which board or commission exists within the City structure



Secretary Continues

- Acts as liaison between City and Commission
- Signs all documentation of Commission actions
- Must place all items on agenda that are properly submitted, with review of legal advisor
- Supervises Recorder



Agenda items

- Current Rules have provision for members of public or groups to place items on the agenda
- Council process does not allow
- Call to the public enables additional topics to be brought up, but not discussed by Commission
- A member of the Commission can place for future meeting if within purview



Recommendations

- Commission Recorder duty assigned to a full time employee hired through regular process to an unclassified position
- The Secretary be the Chief Human Resources Officer
- Call to the public be utilized for members of the public items similar to City Council



QUESTIONS



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