

ORDINANCE # 995 (21)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PART 12, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE A, SECTION 12-101, OF THE MOORE MUNICIPAL CODE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, BY ESTABLISHING A PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER TERM LIMIT OF THREE (3) CONSECUTIVE THREE (3) YEAR TERMS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOORE, OKLAHOMA THAT:

Sec. 12-101. Created.

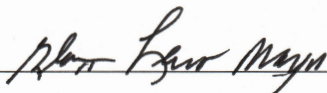
There is hereby created a planning commission of the city. The commission shall be composed of nine members, all of whom shall be residents of the city appointed by the city council. The city manager and city engineer shall be ex officio members of the commission. Each appointed member shall hold office for a period of three years, or until his successor takes office. All current members, if reappointed, may serve two additional three (3) year terms or until July 31, 2027. New members appointed after the effective date of this ordinance shall be limited to three consecutive three year terms. Former members of the planning commission shall be eligible for reappointment after the expiration of one three year term. Appointment to the planning commission to fill an unexpired term shall not be considered as a full term. The appointed members of the commission shall be nominated and appointed solely with reference to their fitness and without reference to party affiliation and shall serve without compensation. Members may be removed by the city council only for inefficiency, neglect of duty or malefaction in office. Vacancies occurring otherwise than through the expiration of term shall be filled only for the unexpired terms by the city council. The city manager shall receive no compensation for his service on the commission. The city engineer shall receive such compensation for his service on the commission as established by the city manager. Neither the city manager or city engineer shall be entitled to vote upon questions arising before the commission. Any appointed member of the planning and zoning commission who shall without cause as determined by the city council, hereafter fail to attend three consecutive regular meetings of the planning and zoning commission, shall automatically be removed from office on the commission. The vacancies thereby created shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired term of the office so vacated, by the mayor, by and with the consent of the city council.

Repealer. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

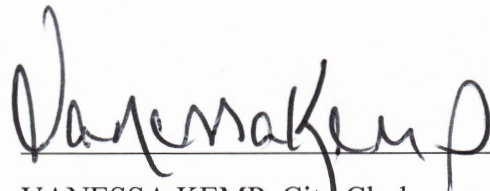
Severability. If any section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

ADOPTED this 15th day November, 2021.





GLENN LEWIS, Mayor



VANESSA KEMP, City Clerk

Approved as to form and legality:



RANDY C. BRINK, City Attorney