

**CITY OF NORMAN
ORDINANCE O-2526-23**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA AMENDING SECTIONS 2-301 AND 2-305 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF BOARD MEMBERS FOR NORMAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY AND TO ALLOW A MAXIMUM OF TWO BOARD MEMBERS TO BE APPOINTED FROM ANOTHER COMMUNITY IN WHICH THE AUTHORITY OPERATES AT LEAST ONE FACILITY, CONSISTENT WITH ARTICLE X, SECTION 1 OF THE CITY CHARTER; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Norman, in the State of Oklahoma, as follows:

SECTION 1: **AMENDMENT** “2-301 Appointive Boards And Commissions; Appointments; Terms Of Office” of the City of Norman Municipal Code is hereby *amended* as follows:

BEFORE AMENDMENT

2-301 Appointive Boards And Commissions; Appointments; Terms Of Office

The appointed members of the following boards and commissions shall first be nominated by the Mayor and then confirmed by a majority of the Council and the number of appointive members of each respective body and their overall respective terms of office shall be as listed below:

- (a) Board of Adjustment: seven persons for three-year terms.
- (b) Norman Regional Hospital Authority: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (c) Board of Park Commissioners: Nine persons for three-year terms;
- (d) Environmental Control Advisory Board: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (e) Human Rights Commission: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (f) Library Board: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (g) City Planning Commission: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (h) Public Housing Authority: Five persons for three-year terms.
- (i) Social and Voluntary Services Commission: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (j) Board of Appeals: Five persons and one alternate for three-year terms.
- (k) Historic District Commission: Nine persons for three-year terms
- (l) Economic Development Advisory Board: Seven persons for three-year terms.

(Code 1976, § 4-101; Ord. No. O-7475-31; Ord. No. O-7677-31; Ord. No. O-7879-20; Ord. No. O-8081-55; Ord. No. O-8081-69; Ord. No. O-8283-40; Ord. No. O-8384-136; Ord. No. O-8889-11; Ord. No. O-9091-23; Ord. No. O-9293-31; Ord. No. O-0001-39; Ord. No. O-1213-42, § 1)

AFTER AMENDMENT

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The appointed members of the following boards and commissions shall first be nominated by the Mayor and then confirmed by a majority of the Council and the number of appointive members of each respective body and their overall respective terms of office shall be as listed below:

- (a) Board of Adjustment: seven persons for three-year terms.
- (b) Norman Regional Hospital Authority: ~~Nine~~ Eleven persons for three-year terms.
- (c) Board of Park Commissioners: Nine persons for three-year terms;
- (d) Environmental Control Advisory Board: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (e) Human Rights Commission: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (f) Library Board: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (g) City Planning Commission: Nine persons for three-year terms.
- (h) Public Housing Authority: Five persons for three-year terms.
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SECTION 2: AMENDMENT “2-305 Qualification Of Members; Continuation In Office” of the City of Norman Municipal Code is hereby *amended* as follows:

BEFORE AMENDMENT

2-305 Qualification Of Members; Continuation In Office

- (a) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, members of appointive boards and commissions shall, at the time of their appointment:
 - (1) Be residents of the City;
 - (2) Be appointed with sole reference to their fitness and ability to perform those duties required of them;
 - (3) Not be members of the immediate family of any elected City official;
 - (4) Not be a full-time City employee;
 - (5) Not be a member of any other appointive board or commission referenced in this chapter, except that potential members of the Economic Development Advisory Board shall not be disqualified from Service on that Board due to service on other boards or commissions of the City;

- (6) Not be confirmed by the Council in the same meeting in which that member is nominated, unless the presiding officer otherwise obtains the unanimous consent of the Council.
- (b) Members shall continue in office during their term until such time that:
 - (1) Their term expires and their successor has been appointed and qualifies;
 - (2) They die;
 - (3) They resign;
 - (4) They are removed from office by majority action of Council;
 - (5) They attain status as a nonresident of the City;
 - (6) They are hired as a full-time employee of the City; or
 - (7) They absent themselves from three consecutive regular meetings, and such absences are shown by the official minutes of that board or commission.
- (c) Members of appointive boards and commissions may serve only an interim appointment when a vacancy has been created per subsection (b) of this section.

(Code 1976, § 4-105; Ord. No. O-7475-31; Ord. No. O-7778-8; Ord. No. O-8283-53; Ord. No. O-1213-42, § 2)

AFTER AMENDMENT

2-305 Qualification Of Members; Continuation In Office

- (a) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, members of appointive boards and commissions shall, at the time of their appointment:
 - (1) Be residents of the City, except for a maximum of two board members of the Norman Regional Hospital Authority, who may reside in another community in which the Norman Regional Hospital Authority has a facility;
 - (2) Be appointed with sole reference to their fitness and ability to perform those duties required of them;
 - (3) Not be members of the immediate family of any elected City official;
 - (4) Not be a full-time City employee;
 - (5) Not be a member of any other appointive board or commission referenced in this chapter, except that potential members of the Economic Development Advisory Board shall not be disqualified from Service on that Board due to service on other boards or commissions of the City;
 - (6) Not be confirmed by the Council in the same meeting in which that member is nominated, unless the presiding officer otherwise obtains the unanimous consent of the Council.
- (b) Members shall continue in office during their term until such time that:
 - (1) Their term expires and their successor has been appointed and qualifies;
 - (2) They die;
 - (3) They resign;
 - (4) They are removed from office by majority action of Council;
 - (5) They attain status as a nonresident of the City, except for a maximum of two board members of the Norman Regional Hospital Authority, who may reside in another community in which the Norman Regional Hospital Authority has

a facility;

- (6) They are hired as a full-time employee of the City; or
 - (7) They absent themselves from three consecutive regular meetings, and such absences are shown by the official minutes of that board or commission.
- (c) Members of appointive boards and commissions may serve only an interim appointment when a vacancy has been created per subsection (b) of this section.

(Code 1976, § 4-105; Ord. No. O-7475-31; Ord. No. O-7778-8; Ord. No. O-8283-53; Ord. No. O-1213-42, § 2)

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF NORMAN CITY COUNCIL DECEMBER 09, 2025.

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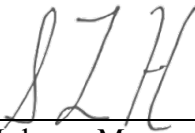
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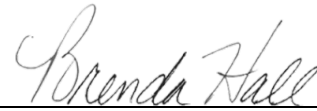
ABSTAIN

Presiding Officer

Attest



Stephen T. Holman, Mayor, City of Norman



Brenda Hall, City Clerk, City of Norman

