



Wauwatosa, WI

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Wauwatosa, WI 53213

Signature Report

Ordinance: O-24-21

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Ordinance amending Secs. 2.02.070, 2.02.100, 2.02.120, and 2.24.030 relative to setting meeting dates and times for the Common Council and Standing Committees, the process for adopting ordinances and other actions, and the process for approvals of Plan Commission-related items

Part I. Section 2.02.070 of the Wauwatosa Municipal Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"Except as otherwise provided in this code, the common council shall meet not less than once per month in the City Hall at such dates and times as declared by the common council. In the event the council deems it necessary, it may designate another place of meeting of the council in lieu of the City Hall. Following a regular city election, the first meeting of the new council shall be on the third Tuesday of April. Immediately prior to such meeting the council shall elect its president, plan commission member and representative to the Board of Public Works in accordance with provisions of Section 2.02.150."

Part II. Section 2.02.120 of the Wauwatosa Municipal Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"Except as otherwise provided in this code, the standing committees of the common council shall meet in the City Hall at such dates and times as declared by the common council. In the event that the common council deems it necessary, it may designate another place for committee meetings in lieu of City Hall."

Part III. Section 2.02.100 of the Wauwatosa Municipal Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"Action on any ordinance or the report of any committee which is before the council for the first time shall be deferred until the next regular meeting of the council upon request of four members of the council."

Part IV. The portion of the "Items Under Consideration" and portions subsection of Wauwatosa Code 2.24.030 is hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. Items considered by the plan commission shall be referred directly to the full common council for approval. As an alternative, the Plan Commission may refer any item to the committee on community affairs upon its own motion.
- B. Following a referral from plan commission to the common council pursuant to subsection A., above, and prior to any action by the common council, any five alderpersons may require that an item be referred to the committee on community affairs

by submitting a written request to the common council president with a copy provided to the city clerk.”

Part V. This ordinance shall take effect on and after its date of publication.

By: Government Affairs Committee

Adopted 
City Clerk Steven Braatz

Date 7-2-24

Approved 
Mayor Dennis McBride

Date 7/3/24