



ORDINANCE

AMENDING THE STRUCTURE OF THE REVIEW AND COMMENT COMMISSION

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven

The City of Nashua ordains that Chapter 2 “Administration,” Article III “Administrative Code,” Division 6 “City of Nashua Health and Community Services Division,” as amended, be further amended as follows:

1. In Section 2-153 “Review and comment commission – Creation; appointment of members; term of office”, add the new underlined language and delete the struck through language as follows:

“Sec. 2-153. Review and comment commission – Creation; appointment of members; term of office.

There is hereby created a review and comment commission consisting of five (5) commissioners and ~~forty two (42)~~ not less than twenty (20) nor more than thirty (30) persons appointed by said commissioners.

- (1) Three (3) commissioners shall be Nashua citizens representing a cross section of the community. They shall be appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the board of aldermen. The citizen commissioners will serve three (3) year terms.
- (2) One (1) commissioner shall be an alderman appointed by the president of the board of aldermen. The aldermanic commissioner will serve concomitantly with his or her term of office.
- (3) One (1) commissioner shall be a representative of the mayor's office, who shall be appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the board of aldermen. The term of the mayor's representative commissioner shall be at the pleasure of the mayor.
- (4) The terms of the commission members who are appointed by the commissioners shall be at the pleasure of the commissioners but shall last for no longer than the end of the fiscal year in which they are appointed.”

2. In Section 2-154 “Same-Purpose”, add the new underlined language as follows:

“Sec. 2-154. Same-Purpose.

The review and comment commission shall consist of an appropriate number of subcommittees as determined by the Review and Comment Commission chair, but no fewer than three (3) subcommittees, which shall review the funding requests of local human services agencies and comment on those requests to the mayor and board of aldermen. The purpose of each subcommittee is to review an agency's request proposal, meet with representatives of the agency, vote on a recommended funding level, suggest conditions to be met by the agency receiving the funds, and report its findings to the commission as a whole. The review and comment commission will later forward its final recommendations to the mayor and board of aldermen.”

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.