AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1.110.010 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, PERTAINING TO MEMBERS OF BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1.110.010 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Gladstone, Missouri (the "Code of Ordinances"), the City Council has authorized certain Boards, Commissions, and Committees including various qualifications and requirements for members; and

WHEREAS, subsection (e) of Section 1.110.010 of the Code of Ordinances provides for removal of members of the City's Boards, Commissions, and Committees by the City Council for cause; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend subsection (e) of Section 1.110.010 of the Code of Ordinances to include provisions regarding absences from scheduled meetings by members as a basis for which members may be removed for cause.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That subsection (e) of Section 1.110.010 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

- (e) Any member of the City's Boards, Commissions, or Committees may be removed by the Mayor and City Council for cause stated in writing. For cause shall include, but is not limited to, absence by the member from three (3) or more consecutive scheduled meetings or twenty-five percent (25%) of scheduled meetings within the previous twelve (12) month period.
- Section 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

Section 3. That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, THIS 22ND DAY OF JANUARY 2024.

Jean B. Moore, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kris Keller, City Clerk

First Reading: January 22, 2024

Second Reading: January 22, 2024



Request for Council Action

RES □ # City Clerk Only

BILL 🗵 # 24-05

ORD 🖾 # 4.661

Date: 1/17/2024

Department: General Administration

Meeting Date Requested: 1/22/2024

Public Hearing: Yes □ Date: Click here to enter a date.

Subject: Attendance Policy City Board and Commission Members

<u>Background</u>: The City Council directed City staff to pursue an attendance policy during the 2023 Board and Commission interview process. This Ordinance amends Section 1.110.010 of the Code of Ordinances to include provisions regarding absences from scheduled meetings by City Board and Commission members. The additional language proposed would be: Any member of the City's Boards, Commissions, or Committees may be removed by the Mayor and City Council for cause stated in writing. For cause shall include, but is not limited to: absence by the member from three (3) or more consecutive scheduled meetings or twenty-five percent (25%) of scheduled meetings within the previous twelve (12) month period.

Budget Discussion: N/A

Public/Board/Staff Input: N/A

Provide Original Contracts, Leases, Agreements, etc. to: City Clerk and Vendor.

Bob Baer

Department Director/Administrator

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City Attorney

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City Manager