

ORDINANCE NO. 17-784

ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 13.04.01 AND SECTION 13.04.02 OF CHAPTER 13.04 OF THE CLARKSVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, the City of Clarksville is desirous of amending Section 13.04.01 and Section 13.04.02 of Chapter 13.04 of the Clarksville Municipal Code;

WHEREAS, the number of current active members of the Planning Commission is Seven (7) creating the opportunity to amend the current code without displacing members.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARKSVILLE, ARKANSAS:

1. Section 13.04.01 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.04.01. Commission Created. By virtue of Ordinance No. 413, the City of Clarksville created a City Planning Commission. The initial number of members was set at nine (9) members. That number shall be and hereby is reduced to seven (7) members. No more than Two-thirds or five (5), of said members shall hold any elective or appointed office except for membership on the Board of Adjustment, and no member shall be a member of a standing committee as specified in Ordinance No. 15-747. The members of the City Planning Commission shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council.

2. Section 13.04.02 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.04.02. Terms of Members. Upon the passage of Ordinance No. 17-784 in July of 2017, the membership and terms of the City Planning Commission shall be reorganized as follows:

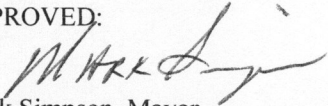
- a. The Seven (7) Commission Members, currently holding positions on the Planning Commission will have their terms reduced by one year with Commission Members maintaining their order of appointment.
- b. Subsequently appointed members shall be appointed for a term of five (5) years and shall be eligible for re-appointment.
- c. When the term of any member shall expire or should a vacancy occur otherwise, the Mayor shall make a nomination to fill such vacancy which nomination shall be confirmed by the City Council.

2. All other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

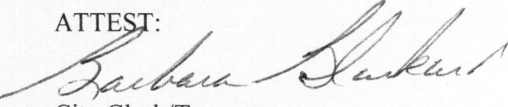
EMERGENCY CLAUSE. EMERGENCY CLAUSE: This ordinance being necessary for the effective operation of the City of Clarksville and for the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of Clarksville, an emergency is hereby declared and this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

PASSED THIS 10th DAY OF July, 2017.

APPROVED:


Mark Simpson, Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk/Treasurer