

Charter Amendment Proposal #7 (Draft #1)
Term Limits

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1. Please provide a brief description of: the Proposed Charter amendment, the purpose of the proposed Charter amendment, the issue or problem to be addressed by the proposal, and how the proposal would address the issue or problem.

Relating To Term Limits.

2. If applicable, list the Charter provision(s) affected by the proposal.

Section 3-102, Section 5-101, Section 8-102, Section 14-104, Section 14-New.

3. If the proposal is based on a provision or provisions in the charter or laws of another jurisdiction (e.g., another county, city, or municipality), name the jurisdiction and, if possible, attach a copy of each provision or law.

Not Applicable.

4. If the proposal is based on any written materials you have, please attach a copy of each with a citation to its source.

Not Applicable.

5. Attach the text of the proposed Charter amendment in Ramseyer format.

Section 3-102. Number, Election and Terms of Office of Councilmembers --

The council shall consist of nine members. One member shall be elected from each of the nine districts hereinafter provided. Except as provided in Section 16-122, the regular terms of office of councilmembers shall be four years beginning at twelve o'clock meridian on the second day of January following their election. The terms shall be staggered in accordance with Section 16-122. No person shall be elected to the office of councilmember for more than ~~[two]~~ three consecutive four-year terms.

Section 5-101. Election and Term of Office

The electors of the city shall elect a mayor whose term of office shall be four years beginning at twelve o'clock meridian on the second day of January following the mayor's election. No person shall be elected to the office of mayor for more than ~~[two]~~ three consecutive full terms.

Section 8-102. Election and Term of Office

The **electors of the city shall elect a prosecuting attorney whose** term of office ~~[of the prosecuting attorney]~~ shall ~~[commence]~~ **be four years beginning** at twelve o'clock meridian on the second day of January following the prosecuting attorney's election. **No person shall be elected to the office of prosecuting attorney for more than three consecutive full terms.**

Section 14-104. The Neighborhood Plan --

The neighborhood plan shall designate the boundaries of neighborhoods and provide procedures by which registered voters within neighborhoods may initiate and form neighborhoods and the manner of selection of the members of neighborhood boards~~[, their terms of office]~~ and their powers, duties and functions.

The plan may be amended by the commission, after public hearings to be held in various areas of the city, and amendments shall become effective upon filing with the city clerk.

Section 14-XXX. Term of Office --

The term of office for neighborhood board members shall be two years. No person shall be elected as a neighborhood board member for more than six consecutive full terms.

All proposals must be submitted by October 31, 2015.

If for any reason you are having difficulty using our online submission process, you may submit your proposal by mail or email:

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