

## Discussion of commission membership

Council has previously discussed the question of allowing or disallowing membership on commissions by individuals residing outside the county. Additionally, it has been noted that the Municipal code and the Commission Rules are not in agreement with respect to the Public Works and Streets.

### Suggested action:

1. Reach a decision on which commissions, if any, may possibly include community members who reside outside the city and how many such members.
2. Pass a suitable motion to reflect Council's decision.

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## Municipal Code

### Section 2.08.020 Membership—Compensation.

A.The commissions shall consist of seven members (except for the library commission which shall consist of five (5) members), appointed by the mayor, with the approval of the City Council.

B.The members of the commissions shall receive no compensation for their services.

C.All commission members must reside in the City. One member of the parks and commons commission may reside outside the City limits. One member of the Library Commission may reside outside the City limits.(Ord. 177 § 2, 1995)(Ord. 249, Amended, 01/20/2005)

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## Commission Rules

**5.1 Planning Commission; 5.11** includes “All commission members must reside in the City.”

**5.2 Parks & Commons Commission; 5.21** includes “One member of the commission may reside outside the City limits.”

**5.3 Public Works & Streets Commission 5.31** includes One member of the commission may reside outside the City limits.”

**5.4 Library Commission 5.41** includes One member of the commission may reside outside the City limits. “