

On joint motion of all Councilmen present, the following ordinance was offered as amended:

SUMMARY NO. 21119 ORDINANCE NO. 22061

An ordinance amending Sec. 2-875.9 and 2-875.10(a) of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances to provide that the Jefferson Chamber of Commerce shall have two appointees to the JEDCO board of commissioners, the Jefferson Parish President shall have one appointee to the JEDCO board of commissioners, and to provide for related matters.

(Parishwide)

WHEREAS, members of the JEDCO board of commissioners are nominated by various organizations and associations; and

WHEREAS, the Parish Council desires that the Regional Chamber of Commerce and Jefferson Parish President each have one appointee to the JEDCO board of commissioners:

THE JEFFERSON PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. That section 2-875.9 of the Code of Ordinances of Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2-875.9. Composition; terms.

(a) The board of commissioners shall be composed of twenty-one (21) members, no fewer than nineteen (19) of which shall be residents of the parish. Two (2) commissioners may be residents outside of Jefferson Parish but shall have their principal place of business in the parish. Commissioners shall be appointed by the indicated organization(s) or association(s):

Commissioner A: An Eastbank resident or business representative of the Jefferson Chamber of Commerce;

Commissioner B: A Westbank resident or business representative of the Jefferson Chamber of Commerce;

Commissioner C: Committee for a Better Jefferson;

Commissioner D: Harvey Canal Industrial Association;

Commissioner E: East Jefferson Business Association;

Commissioner F: Home Builders Association of Greater New Orleans;

Commissioner G: Elmwood Business Association;

Commissioner H: Jefferson Parish Marine Fisheries Advisory Board;

Commissioner I: Apartment Association of New Orleans;

Commissioner J: Women's Business Council Gulf Coast;

Commissioner K: Gulf Coast Minority Supplier Development Council;

Commissioner L: New Orleans Metropolitan Association of Realtors;

Commissioner M: Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Louisiana.

Each council member and the Parish President shall also appoint one (1) member to the commission.

(b) Each commissioner, except those appointed by council members or the Parish President, shall serve for a term of five (5) years; except initially, the terms of office shall be as follows:

Commissioner A. One (1) year.

Commissioner B. One (1) year.

Commissioner C. Two (2) years.

Commissioner D. Two (2) years.

Commissioner E. Three (3) years.

Commissioner F. Four (4) years.

Commissioner G. Five (5) years.

Commissioner H. One (1) year.

Commissioner I. Two (2) years.

Commissioner J. Four (4) years.

Commissioner K. Three (3) years.

Commissioner L. Four (4) years.

Commissioner M. Three (3) years.

A commissioner not appointed by a council member or the Parish President who has served more than three (3) years in his initial term shall not be eligible to serve a consecutive term.

Each commissioner appointed by a council member or the Parish President shall serve a term that coincides with that of the council member or the

Parish President that appointed them, and they shall serve at the pleasure of the council member or the Parish President that appointed them. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, all commissioners shall continue to serve in office beyond the designated dates of termination of their terms of appointment until their successors are duly appointed by the council.

(c) The commissioners shall serve without compensation or per diem.

SECTION 2. That section 2-875.10(a) of the Code of Ordinances of Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2-875.10. Nominations/vacancies.

(a) Each nominating organization shall submit to the council a list of three (3) nominees for the respective commissioner. In the event the council does not appoint a commissioner from the nominees submitted for each position, the nominating organization(s) for the affected position shall submit additional names to the council. Each nominating organization shall forward the names of the nominees within forty-five (45) days of notification of a vacancy.

SECTION 3. The amendments herein shall not become effective until January 7, 2004.

SECTION 4. For purpose of proper succession, the changes to Board appointments outlined in Section 1 above replace existing Board seats as follows:

Parish Council At Large A Commissioner: Replaces Current District 6 Commissioner;

Parish Council At Large B Commissioner: Replaces Current Council Chairman Commissioner;

Eastbank Jefferson Chamber of Commerce Commissioner: Replaces Regional Chamber of Commerce East Jefferson Council Commissioner;

Westbank Jefferson Chamber of Commerce Commissioner: Replaces Regional Chamber of Commerce Westbank Council Commissioner;

Parish President Commissioner: Replaces Jefferson Chamber of Commerce Commissioner;

Women's Business Council Gulf Coast commissioner: Replaces former Women Business Owners Association position;

Gulf Coast Minority Supplier Development Council Commissioner: Replaces former Xavier, Bloom, and LaSalle position;

Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Louisiana Commissioner: Replaces former four Hispanic chambers position.

The foregoing ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: 7 NAYS: None ABSENT: None

The ordinance was declared to be adopted on this the 19th day of November, 2013 and shall become effective as follows; if signed forthwith by the Parish President, ten (10) days after adoption, thereafter upon signature by the Parish President, or, if not signed by the Parish President, upon expiration of the time for ordinances to be considered finally adopted without the signature of the Parish President, as provided in Section 2.07 of the Charter. If vetoed by the Parish President and subsequently approved by the Council, this ordinance shall become effective on the day of such approval.

THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED
TO BE A TRUE & CORRECT COPY



EULA A. LOPEZ
PARISH CLERK

JEFFERSON PARISH COUNCIL