

Ordinance

Amending Chapter 2 of the Corpus Christi Code of Ordinances to change the membership of the Corpus Christi Museum of Science and History Advisory Board and change the Board's meeting requirements from quarterly to bimonthly; providing an effective date, for severance, and for publication.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. Section 2-90 *Created; membership; terms; filling vacancies* of the Corpus Christi Code of Ordinances is amended by adding the following language that is underlined (added) and deleting the language that is stricken (~~deleted~~) as delineated below:

Sec. 2-90. - Created; membership; terms; filling vacancies.

There is hereby created the Corpus Christi Museum of Science and History Advisory Board which shall consist of ~~six (6)~~ 9 members. The board members shall be appointed by the mayor with the advice and consent of the city council.

Their terms shall run for a full ~~three (3)~~ years. Upon the occurrence of any vacancy, it shall be filled for the unexpired term.

The board members shall be selected as follows: ~~Two (2)~~ members shall be nominated by the Friends of the Museum; and ~~four (4)~~ 7 members shall be nominated by the mayor who shall seek ~~at least one (1) member from each of the following fields: K-12 education, higher education and the business community~~ 1 member from higher education, 2 members from the field of K-12 education, 2 members from business community and 2 members from community advocates. Of these 9 members, at least 1 member should have a background in science, technology, engineering, or math and 1 member should have a background in history.

Ex officio members shall include the city manager and the superintendent of the Corpus Christi Independent School District or their designated representative. ~~The mayor shall have the authority to appoint such individuals as the mayor deems serve the best interest of the museum as advisory members who shall serve without pay and without vote. The term of each advisory member shall be three (3) years.~~

SECTION 2. Section 2-92 "*Meetings; function*" of the Corpus Christi Code of Ordinances is amended by adding the following language that is underlined (added) and deleting the language that is stricken (~~deleted~~) as delineated below:

Sec. 2-92. - Meetings; function.

The board shall hold regular meetings ~~at least once each month quarterly~~ bimonthly and such special meetings as may be called by the chairman with notice to all members.

The advisory board shall serve as an advisor to the museum department and to the city council in matters of support and development of the museum. The board may adopt comprehensive policies relating to the:

- (1) Management of collections;
- (2) Acquisitions for the collections;
- (3) Disposition and the de-acquisition of objects in and for the collection;
- (4) Use of museum facilities.

When adopted by the advisory board and approved by the city manager, the director of the museum shall implement such policies.

SECTION 3. The effective date of this ordinance is upon passage.

SECTION 4. If for any reason any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any other section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this ordinance, for it is the definite intent of this City Council that every section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision hereof be given full force and effect for its purpose.

SECTION 5. Publication shall be made one time in the official publication of the City of Corpus Christi as required by the City Charter of the City of Corpus Christi.

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the first time and passed to its second reading on this the _____ day of _____, 2017, by the following vote:

Joe McComb	_____	Ben Molina	_____
Rudy Garza	_____	Lucy Rubio	_____
Paulette Guajardo	_____	Greg Smith	_____
Michael Hunter	_____	Carolyn Vaughn	_____
Debbie Lindsey-Opel	_____		

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the second time and passed finally on this the _____ day of _____, 2017, by the following vote:

Joe McComb	_____	Ben Molina	_____
Rudy Garza	_____	Lucy Rubio	_____
Paulette Guajardo	_____	Greg Smith	_____
Michael Hunter	_____	Carolyn Vaughn	_____
Debbie Lindsey-Opel	_____		

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the _____ day of _____, 2017.

ATTEST:

Rebecca Huerta
City Secretary

Joe McComb
Mayor