

EXHIBIT A TO ORDINANCE XXXX

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Sec. 2-3007. Senior commission.

- a. *Powers.* The senior commission shall advise the city council on matters related to the older adult and senior community, to foster greater understanding of senior citizens, to encourage greater senior citizen participation in community issues, to inform the community of available services, programs, and resources, and to advocate for issues of importance to older adults. The commission shall be authorized to: analyze data to identify service gaps; assess and recommend strategies that address senior needs; advocate on important issues facing older adults; create information guides; promote available senior resources; lead or participate in community service projects that benefit the senior community; and host informational events and seminars.
- b. *Composition and qualifications.* The city council shall appoint up to sixteen (16) commission members as follows: up to nine (9) regular voting members and two (2) alternates; two (2) city council members; and three (3) non-voting, ex officio members representing senior programs. Voting members and alternates shall be city residents, owners or employees of city businesses, or patrons of city facilities who have an interest in older adult/senior issues or are seniors themselves, representing to the extent possible diverse economic groups, genders, nationalities and city wards. Ex officio members will be selected by city council from a list of organizations or agencies that serve the senior community.
- c. *Terms of office.* Except for vacancies in unexpired terms, which shall be filled in accordance with the Charter, the appointment of city council members whose terms shall coincide with the organization meetings of the city council, and any appointments made to ensure the appropriate staggering of terms, members shall be appointed for a period of three (3) years and shall serve no more than two (2) consecutive terms or until a successor has been appointed.
- d. *Meetings.* The commission shall meet as necessary to perform its duties. Notice of any meeting of the commission, and the agenda for such meeting, shall be posted on the city's website.
- e. *Quorum.* Five (5) regular voting members or alternates shall constitute a quorum.