

City Council Communication

AGENDA DATE: October 6, 2025 LEGISTAR ITEM #: Ord 2730

PRESENTER: Kimberly Adame DEPARTMENT: City Clerk's Office

⊠Ordinance	□Resolution	□Public Hearing

REQUEST

Approve an ordinance amending the Commerce City Revised Municipal Code Sec. 2-3007 to remove city council members from the quorum requirement for the Senior Commission.

BACKGROUND

On August 4, 2025, City Council approved a motion to amend the ordinances for Senior Commission and Environmental Policy & Innovation Commission to remove council member presence as a quorum requirement. The Senior Commission was created by Ordinance 2128. The Senior Commission currently requires one council member to be present to constitute a quorum.

Other than the Environmental Policy and Innovation Commission, which is also anticipated to be amended, no other board or commission requires a council member to be present. This change will make the quorum requirement for Senior Commission consistent with the City's other boards and commissions. This change will also ensure the commission members can meet, discuss business, and take action without requiring a city council member to be present.

JUSTIFICATION

□Council Goal	□Strategic Plan	□Work Plan	⊠Legal
Citation	Commerce City Charter Sec. 11.1(a) "[t]he council shall have the power and authority to create such boards and commissions as it may desire or require, provided no such board or commission shall have authority to perform functions or duties otherwise		create such sire or require, n shall have

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assigned in this Charter or to interfere with any
function or duty otherwise assigned in this Charter.

AVAILABLE ACTIONS

- Action #1 Adopt the Ordinance as presented.
- Action #2 Continue Ordinance to later date.
- Action #3 To deny the Ordinance.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends action #1, adopt the ordinance as presented.