

ORDINANCE NO. 12-1005

AN ORDINANCE MODIFYING THE COMPOSITION OF THE OREGON CITY URBAN RENEWAL COMMISSION

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 08-1005 transferred the power of the Urban Renewal Agency from the City Commissioner to a 10 member Oregon City Urban Renewal Commission, and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest that the Oregon City Urban Renewal Commission operate efficiently and effectively, with neither too many nor too few Commission members to fairly represent the community, and

WHEREAS, it has become evident that a ten member Urban Renewal Commission is too large and unwieldy to function as efficiently or effectively as desired by the City Commission, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has studied the composition of the Urban Renewal Commission in a public work session, and

WHEREAS, The City Commission and professional City staff believe that a seven member Urban Renewal Commission would serve the Urban Renewal Agency more efficiently and effectively.

NOW, THEREFORE, OREGON CITY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Section 4 of Ordinance No. 08-1005 is amended to provide as follows:
The Urban Renewal Commission shall consist of seven members, five of whom shall be City Commission members and two of whom shall be at-large members, appointed by the City Commission as follows:

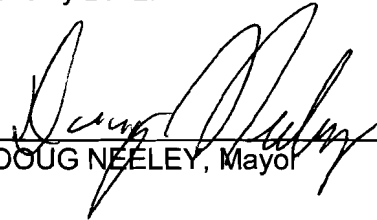
The seven-member Urban Renewal Commission shall be achieved through attrition, meaning that the terms of each of the currently appointed members (i.e., those members not on the Urban Renewal Commission by virtue of holding office as Mayor or City Commissioner of the City of Oregon City) sitting on the date this ordinance is adopted shall carry through to the normal expiration dates. The Commission shall fill vacancies on the Commission as soon as attrition reduces the number of Urban Renewal Commission members to fewer than seven. The terms of the new appointed members shall be for four years and shall be staggered to ensure a term expires every two years. The staggering of terms shall be accomplished by limiting the first new appointed Commission member to a term of two years.

Section 2. Section 5 of Ordinance No. 08-1005 is hereby repealed.

Section 3. Section 6 of Ordinance 08-1005 is amended to provide as follows:

After the expiration of the terms of the appointed Urban Renewal Commission members in office on the date this ordinance is adopted, the terms of each newly appointed member of Urban Renewal Commission who is not a City Commissioner shall extend for four years.

Adopted, signed and approved this 18th day of July 2012.

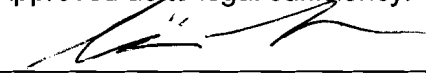


DOUG NEELEY, Mayor

Attested to this 18th day of July 2012:

Keely Burgoyne, Asst. City Recorder
for Nancy Ide, City Recorder

Approved as to legal sufficiency:~



City Attorney