

resolutions passed by it; shall be custodian of such documents, records, and archives as may be provided by applicable law or ordinance; shall be custodian of the seal of the city; and shall attest, and affix the seal to, documents when required in accordance with applicable law or ordinance.

Council: Meetings

Section 2-7. The council shall hold at least one regular meeting every month, at such time as it may prescribe by ordinance or otherwise. The mayor or any three councilmen may call special meetings. All meetings of the council shall be open to the public, and the journal of its proceedings shall be open to public inspection.

Councilmen: Absences To Terminate Membership

Section 2-8. If the mayor or any other councilman shall be absent from more than one-half of all the meetings of the council, regular and special, held within any period of six consecutive calendar months, he shall thereupon cease to hold office.

Councilmen: Removal

Section 2-9. The mayor or any other councilman may be removed from office for any cause specified by applicable state law for the removal of officers, and by the method or methods prescribed thereby, and by recall as provided in this charter.

Council: Vacancies

Section 2-10. The council, by majority vote of its remaining members, shall fill vacancies in its own membership, including the office of mayor, for the unexpired terms or until successors are elected as provided in this section. If a vacancy occurs before the beginning of a regular filing period for candidates for councilmen, and the unexpired term extends beyond the time when the terms of councilmen elected that year begin, then a councilman for that place shall be elected at the elections of that year to serve the rest of the unexpired term beginning at the time the terms of councilmen elected that year begin.

Council: Quorum, Rules, Yeas And Nays

Section 2-11. A majority of all of the members of the council shall constitute a quorum, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day or from time to time. The council may determine its own rules. On the demand of any