

**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-26**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ODESSA, TEXAS, AMENDING THE ODESSA CITY CODE CHAPTER 1 "GENERAL PROVISIONS" ARTICLE 1-7 "BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES"; FINDING AND DETERMINING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH THIS ORDINANCE IS PASSED WAS NOTICED AND IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AS REQUIRED BY LAW; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to amend Article 1-7 "Boards, Commissions, and Committees" of the City Code; and

**WHEREAS**, it is considered to be in the public interest to make these amendments to existing Code sections relating to these boards;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF ODESSA, TEXAS**

**Section 1.** That the Odessa City Code Chapter 1 "General Provisions" Article 1-7 "Boards, Commissions and Committees" Section 1-7-7 "Downtown Odessa, Inc. Board" is hereby repealed in its entirety.

**Section 2.** That should any section, clause or provision of this ordinance be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance or any other ordinance of the city as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

**Section 3.** That this ordinance, since it does not impose any penalty or fine, shall go into effect following adoption on second approval as provided by City Charter Sections 61 and 65, without the need for publication.

The foregoing ordinance was first approved on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, A.D., 2024, by the following vote:

Mark Matta	AYE
Steven P. Thompson	AYE
Gilbert Vasquez	AYE
Greg Connell	AYE
Chris Hanie	AYE
Denise Swanner	AYE
Javier Joven	AYE

The foregoing ordinance was adopted on second and final approval on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, A.D., 2024, by the following vote:

Mark Matta	AYE
Steven P. Thompson	AYE
Gilbert Vasquez	AYE
Greg Connell	AYE
Chris Hanie	AYE
Denise Swanner	AYE
Javier Joven	AYE

Approved this the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, A.D., 2024.

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Javier Joven, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Norma Aguilar, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Daniel C. Jones, City Attorney