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RESOLUTION NO. 14

2024

APPOINTMENT OF JONATHAN BATES AS A MEMBER OF THE SCRANTON CITY PLANNING COMMISSION FOR A FOUR (4) YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE ON DECEMBER 31, 2027.

WHEREAS, John ("Jack") Finnerty's term on the Scranton City Planning Commission expired on December 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Scranton desires to appoint Jonathan Bates as a member of the Scranton City Planning Commission to replace John Finnerty. Jonathan Bates' four-year term shall be effective immediately upon the effective date of this Resolution and shall expire on December 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan Bates has the requisite, experience, education and training necessary to serve on the Scranton City Planning Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SCRANTON that Jonathan Bates is hereby appointed as a member of the Scranton City Planning Commission for a four-year term, effective immediately and expiring on December 31, 2027.

SECTION 1. If any section, clause, provision or portion of this Resolution shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect any other section, clause, provision or portion of this Resolution so long as it remains legally enforceable minus the invalid portion. The City reserves the right to amend this Resolution or any portion thereof from time to time as it shall deem advisable in the best interests of the promotion of the purposes and intend of this Resolution and the effective administration thereof.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon approval.

SECTION 3. This Resolution is enacted by the Council of the City of Scranton under the authority of the Act of Legislature, April 13, 1972, Act No. 62, known as the "Home Rule Charter and Optional Plans Law", and any other applicable law arising under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania.

Passed by the Council February 27, 2024

Receiving the Affirmative votes of Council Persons

King, Rothchild, McAndrew, Smurl

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President

Approved 2/29/2014

City Clerk

Mayor

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