

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE,
CALIFORNIA AMENDING SECTION 2.36.010 OF THE GLENDALE MUNICIPAL
CODE, 1995, PERTAINING TO THE LIMIT OF TERMS OF MEMBERS OF THE CITY'S
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE:

SECTION 1. Section 2.36.010 of the Glendale Municipal Code, 1995, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2.36.010 Appointment-generally; Terms of office

A. No person may serve, in the aggregate, more than three (3) four ~~-(4)-~~ year terms on boards and commissions. This section shall apply regardless of whether or not a commissioner's or board member's service of a term has commenced or occurred prior to the effective date of the ordinance imposing the three ~~-(3)-~~ term aggregate limit established by this section. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any person who is serving his or her third term on boards or commissions, in the aggregate, as of the effective date of the ordinance enacting the three ~~-(3)~~ term aggregate term limit in this section, and who was appointed by a councilmember elected in 2015 or 2017, may be appointed to one (1) additional term beyond a third aggregate term in the event that: (a) he or she has completed two (2) terms prior to the effective date of this ordinance, and (b) there has been a period of at least one (1) year in between the second and third terms of service.

B. No person may serve on a board or commission under this title while concurrently serving on another board or commission under this title or the civil service commission, Alex Regional Theatre Board, or Burbank Glendale Pasadena Airport Authority. Elected officials shall not serve on any board or commission under this title, or the civil service commission, Alex Regional Theatre Board, or Burbank Glendale Pasadena Airport Authority except where an ordinance specifically permits or requires a member to be an elected official.

C. The terms of office for all members of boards and commissions under this title shall be four (4) years ~~and~~ until their successors are appointed and qualified. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the term of any person appointed to a board or commission created under this title and who was appointed by a councilmember elected in 2015 or 2017 shall be permitted to serve until March 2020 and March 2022, respectively, or until the successors are appointed and qualified, and such term shall be deemed to be a four ~~-(4)-~~ year term under this section. The term of each member shall be coterminous with the council member that nominates that member to a board or commission regardless of when nominated and appointed. Vacancies for any unexpired term of membership on any board or commission under this title shall be filled by appointment by a majority of the council. An appointment to fill a vacancy of a partial term shall be coterminous with the term of the council member making the nomination. For purposes of the limit of terms as set forth in subsection A of this section, a board member or commissioner who serves twenty-four (24) months or more of a term shall be deemed to have served a full term. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, any term that is less than four (4) years as a result of a delay by the council in nominating and appointing a board member or commissioner during a councilmember's term (in contrast to a removal, resignation or incapacitation) shall nevertheless constitute a full term.

D. Notwithstanding subsection A of this section, the council upon making a finding that there are no candidates available for appointment, or that it would be in the best interest of the city, may appoint an individual to serve more than three terms as otherwise required by subsection A.

Adopted by the Council of the City of Glendale on the _____ day of _____, 2022.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) SS.
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

I, Suzie Abajian, Ph.D., City Clerk of the City of Glendale, hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. _____ was adopted by the Council of the City of Glendale, California, at a regular meeting held on the _____ day of _____, 2022, and that the same was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes:
Noes:
Absent:
Abstain:

City Clerk