AGENDA
Public Safety Committee Regular Meeting

5:15 PM - Monday, June 10, 2019
Council Conference Room, 7th Floor, City Hall – 1055 S. Grady Way

1. Ordinance Amending Civil Service Commission Regulations
   a) AB - 2388 Human Resources / Risk Management Department recommends adoption of an ordinance amending Renton Municipal Code (RMC) 2-4-3, 2-4-4, and 2-4-6, regarding Civil Service regulations.

2. Emerging Issues in Public Safety
SUBJECT/TITLE: Ordinance amending Civil Service Commission regulations
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Refer to Public Safety Committee
DEPARTMENT: Human Resources / Risk Management Department
STAFF CONTACT: Ellen Bradley-Mak, Administrator
EXT.: 7657

FISCAL IMPACT SUMMARY: N/A

SUMMARY OF ACTION:
This ordinance removes the requirement from the Renton Municipal Code of inquiring as to the political party of Civil Service Commissioners. The formation of the Renton Regional Fire Authority necessitates the deletion of the reference to RCW 41.08.

EXHIBITS:
A. Draft Ordinance

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:
Approve the ordinance amending Civil Service regulations.
CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. __________

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON, AMENDING SECTIONS 2-4-3, 2-4-4, AND 2-4-6 OF THE RENTON MUNICIPAL CODE, AMENDING CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION REGULATIONS, AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. All portions of the Renton Municipal Code in this ordinance not shown in strikethrough and underline edits remain in effect and unchanged.

SECTION II. Sections 2-4-3, 2-4-4, and 2-4-6 of the Renton Municipal Code are amended as follows:

CHAPTER 4
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

SECTION:
2-4-1: Creation Of Civil Service Commission
2-4-2: Authority
2-4-3: Function
2-4-4: Appointment And Members
2-4-5: Terms; Vacancies
2-4-6: Quorum And Voting

2-4-1 CREATION OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION:

There is hereby created the Police Civil Service Commission.

2-4-2 AUTHORITY:

The Police Civil Service Commission is established under the authority of RCW 35A.11.020.

2-4-3 FUNCTION:
The Police Civil Service Commission shall have power to make such rules and regulations as are necessary to effectuate the purposes of Chapters 41.08 and 41.12 RCW. The Commission shall also have the power to make rules and regulations governing the Commission in the conduct of its meetings and any other matter over which it has authority. Any police civil service rules and regulations in effect as of the adoption of this Chapter are hereby confirmed as the present police civil service rules and regulations.

**2-4-4 APPOINTMENT AND MEMBERS:**

The Civil Service Commission shall consist of five (5) members, who shall be appointed by the Mayor. No person shall be appointed a member of such Commission unless that person is a citizen of the United States, a resident of the City for at least three (3) years immediately preceding such appointment, and is an elector of the county wherein he or she resides. At the time of any appointment, no more than two Commissioners shall be adherents of the same political party.

**2-4-5 TERMS; VACANCIES:**

The term of office of such Commissioners shall be for six (6) years. The members of the commission serving at the time of this Chapter shall serve the remaining portions of their terms. Any member of such Commission may be removed from office for incompetence, incompatibility or dereliction of duty, or malfeasance of office, or other good cause; provided, however, that no member of the Commission shall be removed until charges have been preferred, in writing, due
notice and a full hearing had before the remaining members of the Commission. The members of such Commission shall devote due time and attention to the performance of the duties hereinafter specified, and imposed upon them him/her. Should any member of the Commission resign from office or be removed from office, then the Mayor shall appoint a successor to that position for the remainder of the unexpired term.

2-4-6 QUORUM AND VOTING:

Three (3) members of the Commission shall constitute a quorum and the votes of any three (3) members concurring shall be the decision of the Commission.

SECTION III. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or work of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court or competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality thereof shall not affect the constitutionality of any other section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance.

SECTION IV. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after publication of a summary of this ordinance in the City’s official newspaper. The summary shall consist of this ordinance’s title.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this _______ day of ___________________, 2019.

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Jason A. Seth, City Clerk
APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this _______ day of _____________________, 2019.

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Denis Law, Mayor

Approved as to form:

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Shane Moloney, City Attorney

Date of Publication: ____________

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