

ORDINANCE _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE II OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF KILLEEN, TEXAS, BY AMENDING SECTION 6-36, ANIMAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on September 21, 2021, the City Council reviewed applications to various boards, commissions and committees in order to make annual appointments; and

WHEREAS, in discussing the Animal Advisory Committee, it was proposed that the number of citizen appointments would be reduced; and

WHEREAS, the City Council approved a motion of direction for staff to bring forward an ordinance to reduce the number of citizen appointments to the Animal Advisory Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KILLEEN:

SECTION I. That Chapter 6, ANIMALS, Article II is hereby amended as follows:

**ARTICLE II. ANIMAL SERVICES
DIVISION 1. GENERALLY**

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Sec. 6-36. Animal Advisory Committee.

- (a) An animal advisory committee shall be appointed by the city council and shall be composed of at least one (1) licensed veterinarian, one (1) city official, one (1) person whose duties include the daily operation of the city's animal shelter, ~~and~~ one (1) representative from an animal welfare organization, and one ~~seven (7)~~ three (3) citizens.

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SECTION II: That all ordinances or resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict with the provisions of the ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION III: That should any section or part of any section or paragraph of the ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional for any reason, it shall not invalidate or impair the validity, force or effect of any other section or sections or part of a section or paragraph of this ordinance.

SECTION IV: That the Code of Ordinances of the City of Killeen, Texas, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect, save and except as amended by this ordinance.

SECTION V: That this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Killeen, Texas, this 14th day of December, 2021, at which meeting a quorum was present, held in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A., Government Code, §551.001 *et seq.*

APPROVED

Jose L. Segarra, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Lucy C. Aldrich, CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Traci S. Briggs, CITY ATTORNEY