



City of Killeen

Legislation Text

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Consider a memorandum/resolution appointing members to the Downtown Advisory Committee.

DATE: **March 21, 2023**

TO: **Kent Cagle, City Manager**

FROM: **Edwin Revell, Executive Director of Development Services**

SUBJECT: **Appoint Members to the Downtown Advisory Committee**

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

The City Council authorized the creation of the Downtown Advisory Committee on December 13, 2022 (RS-22-169R). The Committee's purpose is to participate in the ongoing downtown revitalization efforts by engaging stakeholders and advocating for downtown Killeen. This Committee also assists the Downtown Revitalization Director in developing programs, promoting city and private events, and other activities encouraging historic preservation and economic development.

The City Council approved the committee be comprised of eleven (11) members, consisting of four (4) at-large representatives that are City of Killeen community member-business leaders and one (1) representative from each of the following entities:

- a. Killeen Arts Commission
- b. Heritage Preservation Board
- c. Fort Hood
- d. Downtown Merchant Association
- e. Hispanic-American Chamber of Commerce
- f. Innovation Black Chamber of Commerce
- g. Greater Killeen Chamber of Commerce

THE ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

1. The City Council may choose not to appoint any members at this time,
2. Appoint one or more members,
3. Appoint the following ten (10) members, which consists of four (4) at-large representatives, and one (1) representative from the Killeen Arts Commission, Heritage Preservation Board, Fort Hood, Downtown Merchant Association, Innovation Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Greater Killeen Chamber of

Commerce.

At-large Representative	Sharon Hines
At-large Representative	Carlos Pineda
At-large Representative	Toni Ringgold
At-large Representative	Melanie Baak
Killeen Arts Commission	Ashley Rodriguez
Heritage Preservation Board	Albert Galbreath
Fort Hood	Tenesa Davis
Downtown Merchant Association	Norman Mitchell
Innovation Black Chamber of Commerce	Khandiese Cooper
Greater Killeen Chamber of Commerce	Rebekah Moon
Hispanic-American Chamber of Commerce	Juan Rivera

Which alternative is recommended? Why?

Staff recommends that City Council appoint the ten (10) member committee so that the committee can begin to meet.

CONFORMITY TO CITY POLICY:

Making these appointments conforms to city policy.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

What is the amount of the expenditure in the current fiscal year? For future years?

There are no current or future expenditures with these appointments.

Is this a one-time or recurring expenditure?

N/A

Is this expenditure budgeted?

N/A

If not, where will the money come from?

N/A

Is there a sufficient amount in the budgeted line-item for this expenditure?

N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council appoint the ten (10) member committee.

DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:

This item has been reviewed by Legal.

ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Presentation