

ORDINANCES
MILES CITY, MONTANA

ORDINANCE NO. 1198

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 2-54 AND 2-55 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MILES CITY, MONTANA TO REQUIRE APPROVAL OF A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CITY COUNCIL AS TO THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENTS TO STANDING COMMITTEES, PROVIDING FOR A STANDING COMMITTEE ON FLOOD CONTROL AND DEFINING THE DUTIES OF SUCH STANDING COMMITTEE, CLARIFYING PROVISIONS AS TO THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES, REPEALING CONFLICTING CODE PROVISIONS AND ORDINANCE , AND PROVIDING A DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE OF JANUARY 1, 2011 FOR THE PROVISIONS REQUIRING CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Miles City, Montana as follows:

Section 1. Section 2-54 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Miles City, Montana is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 2-54. Standing Committees - Created and designated.

At the first regular meeting of the city council after the first Monday in January of each year, the mayor, with the approval of a majority of the membership of the city council, shall appoint standing committees each consisting of four members of the city council, one from each ward, for the ensuing year as follows:

- (1) Committee on Finance.
- (2) Committee on Public Safety.
- (3) Committee on Public Services.
- (4) Committee on Human Resources.
- (5) Committee on Flood Control”

Section 2. Section 2-55 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Miles City, Montana is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 2-55. Same--Duties.

- (a) To the committee on Finance shall be referred all policy matters related to the financial condition of the city including regular revenue and expenditures reviews; department budget preparation and reviews; auditing and passing upon all bills and claims presented against the city; and auditing of all books of accounts of all city officers. This committee shall also consider all policy matters related to apportionment, property rented or leased by the city and all zoning matters.
- (b) To the committee on Public Safety shall be referred all policy matters related to the Fire and Ambulance and Police Departments, including dispatch and animal/parking control, of the City; all safety matters concerning the inspection and regulation of buildings and occupancy of buildings; all matters related to the prevention and abatement of nuisances as well as all matters related to city court.

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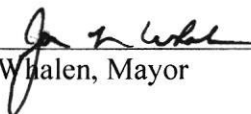
- (c) To the committee on Public Services shall be referred all policy matters related to streets and alleys of the city; water and sewer plant matters; mains and facilities, both public and private; and use of recreational facilities of the city including parks, playgrounds, libraries, public amusements and entertainment.
- (d) To the committee on Human Resources shall be referred all policy matters related to the recruitment, management and development of the human resources of the city including periodic review of the pay and classification systems for city employees. This committee will serve as a review board for employee grievances as directed by written city policy or as directed by the city council. To this committee union grievances concerning "Phase II" shall be referred for recommendation to the whole council. The committee will serve as a review board for probationary performance evaluations as provided by written policy or as directed by the city council.
- (e) To the committee on Flood Control shall be referred all policy matters related to flood control and floodplain management, including abatement and mitigation plans, disaster management plans pertaining to flood readiness and response, revisions to the flood insurance rate map (LOMRs), and policies pertaining to the National Flood Insurance Program such as the Community Rating System (CRS). To this committee the mayor shall refer all ordinances introduced dealing with matters relating to this section.

Section 3: All provisions and references to a Committee on Public Welfare in Sections 2-54 and 2-55 are hereby repealed and deleted.

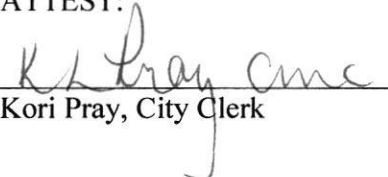
Section 4: Ordinance No. 988 providing for a Personnel Board is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 5: This Ordinance shall become effective thirty days after its final passage, except that the provisions in Section 1 of this Ordinance requiring city council approval of appointments to standing committees shall not take effect until **January 1, 2011**.

Said ordinance read and put on its passage this 9th day of February, 2010.

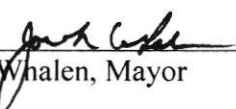


Joe Whalen, Mayor

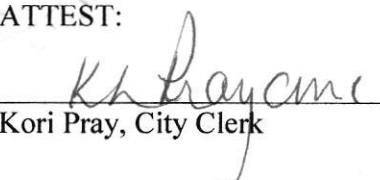
ATTEST:


Kori Pray, City Clerk

FINALLY PASSED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of April, 2010.



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