

Submitted by: Chair Traini and Assemblymember Taylor

Prepared by: Department of Assembly

For reading: August 6, 2002

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

AO NO. 2002-123

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE AMENDING ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE 4, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 4.60.240, AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT ADVISORY COMMISSION

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY ORDAINS:

Section 1: That AMC Section 4.60 is amended by enacting a new Section 4.60.240, Americans with Disabilities Act Advisory Commission, to read as follows:

4.60.240 Americans With Disabilities Act Advisory Commission.

There is established an Americans with Disabilities Act Advisory Commission consisting of seven members with three members from active disability organizations and four members within the community. The Director of the Department of Health and Human Services or a designee selected by the Mayor will act as the Executive Secretary for the Commission.

The Commission shall:

- A. Review the Americans with Disabilities Act in order to maintain a clear and comprehensive understanding of Federal legislation addressing all forms of discrimination against individuals on the basis of disability.
- B. Make recommendations to the Mayor and Assembly for the adoption, change or repeal of Municipal laws, rules, regulations, restrictions or other matters affecting individuals with disabilities.
- C. Act in an advisory capacity to the Mayor and the Assembly in matters of policy concerning Anchorage's implementation of the Americans With Disabilities Act.
- D. Report at least ~~quarterly~~ ^{annually} to the Mayor and the Assembly on individuals with disabilities issues and progress in relevant areas such as employment and public and private accommodations.
- E. Identify Municipal facilities and employment procedures that require modifications and advise the Mayor and Assembly of those issues.

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- 2 F. Undertake efforts to open and maintain channels of communications with
- 3 Anchorage's disabled community and to periodically hold hearings on matters
- 4 of importance to that community, the Anchorage community as a whole, and
- 5 the municipal government.
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- 7 G. Carry out educational and public relations programs designed to create public
- 8 awareness.
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- 10 H. Perform such other powers and duties as the Assembly may refer from time
- 11 to time.

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13 Section 2: That this ordinance is effective ~~upon passage and approval.~~ *January 1, 2003.*

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15 PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 20th day of

16 August, 2002.

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MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE
Summary of Economic Effects -- General Government

AO Number: 2002-123

Title: Amending AMC Title 4 to Add the Americans With Disabilities Act Advisory Commission

Sponsor: Chair Traini

Preparing Agency: Department of Assembly

Others Impacted: Department of Health and Human Services

CHANGES IN EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES:

(In Thousands of Dollars)

	<u>FY02</u>	FY03	FY04	<u>FY05</u>	FY06
Operating Expenditures					
1000 Personal Services					
2000 Non-Labor					
3900 Contributions					
4000 Debt Service					
TOTAL DIRECT COSTS:	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Add: 6000 Charges from Others					
Less: 7000 Charges to Others					
FUNCTION COST:	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

REVENUES:

CAPITAL:

POSITIONS: FT/PT and Temp

PUBLIC SECTOR ECONOMIC EFFECTS:

Although the Anchorage Municipal Code provides for compensation to advisory boards or commissions in the amount of \$20 per member for each meeting attended, the estimated public sector economic effects will be substantially lower than \$30,000. For example, if one meeting per month was held, the annual compensation would be based on the seven member board in addition to some staff time spent attending meetings, providing minutes of meetings, and possible costs for a meal depending on the time of day the meetings are held.

PRIVATE SECTOR ECONOMIC EFFECTS:

There are no substantial, if any, private sector economic effects anticipated.

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Approved by: 

Director/Municipal Clerk

Date: 8/5/02



MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

NO. 712-2002

Meeting Date: August 6, 2002

From: Chair Traini

Subject: AO 2002-123 AMENDING ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE 4,
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 4.60.240,
AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT ADVISORY COMMISSION

The Americans With Disabilities Act Advisory Commission was established in February, 1992 with an ultimate goal of maintaining channels of communications with Anchorage's disabled community. The Anchorage Municipal Code Section 4.05.150 states that newly created boards and commissions "shall have a life not to exceed three years." It also states that prior to the termination, continuation, or re-establishment of the board or commission, a public hearing "shall be held and the board or commission shall demonstrate the need for its continuation." The Commission was re-established in 1995 and 1998, but in December 2000, the recommended sunset occurred.

Since the Commission is no longer in existence, a new section of the Code must be established to re-enact the Americans With Disabilities Act Advisory Commission. AO 2002-123, if approved, will bring back a commission that we believe serves a pertinent public purpose and is needed within our diverse community.

Respectfully submitted,

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Assemblymember

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Reviewed by:

Greg Moyer
Greg Moyer, Director
Department of Assembly/Municipal Clerk

Municipality of Anchorage
MUNICIPAL CLERK'S OFFICE
Agenda Document Control Sheet

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(SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION)

1	SUBJECT OF AGENDA DOCUMENT An Ordinance Amending AMC Title 4, Boards and Commissions, by Adding a New Section 4.60.240, Americans with Disabilities Act Advisory Commission	DATE PREPARED 2-Aug-02 Indicate Documents Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AO <input type="checkbox"/> AR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AIM		
2	DEPARTMENT NAME Assembly	DIRECTOR'S NAME Greg Moyer		
3	THE PERSON THE DOCUMENT WAS ACTUALLY PREPARED BY Elvi Gray-Jackson	HIS/HER PHONE NUMBER 343-4751		
4	COORDINATED WITH AND REVIEWED BY	<table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">INITIALS</th> <th style="width: 50%;">DATE</th> </tr> </table>	INITIALS	DATE
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	Mayor			
	Heritage Land Bank			
	Merrill Field Airport			
	Municipal Light & Power			
	Port of Anchorage			
	Solid Waste Services			
	Water & Wastewater Utility			
	Municipal Manager			
	Cultural & Recreational Services			
	Employee Relations			
	Finance, Chief Fiscal Officer			
	Fire			
	Health & Human Services			
	Office of Management and Budget			
	Management Information Services			
	Police			
	Planning, Development & Public Works			
	Development Services			
	Facility Management			
	Planning			
	Project Management & Engineering			
	Street Maintenance			
	Traffic			
	Public Transportation Department			
	Purchasing			
	Municipal Attorney			
	Municipal Clerk			
	Other			
5	Special Instructions/Comments <i>Addendum</i> <i>9 F. Introduction</i>			
6	ASSEMBLY HEARING DATE REQUESTED <i>8/6/02</i>	PUBLIC HEARING DATE REQUESTED <i>8/20/02</i>		

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