

ORDINANCE NO. 501

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MANOR, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTIONS 1.06.032 AND 1.06.063 OF ARTICLE 1.06, CHAPTER 1, OF THE MANOR CODE OF ORDINANCES TO COMPLY WITH CHARTER PROVISIONS REGARDING THE APPOINTMENT OF THE CITY SECRETARY AND THE DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Manor, Texas (the "City") desires to amend the procedure for appointment of the city secretary and director of development services to be consistent with the terms of the City Charter; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the proposed amendments and finds that the amendments are reasonable and necessary to comply with provisions of the City Charter;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANOR, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. Findings. The above and foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein as findings of fact.

Section 2. Amendment of Article 1.06, Section 1.06.032. Chapter 1, General Provisions, Article 1.06, Officers, Employees and Departments, Section 1.06.032 of the Manor Code of Ordinances is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

Sec. 1.06.032 Appointment

The city manager shall appoint the city secretary. The position of city secretary shall be an at-will position, removable with or without cause, serving at the leisure of the city manager. Any vacancy in the office of city secretary shall be filled by the city manager.

Section 3. Amendment of Article 1.06, Section 1.06.063. Chapter 1, General Provisions, Article 1.06, Officers, Employees and Departments, Section 1.06.063 of the Manor Code of Ordinances is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

Sec. 1.06.063 Appointment of director

The city manager shall appoint the director of development services. The position of director of development services shall be an at-will position, removable with or without cause, serving at the leisure of the city manager. Any vacancy in the office of director of development services shall be filled by the city manager.

Section 4. Conflicting Ordinances. Article 1.06, Sections 1.06.032 and 1.06.062, Chapter 1, Manor Code of Ordinance, is amended as provided herein. All ordinances or parts thereof conflicting or inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance as adopted herein, are hereby amended to the extent of such conflict. In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this Ordinance and any other code or ordinance of the City, the terms and provisions of this Ordinance shall govern.

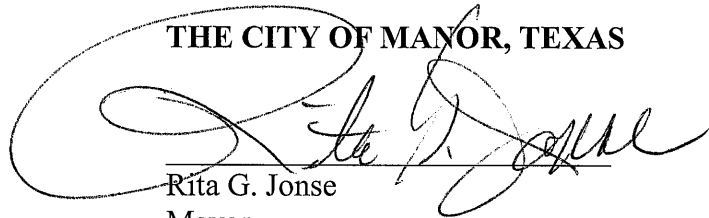
Section 5. Severability. If any provision of this Ordinance or the application of any provision to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 6. Open Meetings. It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Section 7. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Local Government Code.


PASSED AND APPROVED this 3rd day of January 2018.

THE CITY OF MANOR, TEXAS



Rita G. Jonse
Mayor

ATTEST:


Luvia Tijerina
City Secretary

