

ORDINANCE NO. 39-02

By: John B. Rohyans

An Ordinance to implement Sections 8, 49, 50 and 56 of the Bexley City Charter as amended by the electors on November 6, 2001, by amending various provision of the Bexley Codified Ordinances to fix terms of board and commission members which comply with the Bexley City Charter, as amended, and by resetting the terms of members of various City boards and commissions, and to declare an emergency.

WHEREAS, Section 8 of the Bexley City Charter was amended on November 6, 2001, to establish uniform terms of three years commencing July 1 for members of all boards and commissions, except as otherwise required by law, and to provide that all vacancies in a board or commission shall be filled for the unexpired term of such offices; and

WHEREAS, Sections 49, 50 and 56 of the Bexley City Charter were amended to reduce the term of members of the Board of Health, Civil Service Commission and Planning Commission, respectively, to three years; and

WHEREAS, various provisions of the Bexley Codified Ordinances provide for board and commission terms which conflict with Section 8 of the Bexley City Charter, as amended, and members of City boards and commissions presently serve terms of varying lengths and ending on various dates; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend various provisions of the Bexley Codified Ordinances and to reset the terms of incumbent members and to fix the terms of newly appointed members in order to comply with Section 8 of the Bexley City Charter, as amended;

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

Section 1. That the terms of the current members of the Board of Health shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Dr. Tearle Meyer – 2002
Dr. Thomas R. Ryan – 2003
Carolyn Slack – 2002
Marcia Early – 2004
Irene Comeras – 2004

Section 2. That the terms of the current members of the Civil Service Commission shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Charles A. Dozer – 2002
Thomas Bolon – 2003
Daniel Koons – 2004

Section 3. That the terms of the current members of the Planning Commission shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Gerald H. Swedlow – 2004
Jan Zupnick – 2003
Elsie Blount - 2003
Peter D. Foster - 2002
Michael Paplow – 2004

Section 4. That Section 271.02 of the Administration Code is hereby amended to reduce the term of members of the Records Commission from five to three years as follows:

271.02. MEMBERSHIP.

The Records Commission shall be composed of the Mayor or a representative appointed by the Mayor, as chairman, the City Auditor, the City Attorney, and a citizen appointed by the Mayor. The citizen member shall serve for a term of **three** years or until his or her successor is appointed. Members shall serve without pay. The Commission shall appoint a secretary, who may or may not be a member of the Commission and who shall serve at the pleasure of the Commission. The Commission may employ an archivist to serve under its direction. The Commission shall meet at least once every six months and upon call by the chairman.

Section 5. That the term of the current citizen member of the Records Commission shall expire on June 30, 2002.

Section 6. That Section 1264.12 of the Zoning Code is hereby amended to reduce the term of members of the Board of Zoning Appeals from five years to three years as follows:

1264.12. BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS; MEMBERSHIP; RULES.

There is hereby established a Board of Zoning Appeals which shall consist of seven regular members and **four** alternate members appointed by the Mayor and approved by Council. The Mayor with the approval of Council shall choose a successor to fill any vacancies. Each regular member shall serve a term of **three** years. The alternate members shall be appointed from the ranks of former members of the Board and shall serve for a period of **three** years. The alternate members shall serve only during the absence of a regular member. One member only of the Planning Commission may be appointed to the Board of Zoning Appeals. The Board shall adopt rules necessary to the conduct of its affairs and in keeping with the provisions of the Zoning Code.

Section 7. That the terms of the current members of the Board of Zoning Appeals shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Regular Members

James M. Merkel – 2002
Thomas Lewis – 2004
Dan Roslovic – 2003
Karen Bokor – 2004
Dean Wenz – 2002
Michael Simpson – 2003
Vacancy – 2002

Alternate Members

Peter Bardwell – 2003
Robert Loversidge – 2004
Elizabeth Farrar – 2003
Sam Powers – 2002

Section 8. That the terms of the current members of the Recreation Board shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Dr. Christopher Masoner – 2004
Ilene Comeras – 2002
David Valinsky – 2004
Cynthia Phillips – 2002
Adele O'Conner – 2003
School Board Member – 2003

Section 9. That the terms of the current members of the Main Street Redevelopment Commission shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

William Schottenstein – 2002
Jack Jeffrey – 2004
Gerald Swedlow – 2004
Peter Grimes – 2003
Mark Barbash – 2003
Jill Morrelli – 2002
Don Brosius – 2004
Stelios Giannopoulos – 2003
Larry Long – 2002

Section 10. That the terms of the current voting members of the Technology Commission shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Bruce Clauter – 2004
Mitch Fries – 2003
Reg Haywood – 2005
Peggy Makley – 2003
Vacancy – 2004

Section 11. That the terms of the current voting members of the Tree and Public Gardens Commission shall expire on June 30 of the year set forth opposite the name of each member:

Susan Quintenz – 2002
DeeDee Glimcher – 2004
Dave Wakeman – 2002
Linda Zupnick – 2003
Mark Schieber – 2004
Mollie O'Donnell – 2002
Paul Redman – 2003
Paige Crane – 2004
Vacancy – 2003

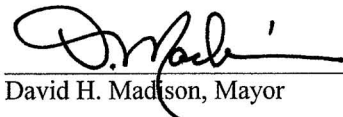
Section 12. That this Ordinance is an emergency Ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, said emergency being the necessity of filling terms of office of members of City boards and commissions commencing July 1, 2002, in accordance with the City Charter, and shall go into effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: 5-28, 2002

Attest: 
Clerk of Council


President of Council

Approved: 5/28, 2002


David H. Madison, Mayor

4/23/02 First reading.
5/14/02 Second reading
5/28/02 Third reading. Passed