

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 26

A CHARTER ORDINANCE AMENDING CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 21
IN ORDER TO ALTER AND SPECIFICALLY DEFINE QUORUM
REQUIREMENTS NECESSARY TO HOLD A LEGALLY VALID MEETING
OF THE CITY OF SEDGWICK, KANSAS CITY COUNCIL.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SEDGWICK, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. Authority. The City of Sedgwick, Kansas, by virtue of the power vested in it by Article 12, Section 5 of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, hereby elects to amend Charter Ordinance no. 21 in order to alter and specifically define quorum requirements necessary to convene and hold a legally valid meeting of the City of Sedgwick, Kansas City Council.

Section 2. Amendment. Section 2 of Charter Ordinance No. 21 is hereby amended from:

Regular and Special Meetings. Regular meetings of the Council shall be held at such times as shall be prescribed by ordinance, but not less than once each month. Special meetings may be called by the Mayor, on written request of any three (3) members of the Council, specifying the object and purpose of such meeting, which shall be read at the meeting and recorded in the journal of minutes of the meeting of the Council. In all cases it shall require four (4) of the five (5) Council members elect to constitute a quorum to do business; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day and may compel the attendance of absent members in such a manner and under such penalties as the Council, by ordinance, may have previously prescribed.

to read as follows, to wit:

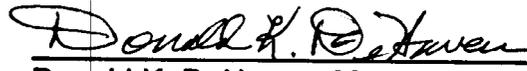
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Section 3. Remainder Unchanged. The remainder of Charter Ordinance No. 21 shall remain unchanged.

Section 4. Publication. This Charter Ordinance shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks in the official city newspaper.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Charter Ordinance shall take effect 61 days after final publication unless a sufficient petition for referendum is filed, requiring a referendum to be held on the ordinance as provided in Article 12. Section 5 of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, in which case this Charter Ordinance shall become effective upon approval by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20 day of December, 2010.


Donald K. DeHaven, Mayor

Attest:


Janise R. Enterkin, City Clerk

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