

**CITY OF ANGELS
CITY COUNCIL
ORDINANCE 549**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ANGELS CITY COUNCIL REVISING CHAPTER 17.85 OF
THE ANGELS MUNICIPAL CODE TO ADDRESS APPOINTMENTS TO, AND VACANCIES ON,
THE PLANNING COMMISSION**

WHEREAS, the City of Angels Planning Commission is required to develop and maintain a comprehensive, long-term general plan for the physical development of the city of Angels planning area as provided by the California Planning and Zoning Law in addition to multiple other duties as established in Chapter 17.85 of the City of Angels Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, from time to time the planning commission may have one or more vacancies while the City Council gathers applications and interviews to fill vacancies for expired terms; and

WHEREAS, this may interfere with the ability of the planning commission to establish a quorum necessary to complete its duties; and

WHEREAS, the proposed code amendments are consistent with the City of Angels General Plan; and

WHEREAS, The proposed code amendments are consistent with the City of Angels Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the proposed code amendments will not be substantially detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the city; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the state and City guidelines for implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the proposed amendment is exempt from further review, pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) which states that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment (the common sense exemption). Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA.

WHEREAS, the City Council passed Resolution of Intent 25-54 on August 5, 2025, stating its intent to adopt this ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the City of Angels City Council did hold a public hearing on October 7, 2025, introducing the ordinance and set and held a second public hearing to consider adoption on October 21, 2025;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Angels City Council hereby adopts Ordinance 549 in accordance with **Attachment A** based on the following findings:

1. The proposed code amendments are consistent with the City of Angels General Plan; and
2. The proposed code amendments are consistent with the City of Angels Municipal Code; and
3. The proposed code amendments will not be substantially detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the city; but will, in fact, assist in protecting the health, safety, and general welfare of the community; and
4. Pursuant to the state and City guidelines for implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the proposed amendment is exempt from further review, pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) which states that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing

a significant effect on the environment (the common sense exemption). Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA.

Section 2:

The foregoing Ordinance or a summary shall, before the expiration of fifteen (15) days of its passage, be published with the names of the Council members voting for and against the same once in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Calaveras, State of California, and said Ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days after the passage thereof.

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced at a regular meeting of the City of Angels City Council held on October 7, 2025, and passed and adopted as an ordinance of said City at a regular meeting of said Council held on October 21, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

Michael Chimente, Mayor

Michelle Gonzalez, Deputy City Clerk



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