

RESOLUTION NO. 2382

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE CHARTER REVIEW PROCESS AND CHARTER REVIEW COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the City of Hermiston (“City”) City Charter (“Charter”) is essentially the constitution for the City; and

WHEREAS, the City should periodically review the existing Charter to determine if it adequately serves the community; and

WHEREAS, the Charter was last reviewed and amended in 2015; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it wishes to form a Charter Review Committee to make recommendations to the City Council about whether the Charter should be updated or changed.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HERMISTON RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the City Council establishes a Charter Review Committee for the purpose of reviewing the City Charter in a comprehensive manner and advising the City Council with regard to potential proposed changes to the Charter and the possible referral of said changes to City voters at a future election.
2. That the Charter Review Committee shall consist of not more than seven (7) members made up of city electors appointed through the City Council committee vacancy review process.
3. That the Charter Review Committee shall be subject to and follow the document entitled “Expectations of the Charter Review Committee” attached as Exhibit A which is incorporated herein by this reference.
4. That this resolution is effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Common Council this 28th day of July 2025.

SIGNED by the Mayor this 28th day of July 2025.

Doug Primmer, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Lilly Alarcon-Strong, CMC, CITY RECORDER