

**CITY OF NEW PRAGUE  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY CHARTER**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of New Prague, Minnesota will conduct a public hearing on October 21, 2024, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon as possible thereafter, at the New Prague City Hall located at 118 Central Avenue North, New Prague, Minnesota, to consider oral and written testimony concerning proposed amendments to Section 2.03 of the Home Rule Charter of the City.

The New Prague Charter Commission recommends that the amendments to the City Charter be adopted by ordinance of the City Council in the manner prescribed by Minnesota Statutes Section 410.12, subdivision 7. Under that procedure, after the public hearing, the ordinance is enacted if it receives an affirmative vote of all members of the City Council and is approved by the Mayor and published as in the case of other ordinances. The adopting ordinance is effective 90 days after its passage and publication. If within 60 days thereof, a petition requesting a referendum signed by registered voters equal in number to five percent of the registered voters in the city, or 2,000, whichever is less, is filed with the City Clerk, the ordinance is not effective until approved by the voters in a general or special election or the Council may reconsider its action in adopting the ordinance.

The proposed amendments would amend Section 2.03 of the City Charter as follows:

**Section 2.03. CITY COUNCIL COMPOSITION AND ELECTION.** The City Council shall be composed of a Mayor and four (4) Council members elected at large. The Mayor and each City Council member shall serve a term of four (4) years and until the successor is elected and qualifies. ~~The Mayor shall serve for a term of two (2) years and until the successor is elected and qualifies.~~

Anyone wishing to express an opinion about the proposed amendments to the City Charter orally or in writing will be heard at the public hearing. Questions regarding the proposed amendments to the City Charter to be considered by the City Council should be directed to Joshua M. Tetzlaff, City Administrator, at City Hall.

Dated: September \_\_\_\_, 2024.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF NEW PRAGUE,  
MINNESOTA

/s/ Joshua M. Tetzlaff\_\_\_\_\_  
City Administrator