



## Common Council Agenda Item

Meeting Date: 6/3/25

Agenda Item: Committee Member Removal Ordinance

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### BACKGROUND

(Enter the who, what, when, where, why)

The current ordinance, Section 2.48.080, only describes how to remove a member from the Industrial Development Commission. However, this language is outdated. Since then, a new, more comprehensive rule—Ordinance 2.12.013—was adopted. That newer ordinance sets a uniform process for removing members from any city board or commission, not just one.

To avoid confusion and ensure consistency across all city committees, we need to update Section 2.48.080 so it aligns with the broader, citywide rule in 2.12.013. This will modernize the code and make sure all commission members are treated equally under the same removal standards. The current wording singles out just one commission.

The updated rule already exists (Ordinance 2.12.013), but the old language hasn't been cleaned up yet. Leaving both versions in place could lead to confusion or legal ambiguity.

### PREVIOUS ACTIONS – COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

(Dates, committees, action taken)

N/A

### FINANCIAL IMPACT

(If none, state N/A)

N/A

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Adopt the ordinance amendment to bring Section 2.48.080 into alignment with Ordinance 2.12.013. Waive the second reading to streamline the update process and avoid unnecessary delay.

### ATTACHMENT(S) INCLUDED

(If none, state N/A)

Memo from Atty Brovold.