

Ordinance 0002-25 – Board and Commission Appointments

An ordinance to amend Chapter 2, Article III, Divisions 1 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine, Wisconsin.

The Common Council of the City of Racine, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

Part 1: Chapter 2, Article III, Section 2-167 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine is created as follows:

Chapter 2, Article III, Section 2-167 – Board and commission appointments.

Notwithstanding anything else contained in this code of ordinances, if the mayor has not appointed members to the following boards or commissions within 60 days of a vacancy or of the end of an incumbent's term, such appointment shall be made by the common council president within 30 days thereafter:

affirmative action and human rights commission; board of ethics; board of parks, recreation, and cultural services; community development block grant advisory board; civic centre commission; due process board; sex offender residency board; sister city commission; waterworks commission.

Part 2: This ordinance shall take effect upon passage by a majority vote of the members-elect of the City of Racine Common Council and publication or posting as required by law.

Fiscal Note: N/A

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes section 62.09(8)(c), the mayor shall have the veto power as to all acts of the common council, except such as to which it is expressly or by necessary implication otherwise provided. All such acts shall be submitted to the mayor by the clerk and shall be in force upon approval evidenced by the mayor's signature, or upon failing to approve or disapprove within 5 days, which fact shall be certified thereon by the clerk. If the mayor disapproves, the mayor's objections shall be filed with the clerk, who shall present them to the council at its next meeting. A two-thirds vote of all the members of the council shall then make the act effective notwithstanding the objections of the mayor.