

Proposition 1. Qualification of council members- The change will provide that a Council Candidate must live in his or her ward 6 months prior to filing.

It will also provide that if the residence of a Council Member is destroyed or damaged by an ACT OF GOD, fire or other disaster and the residence is under repair or construction the residence requirement is met.

Proposition 2. Recall- The changes in the Recall section will tighten the reasons for a recall and will explain the steps necessary for a petition to go forward.

Any Council Member or Mayor may be recalled for reason of willful neglect of duty, corruption in office, habitual drunkenness, incompetency, or any offense involving moral turpitude committed in office.

Proposition 3. Abstention from voting- This proposal requires that once a Council Member, member of a board committee, or commission enters into discussion on an item they may abstain from voting but they will be deemed to have cast a negative vote. This follows Roberts Rules of Order.