

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF HENRY
CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

ORDINANCE NO. OR 13-340

AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY'S BOARD OF ETHICS AND SETTING THE TERMS THEREOF; REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Section 4.11 (b) of the City Charter provides that all members of boards, commissions, and authorities of the City shall be appointed by the City Council for such terms of office and in such manner as shall be provided by ordinance, except where other appointing authority, terms of office, or manner of appointment is prescribed by the City Charter or by law; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.40.060 (A) of the Stockbridge Municipal Code provides that the Stockbridge Board of Ethics shall consist of three residents of the City, one appointed solely by the Mayor, one appointed solely by the City Council, and one appointed by the Mayor and approved by a majority of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.40.060 (C) of the Stockbridge Municipal Code provides that all members of the Stockbridge Board of Ethics shall serve a four year term; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.40.060 of the Stockbridge Municipal Code sets forth the minimum qualifications for members of the Stockbridge Board of Ethics; and

WHEREAS, there are currently three existing vacancies on the Stockbridge Board of Ethics, and the Mayor and City Council wish to fill those vacancies; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council wish to fill the three existing vacancies on the Stockbridge Board of Ethics with individuals who meet the qualifications of Section 2.40.060, and set the terms of each such persons at four years.

NOW THEREFORE:

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Appointments and Salary. The Mayor and City Council of the City of Stockbridge, pursuant to its authority under Section 4.11 of the City Charter and Section 2.40.060 of the Stockbridge Municipal Code, hereby appoint the following qualified persons to four year terms on the Stockbridge Board of Ethics:

<u>Tyrone Anderson</u>	- Mayoral Appointee for term of four years
<u>Karen Charmaine</u>	- City Council Appointee for term of four years
<u>Kathy Gilbert</u>	- Appointee of Mayor and Council for term of four years

SECTION 2. Approval of Execution. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. Attestation. The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this ordinance, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

SECTION 4. Severability.

(a) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are and were upon their enactment believed by the City Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

(b) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that to the greatest extent allowed by law each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the City Council that to the greatest extent allowed by law no section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

(c) In the event that any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the City Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of the ordinance and that to the greatest extent allowed by law all remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of the ordinance shall remain valid, constitutional, enforceable, and of full force and effect.

SECTION 5. Repeal of Conflicting Provision. Except as otherwise provided herein, all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the City Council and final approval as provided in Section 3.23 of the City's Charter.

SO ORDAINED this 20th day of December, 2013.


MARK A. ALARCON, Mayor

ATTEST:


RHONDA A. BLACKMON, City Clerk (SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


WILLIAM J. LINKOUS, III, CITY ATTORNEY
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