

ORDINANCE NO. 17-\_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 204 (ASSISTANTS) OF PART 2 (APPOINTIVE OFFICERS; GENERAL PROVISIONS) OF ARTICLE 2 (OFFICERS OF THE CITY) OF CHAPTER 1 (ADMINISTRATION, PERSONNEL AND FINANCE) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS 2001, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO ASSISTANTS

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1. Section 204 (Assistants) of Part 2 (Appointive Officers; General Provisions) of Article 2 (Officers of the City) of Chapter 1 (Administration, Personnel and Finance) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is repealed. The codifier is instructed to renumber the remaining sections in Part 2 of Article 2 of Chapter 1.

~~1.2.204: ASSISTANTS:-~~

~~A. Chief Of Staff: The Mayor will appoint a Chief of Staff<sup>6</sup> who shall perform duties authorized by Charter and as directed by the Mayor.~~

~~B. City Attorney:~~

~~1. The City Attorney shall have assistants, both professional and nonprofessional, within and without the general fund, as authorized by the annual budget who shall perform duties as directed by the City Attorney. The City Attorney shall be responsible for the professional activities and efficiency of assistants.~~

~~2. The City Attorney shall have authority to employ special counsel to assist or conduct litigation and to assist or provide advice on any legal matters arising in the course of business for the City and its enterprises.~~

~~3. The City Council shall have authority to appoint special counsel to investigate the City Attorney or to conduct litigation where the City Attorney may be personally or officially disqualified.~~

~~C. City Clerk: The City Clerk shall have deputies and assistants as authorized by the annual budget who shall perform duties as directed by the City Clerk. The Clerk shall be responsible for the fidelity and efficiency of deputies.~~

~~D. Chief Financial Officer: The Chief Financial Officer shall have deputies and assistants as authorized by the annual budget who shall perform duties as directed by the Chief Financial Officer. The Chief Financial Officer shall be responsible for the fidelity and efficiency of deputies.~~

~~E. City Auditor: The City Auditor shall have assistants, clerical personnel or use of services of public accounting firms or consultants as authorized by the City Council for the conduct of the City Auditor's Office.~~

~~F. City Council Administrator: The City Council Administrator shall have assistants and clerical personnel, as authorized by the annual budget, who shall perform duties as directed by the City Council Administrator. The City Council Administrator shall be responsible for the activities and efficiency of assistants and clerical personnel.~~

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its final adoption and publication as provided by Charter.

Section 3. Council deems it appropriate that this ordinance be published by title and summary prepared by the City Clerk and that this ordinance be available for inspection and acquisition in the office of the City Clerk.

Introduced, read, passed on first reading and ordered published this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

**Finally passed:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Council President

**Mayor's Action:**

- Approved on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Disapproved on \_\_\_\_\_, based on the following objections:

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Mayor

**Council Action After Disapproval:**

- Council did not act to override the Mayor's veto.
- Finally adopted on a vote of \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Council action on \_\_\_\_\_ failed to override the Mayor's veto.

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Council President

ATTEST:

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Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk