

ORDINANCE NO. 1505

AN ORDINANCE BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS, CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE II, MAYOR AND COUNCIL, DIVISION 1, GENERALLY, SECTION 2-23, MAYOR'S DUTIES AND AUTHORITY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. That Ordinance No. 1472; Chapter 2, Article II, Division 1, Section 2-23 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Columbus, Kansas, are hereby amended to read as follows:

New Sec. 2-23. - Mayor's duties and authority.

The mayor shall preside at all meetings of the city council. The mayor shall have the tie-breaking vote on all questions when the members present are equally divided. The mayor shall:

- (1) Take care that the ordinances of the city are complied with;
- (2) Sign the commissions and appointments of all officers elected or appointed;
- (3) Endorse the approval of the city council on all official bonds;
- (4) Communicate to the city council such information and recommend such measures as he deems advisable;
- (5) Have the power to approve or veto any ordinance as the laws of the state shall prescribe;
- (6) Sign all orders and drafts drawn upon the city treasury for money;
- (7) All other powers as may be set out by ordinance.
- (8) Appoint one council member to be the representative of one of the following categories:
 - a. Administrative Committee: Budget and Finance; Personnel; Economic Development; Landbank; Housing; Transient Guest Tax funding.
 - b. City Property: Property (structures); Cemetery; Pool; Parks; and Special Parks funding.
 - c. Emergency Response: Police; Fire; Code; Licensing and Permitting; Animal Control.

d. Streets/Alleys/Bridges/Stormwater: Streets; Alleys; Bridges and Stormwater; Special Streets funding.

e. Public Works: Sanitation; Water and Sewer.

(9) Appoint one alternate council member to each business category to serve in the absence of the category representative appointed in section (8) above.

(Code 2014, § 1-205; Ord. No. 1472, § 1, 9-8-2020, eff. 1-1-2021, Code 2020 § 2-23)

State Law reference— Powers and duties of mayor, K.S.A. 14-301 et seq.

SECTION 2. All ordinances and resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed in so far as they conflict herewith.

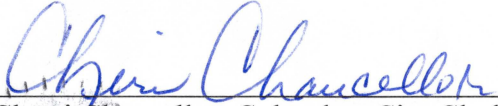
SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon passage and shall be published in the official City newspaper.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Governing Body of the City of Columbus, Kansas, this 17th day of January, 2023.



Grant Spieth, Mayor

ATTEST:



Cherri Chancellor, Columbus City Clerk

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