COUNCIL CHAMBER

August 27, 2025

WHEREAS, it is a priority of this Mayoral Administration to ensure that the City of Dallas practices fiscal responsibility and serves as a prudent steward of taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, it is a priority of this Mayoral Administration that the City of Dallas be efficient in its internal operations, delivery of public services, and interactions with other branches and levels of government; and

WHEREAS, transparency, accountability, and direct participation are critical to a functioning democratic government.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That Paragraph (a) of Subsection 9.1, "Committees Established," of Section 9, "City Council Committees," of the City Council Rules of Procedure is amended to read as follows:

- "(a) The following standing committees of the city council are established:
 - (1) Economic Development.
 - (2) Parks, Trails, and the Environment.
 - (3) <u>Finance</u> [Government Performance and Financial

Management].

- (4) Housing and Homelessness Solutions.
- (5) Public Safety.
- (6) Quality of Life, Arts, and Culture.
- (7) Transportation and Infrastructure.
- (8) Government Efficiency [Workforce, Education, and Equity]."

- **SECTION 2.** That Subsection 9.3 "Committee Meetings" of Section 9, "City Council Committees" of the City Council Rules of Procedure is amended by adding a new Paragraph (c) to read as follows:
- "(c) Only members of the committee who are physically present at the location specified in the posted meeting notice or are appearing by videoconference due to official city business at the direction of the city council, will be considered to be in attendance at the meeting."
- **SECTION 3.** That the City Council Rules of Procedure, as amended, will remain in full force and effect, safe and except as amended by this resolution.
- **SECTION 4.** That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.