

Memorandum



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TO The Honorable Eric Johnson

FROM Adam Bazaldua, District 7

SUBJECT Request for Placement of Agenda Item – Council Member(s)

ITEM/ISSUE PROPOSED FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION:

Pursuant to Section 6.2 of the City Council Rules of Procedure, please refer the following item to a city council committee within 15 calendar days after receipt of this request:

An ordinance amending Chapter 8, "Boards and Commissions," of the Dallas City Code by amending Section 8-1.4, "Qualification Considerations in Appointments to Boards," by adding a waiver of special qualifications for appointees to certain boards and commissions in other chapters of the Dallas City Code.

BRIEF BACKGROUND:

Section 8-1.4 of the Dallas City Code requires that all board and commission appointees meet seven qualifications. In addition, other chapters in the Dallas City Code may require special qualifications for specific boards and commissions, such as the Landmark Commission. This proposed amendment would allow city council to waive a special qualification when to do so would be in the public interest.

Submitted for consideration by:

Adam Bazaldua

Dist. 7

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Supporting Council Member Signatures (4 Signatures Only):

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Dist. # 5

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Paula Blackmon

Dist. # 9

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Chad West

Dist. # 1

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Attachment: Draft Ordinance

c: Honorable Council Members
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