

CHARTER REVISION COMMISSION

Sec. 17.101. - Charter Revision Commission creation and procedures.

There is hereby created a Charter Revision Commission of the City. The commission shall be appointed during the month of August 2029, and shall thereafter be reappointed every ten years during the month of August in the year prior to the taking of the U.S. decennial census. The Commission shall, within eight months from the date of its first meeting, present to the Council any recommendations for amendment to the Charter. After the presentation to the Council, the Council President shall, within the next legislative cycle, submit a resolution to the Council for the adoption or rejection of the recommendations. The Council shall vote on the resolution in the regular course of its business. After the submission of the resolution by the Council President, the memberships, duties, and powers of that appointed Commission shall cease. The provisions of Chapter 50 shall apply to the Commission.

Sec. 17.102. - Membership.

The Commission shall consist of not less than 11 nor more than 15 members recommended by the Council President and appointed by the Council. The chairman of the Commission shall be recommended by the Council President and appointed by the Council. A vacancy occurring during a term may be filled upon recommendation of the Council President and appointment by the Council for the unexpired term of the vacated position. Of the membership of the Commission there shall be included at least one member who resides within each School Board district. A member may be removed by a 15 Council Member majority vote approving such removal.

Sec. 17.103. - Powers and duties.

The Commission shall make recommendations to the Council and the members of the Legislature representing Duval County concerning those provisions in the Charter and other special acts of the Legislature affecting the Consolidated City of Jacksonville. In making its recommendations, the Commission shall consider whatever factors are relevant to the establishment of a relationship between the state and local units of government in the Consolidated City of Jacksonville and which are best calculated to fulfill the needs of the citizens of the Consolidated City of Jacksonville.

Sec. 17.104. - Commission secretary.

The Council Secretary, or Council Secretary's designee, shall be the secretary to the Commission.