

**ORDINANCE NO. 20081117-002**

**AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING AN ACTING CITY AUDITOR, SETTING COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS, AND WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS OF CITY CODE SECTION 2-3-2(E).**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1. FINDINGS.**

(A) On November 4, 2008, the voters of the City of Austin approved an amendment to the City Charter changing certain terms related to the Office of the City Auditor.

(B) The Charter amendment became effective on November 17, 2008, upon the canvassing and adoption of the election results by Council.

(C) The Charter amendment creates a vacancy and Council desires to appoint an Acting City Auditor.

**PART 2.** Steve Morgan is hereby appointed the Acting City Auditor for the City of Austin, effective immediately.

**PART 3.** As Acting City Auditor, Steve Morgan shall have all of the powers and duties given to the City Auditor under the City Charter and City Code, provided that the Acting City Auditor may be removed from office at any time by a majority of Council.

**PART 4.** As Acting City Auditor, Steve Morgan shall receive the same compensation and benefits as established by Council for the City Auditor in Resolution No. 20080327-040, adopted on March 27, 2008.

**PART 5.** The requirements of City Code Section 2-3-2(E) are waived.

**PART 6.** The Council finds that the need to appoint an acting City Auditor and establish compensation and benefits for the acting City Auditor constitutes an emergency. Because of this emergency, this ordinance takes effect immediately on its passage for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

**PART 7.** This ordinance takes effect on November 17, 2008.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

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November 17, 2008

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*Will Wynn*  
Will Wynn  
Mayor

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*David Allan Smith*  
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City Attorney

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