

# AGENDA



Thursday, July 27, 2006

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## Item(s) from Council RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

ITEM No. 92

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**Subject:** Approve an ordinance amending Chapter 2-1 of the City Code relating to the African American Resource Advisory Commission.

**Sponsor:** Council Member Sheryl Cole

**Co-Sponsor1:** Council Member Mike Martinez

**Co-Sponsor2:**

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**ORDINANCE NO. 20060727-**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2-1 OF THE CITY CODE RELATING TO THE AFRICAN AMERICAN RESOURCE ADVISORY COMMISSION.**

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

**PART 1.** Subsection 2-1-521(A) of the City Code is amended to read:

***ARTICLE 52. AFRICAN AMERICAN RESOURCE ADVISORY COMMISSION.***

**§ 2-1-521 CREATION; COMPOSITION.**

(A) The African American Resource Advisory Commission is created. The commission shall have a balanced membership reflecting in-depth knowledge of the challenges and concerns of the African American community. The commission is composed of nine members appointed by the city council and shall include:

- (1) six ~~[seven]~~ members who are representative of or sensitive to the needs of the African American community in the city, including:
  - (a) a person recommended by the Austin Area Urban League;
  - (b) a person recommended by the Capital City African American Chamber of Commerce;
  - (c) a person recommended by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People;
  - (d) a person recommended by the Pro Arts Collective;
  - (e) a person recommended by the Austin Revitalization Authority; and
  - (f) a person recommended by the Alliance for African American Health in Central Texas ~~[employed as a professional health-care worker]~~; and
- (2) three members from the community-at-large.

**PART 2.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2006

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Will Wynn  
Mayor

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

**ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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City Clerk