

Ordinance 2007-9

AN ORDINANCE OF THE EATONVILLE TOWN COUNCIL
AMENDING CHAPTER 2.34 EMC, REDUCING THE NUMBER OF
PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERS FROM 9 TO 7 AND
ESTABLISHING NEW PLANNING COMMISSIONER POSITION
TERM ENDING DATES

Whereas, the Town of Eatonville's Planning Commission was created with the requirement for there to be nine members; and,

Whereas, RCW 35.63 establishes no requirement for a specific number of commissioners; and,

Whereas, the Planning commissions in Washington are typically made up of five to nine members; and,

Whereas, over the years it has been difficult to fill all positions with willing and qualified volunteers; and,

Whereas, it is the desire of the Town Council to reduce the number of Planning Commission members from nine to seven.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Council hereby ordained as follows:

2.32.010 Created Membership Appointment.
Pursuant to the authority conferred by Chapter 35.63 RCW, there is re-created a town planning commission, consisting of nine seven members who shall be appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the town council. (~~Ord. 150 § 1, 1952~~).

2.32.020 Members— Terms.

~~The term of office of the members shall be six years. The term of the first two members shall end on the ____ day of ____, 195__. The term of the second two members appointed shall end on the like day of the next succeeding year. The term of the third two members appointed shall end on the like day of the second succeeding year. The terms of each of the last three members appointed shall expire in rotation on like days of each succeeding year thereafter. The terms of all of the appointed members shall be fixed and designated by the mayor at the time of such appointment. (Ord. 150 § 1, 1952).~~

There shall be 7 Planning Commission positions to be known as Position 1, Position 2, Position 3, Position 4, Position 5, Position 6, and Position 7, respectively. The current term expiration for each of the respective Planning Commission Positions is as follows:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Term Expiration</u>
Position 1	12/31/2007
Position 2	12/31/2008
Position 3	12/31/2009
Position 4	12/31/2010
Position 5	12/31/2011
Position 6	12/31/2012
Position 7	12/31/2012

Upon expiration of the terms of each position above, successors shall be appointed by the mayor for the term of six years each, so that one member of the Planning Commission shall be appointed annually for five years and two members appointed in the sixth year. When an appointment by the mayor is to fill an open position prior to the end of the term, then the person so appointed shall serve out the term of the position into which he or she has been appointed. The term for each member shall be six years, except that appointments to fill any unexpired term shall be for the duration of said unexpired term.

Section 2: This Section shall be deemed of special effect and not codified. Planning Commissioner positions are reestablished as follows:

Position 1: To be held by Stephen Lind, 108 Rainier Ave S

Position 2: To be held by Phil Beach, 190 Dow Ridge Dr N

Position 3: To be held by Robert Schaub, 400 Cessna Ct E

Position 4: To be held by Elizabeth Harris, 704 Center St E

Position 5: To be held by Larry Frink, 35508 78th Ave E

Position 6: To be held by James Valentine, 218 Orchard Ave N

Position 7: To be held by Ray Harper, 119 Orchard Ave N

PASSED BY THE Town Council and approved by the Mayor of the Town of Eatonville, Washington, at a regular meeting of this 9 day of April, 2007.

ATTEST:



Chrystal McGlone, Town Clerk



Tom Smallwood, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Edward Hudson, Town Attorney