

TITLE 2
CHAPTER 7

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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2-7-1: ESTABLISHMENT: An Environmental Management Advisory Committee is hereby established for the City. (amended by Ord 5, 2009)

2-7-2: MEMBERSHIP: The committee shall consist of nine (9) members to be appointed by the Mayor in the manner provided in Chapter 1 of this Title 2. The majority shall be from citizens who reside within the City limits of Florence and the balance may reside in the Area of Interest as shown by exhibit of the latest Florence Comprehensive Plan. There may be one (1) ex-officio member from each of the City-regulated Solid Waste handling entities licensed by the City per Title 9 Chapter 4.

2-7-3: TERM OF OFFICE: The members shall be appointed for a term of three (3) years. (amended by Ord. #5, 2006, effective 6-19-06)

2-7-4: MEETINGS: A majority of the members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum. The Committee shall meet at a regular time to be set by the Committee. The chairman or three (3) members may call a previously unannounced special meeting to be held not earlier than twenty four (24) hours after the notice is given as required by the Oregon Public Meeting Laws. (amended by Ord. #5, 2006, effective 6-19-06)

2-7-5: PRESIDING MEMBER: In February of each year the Committee shall elect a chairman and vice chairman to serve for the following twelve (12) months, (amended by Ord. #5, 2006, effective 6-19-06)

2-7-6: DUTIES: The Environmental Management Advisory Committee shall perform the following duties required in Chapter 9-4 of this Code, Solid Waste Management, and such other duties as the Council may direct. These duties include:

- A. Developing strategies, informing the public and advising the Council on fulfilling the public policy declared in Section 9-4-2 of this Code.
- B. Proposing minimum and maximum rates and classifications of solid waste services, on a selective basis, as found in Section 9-4-5 of this Code, to be provided by solid waste service licensees.
- C. Recommending to the City Council, approval, denial or revocation of solid waste services licenses. Proceedings on the summary suspension of licenses issues under this Chapter shall be heard by the City Council. (Ord 5, 2009)
- D. Hearing customer complaints regarding a licensee's compliance with this Code unless the licensee has been cited into a court of competent jurisdiction regarding its failure to comply with this Code. Upon hearing such complaints, the Committee may refer the complaint to the City Manager for prosecution or the Committee may take such other action as is consistent with its powers under Chapter 9-4 of this Code.
- E. As affecting the delivery of solid waste services, conserving energy and material resources, promoting resource recovery, such as yard debris, and protecting health and the environment, recommend amendments to this Code and review administrative regulations.
- F. Develop, recommend, and assist the Public Works Department with information and guidance regarding beneficial use options, regulatory compliance and current practice for biosolids.

G. Promoting and developing strategies that support recycling, waste reduction and reuse. (Ord. 5, 2009)

2-7-7: VACANCIES AND REMOVAL: Appointments to fill vacancies shall be in accordance with Chapter 1 of this Title 2 for the remainder of the unexpired term, a member may be removed by the City Council, for misconduct or nonperformance of duty. A member who is absent from three (3) consecutive meetings without an excuse as approved by the Environmental Management Advisory Committee, is reputedly presumed to be in nonperformance of duty, and the City Council shall declare the position vacant unless finding otherwise, following. (Ord. 5, 2009)

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