

## **ORDINANCE 18-32**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DUNEDIN, FLORIDA, AMENDING SECTION 22-45. OF CHAPTER 22 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ADD TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF THE CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.**

**WHEREAS**, City staff reviewed Section 22-45. of Chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances and has recommended that certain revisions are necessary to include term limits for members of the Code Enforcement Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the recommendations of staff have been found meritorious by the City Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission has received input from the public at two public hearings.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DUNEDIN, FLORIDA, IN SESSION DULY AND REGULARLY ASSEMBLED:**

**Section 1.** That Section 22-45. of Chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 22-45. - Terms; vacancies.**

- (a) Any appointment shall be made for a term of three years. A member may be reappointed by the city commission. An appointment to fill any vacancy on the code enforcement board shall be for the remainder of the unexpired term of office. No member, after completing their term and having served two (2) consecutive full terms of three (3) years, shall be eligible for another term without first having sat off the Code Enforcement Board for one (1) year. Any member serving in 2018, who is termed out, may, however, serve one (1) additional term of three (3) years.

If the city commission is unable to fill a vacant board member position with a new board member, it may waive the term limit restriction and reappoint the board member vacating the position for one (1) additional term.

- (b) If any member fails to attend two of three successive meetings without cause and without prior approval of the chair, the code enforcement board shall declare the member's office vacant, and the city commission shall promptly fill such vacancy. The members shall serve in accordance with the ordinances of the city and may be suspended and/or removed as provided in such ordinances for removal of members of boards.

**Section 2.** That this Ordinance shall become effective upon final passage and adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DUNEDIN, FLORIDA, THIS 18th day of April, 2019.**

  
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Julie Ward Bujalski  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Denise M. Kirkpatrick  
City Clerk

READ FIRST TIME AND PASSED: April 4, 2019

READ SECOND TIME AND ADOPTED: April 18, 2019