

ORDINANCE NO. 13-_____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BILLINGS, PROVIDING THAT THE BILLINGS, MONTANA CITY CODE BE AMENDED BY REVISING SECTION 2-501.1 OF SAID CODE; PROHIBITING CITY EMPLOYEES FROM APPOINTMENT TO BOARDS, COMMISSIONS OR COMMITTEES THAT ADVISE THEIR DEPARTMENT

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BILLINGS, MONTANA:

Section 1. That section 2-501.1 of the Billings, Montana City Code be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2-501.1. - Qualifications for membership.

(a) All members of City advisory boards, commissions or committees must hold the following qualifications, unless otherwise required by law:

- (1) Resident of the city for at least two (2) years;
- (2) Qualified voter of the city;
- (3) Resident of the state for at least three (3) years; and
- (4) Eighteen (18) years of age or older

(b) A City employee shall not be appointed to serve on a City advisory board, commission or committee that provides advice to the department for whom the employee works.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions of this ordinance which may be given effect without the invalid provisions or application, and, to this end, the provisions of these ordinances are declared to be severable.

Section 3. Repealer. All resolutions, ordinances, and sections of the City Code inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective thirty (30) days after second reading and final adoption as provided by law.

APPROVED on first reading this ____ day of _____, 2013.

ADOPTED and APPROVED on second reading this ____ day of _____, 2013.

CITY OF BILLINGS

Thomas W. Hanel, Mayor

ATTEST:

Cari Martin, City Clerk