

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-1626

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOODYEAR, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AMENDING GOODYEAR CITY CODE ARTICLE 3-9-3 UPDATING THE GOODYEAR ARTS AND CULTURE COMMISSION ALTERNATE MEMBERS; PROVIDING FOR CORRECTIONS, SEVERABILITY, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Goodyear, Arizona, continues to recognize that fine arts and public art contribute to the quality of life, social and economic well-being of its residents, and enhance the City's unique character and identity, creating a strong "sense of place"; and reaffirms its commitment to promoting and supporting these cultural endeavors;

WHEREAS, on April 24, 2006, the Mayor and Council established the Arts and Culture Commission ("Commission") through Ordinance No. 2006-999 and have since amended Chapter 3 of the Goodyear City Code multiple times to further enhance the Commission;

WHEREAS, on November 20, 2024, the City Council Subcommittee on Boards, Commissions, and Committees reviewed and discussed the benefits of increasing the number of alternate members on the Arts and Culture Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council desire to enhance the flexibility and effectiveness of the Arts and Culture Commission by allowing the appointment of up to three alternate members.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOODYEAR, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. AMENDING ARTICLE 3-9-3 (GOODYEAR ARTS AND CULTURE COMMISSION) OF THE GOODYEAR CITY CODE

Article 3 Section 9-3(A) is hereby amended as follows (with deletions shown by ~~strikeout text~~ and additions shown by double underlined text):

(A) To carry out the responsibilities and duties set forth herein, there is hereby created a "Goodyear Arts and Culture Commission" to consist of nine voting members ~~plus one~~ up to three alternate ~~members~~, and one standing ex officio member. The Commission shall strive to include one Goodyear business owner and one Goodyear resident who is a visual or performing artist. All members, with the exception of the ex officio member, shall be residents of the City of Goodyear at large.

SECTION 2. CORRECTIONS

The City Clerk, and the codifiers of this Ordinance are authorized to make necessary clerical corrections to this Ordinance, including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's/clerical errors, references, ordinance numbering, section/subsection numbers, and any references thereto.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY

If any section, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of the ordinance or parts thereof.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall become effective as prescribed by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Goodyear, Maricopa County, Arizona, by a _____ vote, this 27th day of January, 2025.

Joe Pizzillo, Mayor

Date: _____

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jasmine Pernicano, Acting City Clerk

Roric Massey, City Attorney