

## **ORDINANCE NO. 4176**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHANDLER, ARIZONA, AMENDING SECTION 36-1 OF CHAPTER 36, CHANDLER CITY CODE, RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the Chandler City Council is committed to improving the Human Service needs of our community; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is desirous of establishing a group of citizens to chronicle, evaluate and monitor current social service providers, and

WHEREAS, the City Council authorizes this body to further prioritize and coordinate any future city funding of all social services that are afforded to the community, and

WHEREAS, the City Council directed staff to modify, enlarge and rename the Housing and Redevelopment Committee to accomplish this goal.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Chandler, Arizona, that Section 36-1 of Chapter 36 of the Chandler City Code, is hereby amended to read as follows:

### 36-1. Housing and Human Services Commission

There is hereby established the Housing and Human Services Commission, which shall consist of eleven (11) members, appointed by the Mayor, subject to approval of the Chandler City Council. Such members shall be citizens and electors of the City. In addition, at all times, at least one (1) Committee member shall be the resident commission member of the Chandler Public Housing Authority Commission (See Section 36-5 below).

36-1.1 Terms of Office. The members of the Commission shall serve for staggered terms of three (3) years each, provided however, a member shall continue to serve until a successor has been duly appointed and qualified. No member of the Housing and Human Service Commission shall serve more than two (2) consecutive terms on this Commission, however, a member may be reappointed after the lapse of three (3) years from the end of the previous term.

36-1.2 Powers and duties. The Housing and Human Services Commission shall serve as an Advisory Commission to the Chandler City Council and to the Chandler Public Housing Authority Commission. The powers and duties of the Housing and Human Services Commission shall be:

- A. To advise the Chandler Public Housing Authority Commission on the administration, operation and management of federal public housing programs and Section 8 tenant-based rental assistance programs administered by the City;
- B. To advise City Council on the administration, operation and management of federal public housing, rental assistance or low cost housing programs administered by the City;

- C. To advise City Council on the development of all City housing projects as defined in A.R.S. Section 36-1401;
- D. To recommend the annual allocation of community development block grant funds to the City Council;
- E. To advise the City Council on matters relating to the welfare of the City's low and moderate income citizens;
- F. To assess the human services needs of the community, determine any gaps in service and utilize this information in developing the priorities for social service funding, youth enhancement funds, acts of kindness funds and any other grant or social service funds that may become available to the city;
- G. To serve as the annual allocations panel for the human services funds as outlined above;
- H. To make final recommendations to the City Council on the allocation of human service funds as outlined above; and;
- I. Such other powers and/or duties as may from time to time be approved by the City Council.

36-1.3 Officers and staff. The Housing and Human Services Commission shall elect its own officers at the first meeting in June each year. No officer elected to the Commission shall serve in the same capacity for more than two (2) consecutive one-year terms. The Neighborhood Resources Division and Planning and Development staff shall furnish professional and technical advise to the Commission.

INTRODUCED AND TENTATIVELY APPROVED by the City Council this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 2009.

ATTEST:

S/Marla Paddock  
CITY CLERK

S/Boyd W. Dunn  
MAYOR

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 2010.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

S/Mary Wade  
CITY ATTORNEY