

**ORDINANCE NO. 5611**

**AN ORDINANCE TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS FOR APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION BY AMENDING SECTION 2.68.030 OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE.**

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City has created an Historic Preservation Commission as authorized by South Dakota law; and

WHEREAS, the municipal code section pertaining to appointments of members to the Historic Preservation Commission is unclear and could be read to conflict with the requirements of South Dakota Law for the process of appointing municipal officials under the aldermanic form of government; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that it is in the best interests of the City to clarify the language of the municipal code to clearly comply with the requirements of South Dakota law.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that Section 2.68.030 of the Rapid City Municipal Code be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

**2.68.030 Members–Appointment–Terms.**

The Mayor shall ~~recommend and the Council shall~~ appoint, with the approval of the City Council, each member of the Commission for a term of 3 years; provided that, upon organization of the Commission, 4 members shall be appointed for a 3-year term, 3 members for a 1-year term. Thereafter, appointment shall be made as they expire for the full term of 3 years and all terms of office shall expire on January 1.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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Finance Officer

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