

AMENDMENT NO. 3

I. Section 3.02 of Article 3 of the Charter of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County shall be amended as follows:

Sec. 3.02. - Terms; compensation; age and residence qualification.

Members of the council shall serve for a term of four (4) years and until their successors are elected and qualified; and shall be compensated at the rate of three hundred (\$300) dollars per month. No person shall be eligible to serve as councilmember-at-large or district councilmember unless he or she shall be a qualified voter, pursuant to Tennessee state law, at the beginning of his or her term and unless he or she shall have been a resident of the area of the metropolitan government for a period of one (1) year and shall continue to reside therein during his or her period of service. No person shall be eligible to serve as district councilmember unless he or she shall have been a resident of the district for which elected for a period of six (6) months and shall continue to reside therein during his or her period of service. Members of the council shall hold no other elective or appointive office in the metropolitan government or employment by said government, except as expressly provided in this Charter.

FOR THE BALLOT

Amendment No. ____

This amendment would remove the requirement that councilmembers attain the age of 25. This amendment would instead require a councilmember-at-large or district councilmember to be a qualified voter, pursuant to Tennessee state law.

INTRODUCED BY:

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