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ORDINANCE NO. 19,336

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 38, ARTICLE III, SECTION 38-68 OF THE OKLAHOMA CITY MUNICIPAL CODE, 1980, INCREASING FROM SEVEN TO NINE THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION; PROVIDING FOR APPOINTMENT OF AT LEAST ONE MEMBER FROM EACH WARD; PROVIDING FOR CONTINUATION OF PRESENT MEMBERS IN OFFICE UNTIL EXPIRATION OF PRESENT TERMS AND UNTIL SUCCESSORS ARE APPOINTED AND QUALIFIED, ~~AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.~~

~~EMERGENCY ORDINANCE~~ ⁷⁴

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OKLAHOMA CITY:

SECTION 1. Section 38-68, Article III, Chapter 38, of the Oklahoma City Municipal Code, 1980, is hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 38-68. Membership.

(a) The Game and Fish Commission shall consist of ~~seven~~ ⁽⁹⁾ ~~nine~~ citizens of The City appointed by the Mayor by ~~and~~ with the advice and consent of the City Council. The members of the Commission shall be nominated and appointed ~~solely~~ with reference to their fitness and at least one member shall be appointed from each ward.

(b) The members shall serve without compensation. Each member of the Commission shall hold office for a term of four (4) years and until his successor is appointed. Notwithstanding subsection (a) herein, all citizens serving as members of the Game and Fish Commission at the time of the enactment of this ordinance shall continue as members until the expiration of their present terms and until successors are appointed and qualified subject to the terms of this section. Members may be removed for nonfeasance or malfeasance in office upon written charges signed by the Mayor and adopted by resolution of the Council. Members appointed to fill positions vacated other than by expiration of term shall serve only for the unexpired portion of such term.

~~SECTION 2. EMERGENCY. WHEREAS, it being immediately necessary for the preservation of the peace, health, safety and public good of The City of Oklahoma City and the inhabitants thereof that the provisions of this ordinance be put into full force and effect, an emergency is hereby declared to exist by reason~~

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~~whereof this ordinance shall take effect and be put in full force from and after its passage, as provided by law.~~

INTRODUCED and CONSIDERED in open meeting of the Council of The City of Oklahoma City this 12 day of December, 1989.

PASSED by the Council of The City of Oklahoma City this 2 day of January, 1990.

SIGNED by the Mayor of The City of Oklahoma City this 2 day of January, 1990.

Ronald J. Noid
MAYOR

ATTEST
Thomas P. Hawley
City Clerk

APPROVED as to form and legality this 11 day of December, 1990.

Michael E. Fisher
Assistant Municipal Counselor