

| Municipality | Relevant Ordinances | Summary |
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| Grandview, MO | Article III§2-73 – Board of Aldermen; election of president Article IX§2-260 – Mayor | President of Aldermen elected and fills in for mayor if needed. |
| Raytown, MO | Article VI§2-493 – Parliamentary procedure of public meetings | No succession plan whatsoever, but refers to state law and Robert’s Rules in conducting public meetings |
| Blue Springs, MO | City Charter Section 3.6 – Mayor Pro Tempore Title 1, Chapter 110§110.190 – Mayor Pro Tempore to Preside in Absence of Mayor | Mayor Pro Tem fills in with Mayor absent. |
| Raymore, MO | Title 1, Chapter 110§110.220 – Mayor Pro Tempore Title 1, Chapter 110§110.090 – Absence of Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem | If both Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem are absent, council selects presiding officer to serve over meeting. |
| Gladstone, MO | Title 1, Chapter 105§1.105.090 – Mayor to be presiding officer | Mayor Pro Tem fills in for Mayor. |
| Independence, MO | Ch 11, Article XII§11.12.005 – Continuity of government | Emergencies only. Mayor Pro Tem, most senior councilmember, second most senior council member. If members inaugurated on same day, succession is alphabetical. |
| Kansas City, MO | Ch 2, Article II§2-49 – Order of succession of elected officials | Applies generally. Mayor Pro Tem, then Chairs of ten successive committees. |
| Liberty, MO | Ch 2, Article II§2-11 – Presiding officer of council | In absence of mayor, president pro tem presides over meetings. |
| St. Joseph, MO | Ch 2, Article II§2-58 – Order of business | Deputy mayor fills in for mayor. |
| Overland Park, KS | Title 2, Article III§2.09.335 – Succession of Emergency Powers | Emergencies only. Council president, then Chairs of the 4 council committees in a designated order. |

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| Olathe, KS | Title 1§1.02.010 – Qualifications and Vacancies | Mayor Pro Tem fills in if needed. |
| Lenexa, KS | Title 1, Chapter 1-2§1-2-A-3 – Council President | In absence of Mayor, power vested in Council President. In absence of both, Council elects an acting Council President |
| State of Kansas Statutes | Ch 13§513 – First Class cities Ch 14§204 – Second Class cities Ch 15§1504 – Third Class cities | State statute lays out requirements for council president to fill in in the absence of a Mayor for first thru third class cities. (2,000 to 25,000 pop). |
| State of Missouri Statutes | Ch 79§100 – Fourth Class cities Ch 77§070 – Third Class cities | State statute lays out requirements for council president to fill in for mayor for 3 rd and 4 th class cities. (≥500 pop). Doesn't apply to LS as a charter city, but interesting. |