RESOLUTION 15-17

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A PROCEDURE FOR APPOINTING MEMBERS OF THE 2016 CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI.

WHEREAS, Section 14.8 of the Charter states that no less often than every ten years, the City Council shall provide for a Charter Review Commission (Commission) to review the Charter and to recommend to the voters proposed amendments, if any, to the Charter; and,

WHEREAS, The Charter provides that the City Council shall determine the method and procedure for selecting members of the Commission; and,

WHEREAS, It is the desire of the Council to provide a process and procedure for the appointment of such members for the 2016 Charter Review Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the City Council for the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, hereby determines that the 2016 Charter Review Commission shall consist of twelve members as selected by the City Council as described below.

SECTION 2. That the twelve members shall be selected as follows:

- 1. That any member nominated shall be a qualified voter of the City of Lee's Summit at the time of appointment.
- 2. No member nominated shall be an elected official of the City
- 3. Each City Councilmember shall nominate one person residing within the respective district to serve on the Commission.
- 4. The two Councilmembers representing each district shall jointly nominate one person residing within the respective district to serve on the Commission.
- 5. In the event that the two Councilmembers representing any district are unable to agree on an individual to serve in the joint position, the City Council will appoint a person to serve.
- 6. All nominations shall be made no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 10, 2015.

SECTION 3. Councilmembers shall take into consideration the demographic makeup of the City and shall make efforts to appoint a commission that is represented by the makeup of the City as a whole.

SECTION 4. That the City Council shall formally appoint the members to, and establish the 2016 Charter Review Commission no later than December 17, 2015.

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PASSED and ADOPTED by the City Council for the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, and approved by the Mayor of said City this _____ day of ______ day of _______, 2015.

Mayor Randall L. Rhoads

ATTEST:

City Clerk Denise R. Chisum

APPROVED AS TO FORM;

City Attorney Brian W. Head