

1 Introduced by Council Member Newby:  
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4 **ORDINANCE 2021-250**

5 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 78 (SAFETY AND  
6 CRIME REDUCTION COMMISSION), SECTION 78.103  
7 (MEMBERSHIP; TERMS.), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO REVISE  
8 PROVISIONS RELATING TO LIAISONS TO THE  
9 COMMISSION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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11 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

12 **Section 1. Amending Chapter 78 (SAFETY AND CRIME REDUCTION**  
13 **COMMISSION), Section 78.103 (Membership; terms.), Ordinance Code.**

14 Chapter 78, (SAFETY AND CRIME REDUCTION COMMISSION), Section 78.103  
15 (Membership; terms.), *Ordinance Code*, is hereby amended to read as  
16 follows:

17 **Chapter 78 (SAFETY AND CRIME REDUCTION COMMISSION)**

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19 **Sec. 78.103. - Membership; terms.**

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21 (a) The Commission shall be composed of no more than ~~28~~ 20 members.  
22 ~~Twenty members~~ who shall be ~~voting members~~ appointed by the  
23 City Council in accordance with the following requirements.  
24 ~~Voting members~~ shall be a-residents of the City of Jacksonville  
25 or have substantial business interests within the City (either  
26 employed by a business located in the City or volunteer,  
27 affiliate or serve on the board for an organization whose  
28 principal place of business is Jacksonville). ~~Voting members~~  
29 shall serve staggered two-year terms, commencing July 1, but  
30 shall serve until their successors are appointed and confirmed.  
31 Of the initial appointments, ten ~~voting members~~ shall serve

1 for one-year terms, and ten ~~voting~~ members shall serve for two-  
2 year terms; but appointments to fill vacancies for partial  
3 terms (less than 50 percent of a full term) and initial  
4 appointments under the preceding sentence for less than two  
5 years shall not be deemed to be full terms. No ~~voting~~ member  
6 shall serve more than two full consecutive terms. ~~Voting~~  
7 ~~m~~Members appointed pursuant to this paragraph (a) shall serve  
8 at the pleasure of the Council and may be removed at any time  
9 by the Council.

10 (b) Additionally, ~~two~~ one City Council Members shall be appointed  
11 each year by the Council President as a liaison to the  
12 Commissions, ~~and shall also be non-voting members~~. The term  
13 for the City Council ~~member~~ liaison shall be a one-year term,  
14 but the Council President may appoint a City Council member  
15 for an additional consecutive one-year term.

16 (c) The following representatives ~~Six additional members~~ shall be  
17 ~~non-voting liaison members and designated as follows~~ present as  
18 liaisons at all Commission meetings:

- 19 (1) A representative from the Mayor's Office;
- 20 (2) A representative from the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office;
- 21 (3) A representative from the State Attorney's Office;
- 22 (4) A representative from the Public Defender's Office;
- 23 (5) A representative from the Kid's Hope Alliance; and
- 24 (6) A representative from the Duval County Public Schools.

25 Liaisons shall be designated by their organization to serve  
26 either annually or for two-year increments. The Council President may  
27 appoint additional members annually to serve as ~~non-voting~~ liaisons  
28 such as youth representatives, victim advocate representatives or  
29 other persons with subject matter expertise that can assist the  
30 Commission.

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1           **Section 2.           Effective Date.**   This ordinance shall become  
2 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
3 without the Mayor's signature.

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5 Form Approved:

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7                 /s/ Julia B. Davis          

8 Office of General Counsel

9 Legislation Prepared By: Julia B. Davis

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