

ORDINANCE NO. 2000-1089

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 88-880 (CHAPTER 2.12 OF THE CITY CODE) BY INCREASING THE NUMBER OF LIBRARY BOARD MEMBERS AND MODIFYING THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Library Board was established in 1988 by Ordinance No. 88-889, and changes to that ordinance have been recommended to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that said ordinance should be amended in the manner hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF SHERWOOD ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Ordinance Amendments.

A. Section 2. Membership, subsections (a), (b) and (d) (City Code Section 2.12.020 A, B, & D) are hereby amended to read as follows:

“(a) The Board shall consist of nine (9) voting members who shall be appointed by the Mayor and with the consent of the City Council.

“(b) All board members shall be and remain during their terms, residents of the City of Sherwood.”

“(d) The Mayor, with the consent of the City Council shall appoint a Council representative to the Board and also appoint a high school representative as one of the nine voting members of the board. The Council representative shall be a non-voting member. The term of office of the high school representative shall be for one year.”

B. Section 3. Terms of Office, subsections (a) and (b) (City Code Sections 2.12.030 A & B) are hereby amended to read as follows:

“(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the terms of office of board members shall be four years and members may be reappointed to serve two or more consecutive terms. Appointments to the board shall become effective on the date of the board’s first regular meeting in March of each calendar year.

“(b) To phase in the terms of the new board member appointed as the result of the expansion of Library Board membership, the initial term of the new member shall be for 3 years, with all subsequent appointments or reappointments being for a full four-year term.

C. Section 4. Rules of Order, subsection (b) (city Code Section 2.12.040 B) is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(b) Five (5) members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the conduct of business.”

D. Section 6. Duties and Responsibilities (City Code Section 2.12.060) is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(a) Evaluate community needs and resources on a regular basis and incorporate relevant finding into a statement of purpose guiding the provision of library services to the City.

“(b) Establish long-range plans, goals, and objectives for the library and the improvement and maintenance of the library building.

“(c) Advise the City Administration and City Council through the Library Director on annual budget appropriations.

“(d) Regularly review and advise the City Council and City Administration on specific programs and policies relative to library goals and objectives.

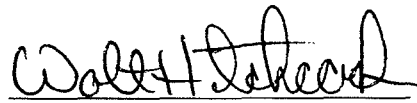
“(e) Promote public participation and awareness programs designed to increase the use of the City library.

“(f) Undertake additional responsibilities relative to the City library system as may be designated by the City Council or requested by the City Administration.

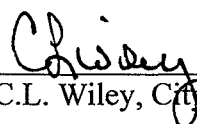
“(g) Advise on library rules, regulations, and other matters relative to the City library.”

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective on the 30th day after its enactment by the City Council and approval by the Mayor.

Duly passed by the City Council this 14th day of March, 2000.


Walt Hitchcock, Mayor

ATTEST:


C.L. Wiley, City Recorder

	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>
Cottle	<u>absent</u>	_____
Franklin	<u>✓</u>	_____
Hitchcock	<u>✓</u>	_____
Krause	<u>✓</u>	_____
Whiteman	<u>✓</u>	_____