

ORDINANCE NUMBER 11-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARICOPA, ARIZONA, AMENDING SECTION 3-12 OF THE MARICOPA CITY CODE AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND THE EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2004, the City of Maricopa adopted Chapter 3 Administration as part of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, on May 20, 2010 the Mayor and Council adopted Ordinance 10-06 amending Chapter 3 Administration as part of the Maricopa City Code; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Maricopa believe, after consultation with its staff, that amending Chapter 3 by striking the language in Section 3-12 in its entirety and adopting substitute language would be in the best interest of the City of Maricopa.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARICOPA, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the language contained in Section 3-12 of the Maricopa City Code, entitled Removal Procedures, as adopted by Ordinance 10-06 on May 20, 2010 and all amendments thereto are hereby repealed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

The manager serves at the pleasure of the council and may be removed for any reason, with or without cause, by the vote of at least four of the members of the city council at any regular or special meeting of the council

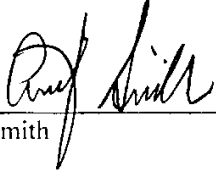
SECTION 2. To the extent of any conflict between other City Ordinances and this Ordinance, this Ordinance shall be deemed to be controlling; provided, however, that this Ordinance is not intended to amend or repeal any existing City Ordinance, Resolution or regulation except as expressly set forth herein.

SECTION 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days from the date of adoption by the City Council for the City of Maricopa.

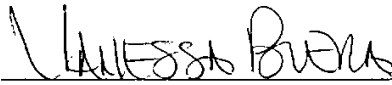
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Maricopa, Arizona, this 15th day of February, 2011.

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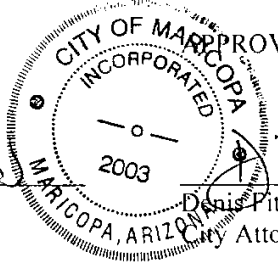


Anthony Smith
Mayor

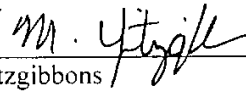
ATTEST:



Vanessa Bueras, CMC
City Clerk



APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Denis Fitzgibbons
City Attorney