

**ORDINANCE NO. 12-08**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF MARICOPA, ARIZONA, AMENDING  
SECTION 2-52(b) 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 2 Mayor and Council as part of the City Code, which was amended on November 30, 2009 by Ordinance 09-10; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Maricopa believe, after consultation with its staff, that amending Chapter 2 by striking the language in Section 2-52(b) 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 2-52(b) of the Maricopa City Code regarding resignation of non-salaried members of any committee, commission, task force or administrative board of the city, to run for election of office, and all amendments thereto are hereby repealed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

(b) Except during the final year of the term being served, a non-salaried member of any committee, commission, task force or administrative board of the city, whether elected or appointed, shall resign his position upon filing a nomination paper for election or upon publicly declaring his candidacy for election to any salaried local, state or federal office, whichever occurs first. This provision shall not apply to members of the council who, by law, policy, or this Code, are required to act as members of other committees, commissions or administrative boards.

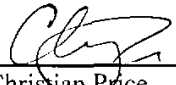
**SECTION 2.** To the extent of any conflict between other City Ordinances and this Ordinance, this Ordinance shall be deemed to be controlling; provided, however, that this Ordinance is not intended to amend or repeal any existing City Ordinance, Resolution or regulation except as expressly set forth 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 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2012.

APPROVED:

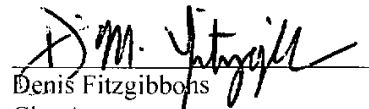
  
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Christian Price  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Vanessa Bueras, CMC  
City Clerk



APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Denis Fitzgibbons  
City Attorney