

ORDINANCE NO.: 2012-072

*Amending the 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina,
Chapter 6, Elections, Sec. 6-6 Time of elections; notice and
Sec. 6-7 Time of taking office; contested elections*

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council this 21st day of August, 2012, that the 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina, Chapter

Sec. 6-6. Time of elections; notice.

- (a) Elections for city officials shall be held in odd numbered years on the first Tuesday following the first Monday in November.
- (b) The council shall give public notice of the general city election at least 90 days prior to the date of the election.

Sec. 6-7. Time of taking office; contested elections.

- (a) Newly elected officers shall not be qualified pursuant to state law until January 1 next following the date of the general election.
- (b) If the results of the election are contested, the incumbent who fills that contested office shall hold over until the contest is finally determined.

This ordinance is effective as of final reading.

Requested by:

Mayor and City Council


MAYOR

Approved by:

City Manager

Approved as to form:

City Attorney

ATTEST:


City Clerk

Introduced: 8/7/2012
Final Reading: 8/21/2012

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