

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA  
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2025-073  
RECEIVING CHARTER AMENDMENTS AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING ON  
CHARTER AMENDMENTS PROPOSED TO BE ADOPTED BY ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the Northfield Charter Commission has proposed amendments to the Northfield City Charter; and,

WHEREAS, Northfield Charter Commission Chair Lance Heisler submitted the proposed amendments to the City Administrator on July 14, 2025 and,

WHEREAS, the Northfield City Council received the proposed amendments on July 22, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota law allows the City Council, upon recommendation of the Charter Commission, to enact Charter amendments by ordinance, by an affirmative vote of all the members of the Council, provided that passage of such an ordinance must be preceded by a public hearing, that notice of the public hearing, containing the text of the proposed amendments, must be published two weeks before the public hearing, that under local law the ordinance must have two readings, that the ordinance must be published and that it becomes effective 90 days after publication.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT:

1. The Northfield City Council receives the proposed change to Northfield Charter Section 3.5 from the Northfield Charter Commission submitted by the Charter Commission Chair on July 22, 2025; and
2. A public hearing shall be held on the proposed amendments set forth in the attached Exhibit A on August 19, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, before the City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The City Clerk shall cause to be published in the Northfield News a notice of such public hearing on July 30, 2025 and that the published notice shall contain the text of the amendments set forth in the attached Exhibit A.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2025.

ATTEST

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City Clerk

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Mayor

VOTE:   \_\_\_ ZWEIFEL   \_\_\_ BEUMER   \_\_\_ DAHLEN   \_\_\_ HOLMES

      \_\_\_ NESS   \_\_\_ PETERSON WHITE   \_\_\_ SOKUP