

TIMELINE FOR PROPOSED CHARTER COMMISSION AMENDMENT

Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 410.12, Subd. 7

	Step	Timeline Notes	Date
#	Action		
1.	<p><u>Proposed Ordinance.</u> Charter Commission makes a motion and votes at an open public meeting to approve the following:</p> <p>A. Specific recommendations to amend the Charter by ordinance (proposed ordinance); and</p> <p>B. Submission of the proposal to the City Council.</p>		<p>A. 05/14/26 B. 05/26/26</p>
2.	<p><u>Receive Amendment.</u> City Council receives proposed Charter amendment in ordinance form from Charter Commission and sets a date for a public hearing.</p>	<p>A public hearing date must be noticed within one month after the City Council receives the proposed ordinance.</p>	<p>06/02/26</p>
3.	<p><u>Notice.</u> City publishes notice of a public hearing on the proposed ordinance, which must contain the text of the proposed ordinance.</p>		<p>06/10/26</p>
4.	<p><u>Public Hearing.</u> City Council holds a public hearing on the proposed ordinance.</p>	<p>At least two weeks, but not more than one month after the notice is published. There is a maximum of 60 days between receipt of the proposed ordinance and the date of the public hearing must be held.</p>	<p>07/07/26</p>
5.	<p><u>City Council - First reading of ordinance.</u> Council must vote to introduce the proposed ordinance in an open public meeting. Proposed ordinance must receive unanimous approval from the City Council.</p>	<p>Within one month of the date of the public hearing.</p>	<p>07/07/26</p>
6.	<p><u>City Council - Second reading of ordinance</u> (if first reading is adopted unanimously). Proposed ordinance is enacted if it receives a unanimous affirmative vote of all members of the City Council and is published.</p>	<p>Date of City Council meeting approving ordinance.</p>	<p>07/14/26</p>
7.	<p><u>Effective Date.</u> Ordinance becomes effective.</p>	<p>90 days after passage and publication or such later date as is fixed in the ordinance.</p>	<p>10/12/26</p>