

ORDINANCE NO. 256

AN ORDINANCE to amend and re-enact Section 2 of Ordinance No. 120 of the City of Alexandria, entitled: "AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR CITY PLANNING, INCLUDING PARK DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE; THE CREATION, ORGANIZATION AND POWERS OF THE PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION; THE REGULATION OF SUBDIVISION OF LAND AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STREET GRADES; THE ESTABLISHMENT OF BUILDING LINES AND THE ACQUISITION OF RIGHT TO KEEP PLANNED STREETS FREE FROM BUILDINGS; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE" approved July 21, 1932, as amended by Ordinance No. 123.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALEXANRRRIA, VIRGINIA:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Ordinance No. 120 of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, approved July 21, 1932, as amended by Ordinance No. 123 be repealed and re-enacted to read as follows:

"Section 2. The Commission. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this ordinance, namely, to make, adopt, amend, extend, add to, and carry out a City plan, there is hereby created a Commission to be known as the City Planning Commission, to be composed of five members, one of whom shall be a member of the City Council and one of whom shall be an administrative official of the City of Alexandria, both to be appointed by the Mayor and whose term of office as members of the Commission shall correspond to their respective official tenures, three of the members shall be qualified voters of the City to be appointed by the Mayor and who shall hold office for terms of four years. Any member of the Commission may be removed from office by the Mayor after public hearing of which such member shall receive at least ten days notice in writing, for inefficiency, neglect of duty, or malfeasance in office. Any vacancy occurring in the membership of the Commission from any cause whatsoever shall be filled by the Mayor by the appointment of a person having the qualifications necessary for the appointment of the vacated membership within thirty days from such vacancy. All members of the Commission shall serve as such without compensation."

Section 2. The amendment of Section 2 of Ordinance No. 120 above herein provided being made pursuant to the provisions of Section 3091 (29) of the Code of Virginia of 1930 as amended, the terms of office of all the members of the existing Planning Commission are hereby terminated.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Approved this 8th day of February, 1938.

R. L. Ruffner,
Mayor.