## ORDINANCE NO. 140161

Repealing and reenacting Section 2-959, Chairperson; committees, for the purposes of allowing non-committee members to serve on subcommittees of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities and clarifying the responsibilities of the subcommittees.

## BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KANSAS CITY:

Section 1. That Section 2-959, Code of Ordinances, is hereby repealed in its entirety and reenacted to read as follows:

## Sec. 2-959. Chairperson; committees.

- (a) The chairperson shall be selected by the mayor. The chairperson shall preside over all committee meetings and create such subcommittees as are deemed necessary. In the event of the absence of the chairperson, the vice-chairperson selected by the committee shall serve as chairperson.
- (b) Subcommittees may address issues of accessibility, legislative concerns, public awareness, services to a variety of persons with disabilities and any other issues of importance that may present them from time to time to advocate that persons with disabilities are afforded full and equal treatment enjoyed by all citizens of the city. Subcommittees shall make recommendations to the committee and shall have no authority over final decisions of the committee. The chairperson may appoint members to subcommittees. Subcommittee members are not required to be members of the committee and shall not be considered committee members unless otherwise appointed by the mayor.

Approved as to form:

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