

**EXHIBIT A**  
**For 16-O-1650**

Per discussions that took place during a committee work session and the fall council retreat, changes with regard to standing committees and their areas of jurisdiction have been proposed. Below is a summary of these changes.

**Sec. 2-131. – Standing committees established.**

- Repetitive description of committee membership moved to apply to entire list of committees.
- Changed community development and human “resources” to “services”.

**Sec. 2-132. – Appointment; term; vacancy.**

- (c) – Clarified language that the council president shall serve as an ex-officio, non-voting member of each of the standing committees.
- (e) – Clarified that any committee vacancies filled will take place at the next regularly scheduled council meeting.

**Sec. 2-133. – Operations; procedures.**

- (a) – Clarified language to note accordance with state law.
- (b) – Removed language regarding filing amendments to additional rules of the council with the municipal clerk.
- (c) – Clarified language to require a minimum of 4 councilmembers to constitute a quorum.
- (d) – Clarified language to allow held items to be brought forward for a vote as long as there has been a vote of the body to enter into the committee of the whole.
- (e) – Clarified language regarding tie votes after all other motions are exhausted shall be forwarded to the full council with no recommendation from the committee.
- (h) – Clarified language that a brief description should accompany goals adopted by the committee in the annual report.

**Sec. 2-135. – Jurisdiction of standing committees.**

- Added a paragraph to describe the various departmental quarterly updates the committees may receive.
- **(a) – Committee on public safety and legal administration.**
  - (2) – Clarified language to include matters relating to code enforcement.
  - (3) – Clarified to specify fire “and rescue”
  - (4) – Clarified language to include matters relating to code enforcement.
  - (9) – Streamlined language to reference municipal courts.
  - (10) – Clarified language to include the number of solicitors and their salaries.
  - (11) – Condensed two previous paragraphs regarding public defenders and assistant public defenders into 1.
  - (12) – Clarified language to include salaries of court officers.
- **(b) – Committee on transportation.**
  - (2) – Clarified language to specify airport name.
  - (3) – Added language from City Utilities regarding other forms of transportation infrastructure per Work Session discussion.

- (6)-(10) – Added the following additional items: Atlanta Regional Commission, Department of planning and community development activities related to transportation planning, infrastructure bond issues and other capital funding related to transportation projects, Renew Atlanta, and Atlanta Streetcar/Beltline transit and trails.
- **(c) – Committee on city utilities.**
  - (1) – Added recycling.
  - (2) – Added additional types of waste.
  - (3) – Added the mayor’s office of communications and public access television.
  - (5) – Added additional items related to waste, cleaning, and fleet management.
  - (6)-(11) – Added the following additional items: Metropolitan Atlanta River Protection Act, Office of sustainability, city franchise agreements including those related to public access television, Street lighting, banners, utility and other public right of way matters, street naming, street abandonment, street dispositions, and matters related to the Atlanta Fulton Water Resources Commission, Keep Atlanta Beautiful Commission, public access television management, Solid Waste Management Authority, Water & Sewer Appeals Board, and other boards and bodies with subject matter under the purview of this committee.
- **(d) – Committee on community development and human services.**
  - Changed “resources” in title to “services”.
  - (1) – Clarified language to include department of planning and community development, office of housing, and design.
  - (2) – Removed from Zoning and added to CDHR.
  - (3) – Clarified language to include Invest Atlanta, TADs, and related boards.
  - (5) – Removed from CDHR and added to PSLA.
  - (7)-(18) – Added the following additional items: Office of cultural affairs, Office of special events, Office of constituent services, Office of human services, Office of grants management, Office of film and entertainment, Capital Improvement Program (CIP), development impact fee matters (parks, transportation and public safety), Women’s Entrepreneurial Initiative, urban farming initiatives, consolidated plan, and Community Development Block Grant funding.
  - (19) – Removed ACORA board.
  - (24) – Added public art and murals.
  - (26) – Added the following additional items: Matters related to the Atlanta Convention and Visitors Bureau, the Urban Design Commission, Atlanta Planning Advisory Board, the Neighborhood Planning Units, Atlanta/Fulton County Land Bank Authority, Atlanta/Fulton County Recreation Authority, Atlanta Neighborhood Development Partnership, the Atlanta Tree Commission, Municipal Market Board of Directors/Auburn Curb Market, Atlanta Workforce Development Agency, Commission on Aging, Commission on Veterans Affairs, Atlanta Youth Commission, Commission on Homelessness, Community Improvement Districts, Fulton and DeKalb County Boards of Health, Atlanta/Fulton County Library Board of Trustees, Fulton/Atlanta Community Action Authority, all park conservancy boards and advisory committees, the Public Arts Advisory Committee, park and greenway acquisition, and other boards and bodies with subject matter under the purview of this committee.
- **(e) – Committee on finance and executive.**
  - (1) – Clarified language to include additional budget/fund types.
  - (6) – Clarified language to specify the operation and maintenance of cable TV and the mayor’s office of communications.

- (8) – Removed “personnel”.
  - (9) – Clarified language that departments under the jurisdiction of the mayor are not within the purview of any other standing committees.
  - (10) – Added department of procurement.
  - (11) – Added board of education.
  - (12) – Added office of immigrant affairs.
  - (13)-(20) – Added the following additional items: Executive offices not under the jurisdiction of another standing committee, Department of Atlanta information management, innovation delivery and performance, real estate division, facility management division, Office of customer service/311 call center, Office of enterprise assets management, including capital projects funded by infrastructure bonds and other sources, and matters related to the Audit Commission, pension boards, the Atlanta City Employees Credit Union, the Living Wage Independent Review Commission, bodies formed related to audits, Atlanta Sister Cities Commission, Citizens Service Planning Review Commission, Civil Service Board, contract compliance hearing officers, procurement appeals hearing officers, and other boards and bodies with subject matter under the purview of this committee.
- **(f) – Committee on zoning.**
    - Land use plans and CDP amendments moved to CDHR; no legal requirement that they should go to zoning.
    - (3)-(6) – Added the following additional items: Board of Zoning Adjustment, Zoning Review Board, and land plat amendments.
- **(g) – Committee on the council.**
    - (9) – Added language to include office of research and policy, council communications and the municipal clerk’s office.
    - (10) – Add language to include the recruitment and hiring of the council director position and performance evaluations of the council director and municipal clerk.
    - (11)-(13) – Added the following additional items: Matters pertaining to cable television in the office of communication, specifically related to the programming of City Channel 26, matters related to the Board of Ethics, Elected Officials Compensation Commission, Atlanta Committee on Women, and other boards and bodies with subject matter under the purview of this committee, and conduct an annual review of boards and commissions and make a recommendation thereon to the appropriate standing committee of purview.