

Memorandum #08-124

To: City Commissioners
From: Mayor Dan Specht
Subject: Advisory Board/Committee Changes
Date: June 18, 2008

The following are proposed changes to the 2008-2009 Advisory Board/Committees

ADA Advisory Committee

Sue Hanson – ADA Coordinator
David Knoff – City Commission Representative
Charles Murphy - City Commission Representative
Charlie Gross - City Commission Representative
Dan Specht - City Commission Representative

Human Services Center Advisory Commission

Judy VanDerhule – City Commission Representative

City/County Planning Committee

Charlie Gross– City Commission Representative
Dan Specht – City Commission Representative
Doug Russell – City Manager
David Mingo – Community Development Director
Kevin Kuhl – Public Works Director
Steve Pier – Planning Commission Chairman

South Dakota Public Power Agency Committee

Discussion/remove/modify/leave as is

Sister City Committee

Discussion/remove/modify/leave as is

Respectfully submitted,

Dan Specht
Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 680

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SISTER CITIES ADVISORY COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF YANKTON; SPECIFYING THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS AND THE MANNER OF APPOINTMENT AND SPECIFYING THE DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF YANKTON, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. The City hereby authorizes a advisory commission to be known as the Yankton Sister Cities Advisory Commission hereinafter referred to as "Commission" to fulfill the purposes of this ordinance.

Section 2. The Commission shall consist of seven (7) members who shall be appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the Board of City Commissioners. The initial board will be chosen as follows: Two (2) members for a term of one (1) year; three (3) members for a term of two (2) years; and two (2) members for a term of three (3) years. After the initial appointment all appointments shall be for a period of three (3) years or until a successor is qualified.

Section 3. The Commission shall adopt such bylaws as may necessary to accomplish the purposes for its organization. These bylaws shall be effective upon adoption by the Commission and approval by the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Yankton. The Commission shall then organize and select officers as specified in the bylaws.

Section 4. DUTIES AND POWERS.
The Yankton Sister Cities Advisory Commission shall have the following duties and powers:

- (a) To draft a set of bylaws for such a Commission and to periodically review said bylaws for any necessary changes;
- (b) To develop guidelines and a program for a Sister City relationship with other cities throughout the world;
- (c) To prepare an annual report of the activities of the Sister City Advisory Commission for the City of Yankton and to compare the Commission's activities to those of similar commissions in the comparable cities throughout the Country;
- (d) To develop a budget a necessary for the Sister City Advisory Commission projects to be considered by the Board of City Commissioners;
- (e) To initiate, sponsor or conduct, alone or in conjunction with other cities or agencies, public programs to further public awareness of and interest in communities throughout the world emphasizing such things as the cultural, historical, and economic aspects of the City's adopted sister cities;

- (f) To advise and assist the City in connection with such other activities as may be referred to the Commission by the Board of Directors;
- (g) To generally stimulate, facilitate, coordinate and cooperate with existing organizations throughout the Country for the promotion and development of Sister City relationships.

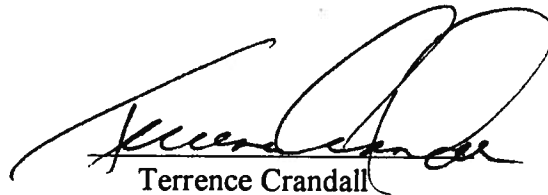
Section 5. Savings Clause.

Should any section, clause or provision of this ordinance be declared by the Courts to be invalid, the same shall not effect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

Section 6. Effective Clause.

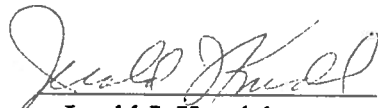
That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication, as required by law.

First reading: June 14, 1993
Second reading: June 28, 1993
Adopted: June 28, 1993
Published: July 6, 1993
Effective: July 26, 1993



Terrence Crandall
Mayor

ATTEST:



Jerald J. Knodel
Finance Officer