

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-834

A Resolution of the City of Gainesville, Florida, amending requirements for the Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development; superseding and repealing Resolution No. R-74-144; and providing an immediate effective date.

WHEREAS, on November 18, 1974, the City Commission of the City of Gainesville adopted Resolution No. R-74-144 creating a Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission desires to amend the provisions governing the Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. Duties: The Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development (“CACCD”) shall:

1. Acquire a knowledge of the impact of community development initiatives within the City of Gainesville.
2. Make funding recommendations to the City Commission relating to Community Development Programs, including housing and public services allocations regarding non-profit agency applications during annual competitive funding cycles for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and the HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME).
3. Have public discussion on various community development interests and make recommendations to the City Commission as the CACCD deems necessary.
4. Have public discussion on affordable housing and public services and make recommendations to the City Commission as the CACCD deems necessary.
5. Have public discussion on activities or projects of interest to improve neighborhood resiliencies and make recommendations to the City Commission as the CACCD deems necessary.

SECTION 2. Membership: CACCD members shall reside in the incorporated city limits and applications for appointment are encouraged from persons who have expertise in the following areas: community development; the provision of affordable housing; economic development; community healthcare; social welfare and accounting; or financial services.

SECTION 3. Terms: The City Commission will appoint to the CACCD not less than nine (9) persons, who shall serve pursuant to the will of the City Commission. CACCD members shall serve for staggered terms of three (3) years, which will expire on November 1st of

applicable years. Any vacancies will be filled by the City Commission for the remainder of the unexpired term.

SECTION 4. Officers and Rules: The CACCD shall select its own chair, vice-chair, and such other officers as deemed necessary, and shall abide by existing committee guidelines and conform to the practices outlined in the City of Gainesville Advisory Board Participation Handbook.

SECTION 5. Except as may be otherwise provided herein, the CACCD is subject to Sections 2-245 through 2-250 of the City’s Code of Ordinances. The CACCD is subject at all times to the Florida Sunshine Laws and Public Records Laws.

SECTION 6. Resolution No. R-74-144 is hereby superseded and repealed.

SECTION 7. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2023.

HARVEY L. WARD, JR.
MAYOR

Attest:

Approved as to form and legality:

KRISTEN BRYANT
INTERIM CITY CLERK

DANIEL M. NEE
CITY ATTORNEY