

ORDINANCE NO. 26-27

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SUBSECTION 2.04.070(A) OF THE MURRAY CITY MUNICIPAL CODE TO CONFORM TO STATE LAW RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF AN INTERIM CITY COUNCIL MEMBER IN THE EVENT OF A MIDTERM VACANCY IN THE COUNCIL.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MURRAY CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL:

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend subsection 2.04.070(A) of the Murray City Municipal Code relating to a midterm vacancy in the office of the City Council.

Section 2. Amend subsection 2.04.070(A). Subsection 2.04.070(A) of the Murray City Municipal Code shall be amended to read as follows:

2.04.070: FILLING OF VACANCIES:

A. A vacancy shall be declared by the City Council if a Council member shall die, resign, terminate legal domicile within the corporate limits of the City or the appropriate Council district boundaries, or be judicially removed from office. In the event of a vacancy in the Council, it shall within thirty (30) days of the occurrence and declaration of such vacancy, appoint a qualified resident of the City and the appropriate Council district to fill the unexpired term followed by an election to fill a two-year term, if:

1. the vacancy occurs, or a letter of resignation is received by the City Council at least 14 calendar days before the deadline for filing for election in an odd-numbered year; and

2. two years of the vacated term will remain after the first Monday of January following the next municipal election.

3. Said appointee shall serve with all of the rights and powers of a duly elected Council member, until the date a successor is duly elected, qualified and sworn into office.

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Section 3. Effective date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon first publication.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Murray City Municipal Council on this 18th day of August 2026.

MURRAY CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL




Adam Hock, Chair

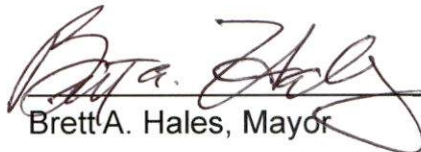
ATTEST:


Brooke Smith, City Recorder

Transmitted to the Office of the Mayor of Murray City on this 21st day of August, 2026.

MAYOR'S ACTION: Approved

DATED this 21st day of August, 2026.

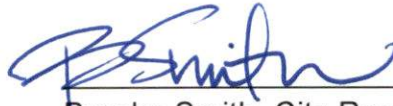

Brett A. Hales, Mayor

ATTEST:


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CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

I hereby certify that this Ordinance, or a summary hereof, was published according to law on the 24th day of August, 2026.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brooke Smith", written over a horizontal line.

Brooke Smith, City Recorder