



# Ordinance Fact Sheet

TO: CITY COUNCIL

DATE: July 20, 1998

FROM: CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: STAGGERING THE TERMS OF APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF  
THE SENIOR COMMISSION

TITLE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA AMENDING SUBSECTION 2.120.030(B)  
OF THE SENIOR COMMISSION ORDINANCE TO STAGGER THE TERMS OF  
APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS

PURPOSE OF ORDINANCE:

The purpose of this ordinance is to stagger the terms of appointment of the commissioners serving on the Senior Commission.

REASONS WHY LEGISLATION IS NEEDED:

When the Senior Commission was re-established by ordinance in 1995, no provision was made for the staggering of commissioners' individual terms of appointment. Consequently, under the municipal code, the current terms of appointment of the members expire on June 30, 1998. This ordinance is needed to set forth a mechanism for staggering the terms of appointment so that the terms of all the commissioners do not end at the same time. If the commissioners' individual terms of appointment expire at different times, then there will be no loss of continuity in the ongoing work of the commission.

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MEETING OF 7/20/98

AGENDA ITEM NO. 9.A.1.

PROGRAMS, DEPARTMENTS OR GROUPS AFFECTED:

This ordinance will affect present and future members of the Senior Commission, and staff serving the commission.

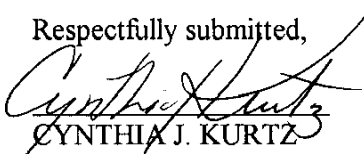
FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

There is no fiscal impact on the general fund from the enactment of this ordinance.

POLICY CHANGES:

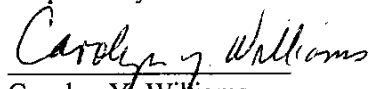
This ordinance does not represent a policy change of any kind as city commissioners generally serve staggered terms of appointment. A provision to stagger terms was inadvertently omitted when the city council re-established the senior commission in 1995.

Respectfully submitted,



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