

ORDINANCE NO. 3268-24

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH,
CALIFORNIA, AMENDING SECTION 2- 9.704 OF ARTICLE 7, CHAPTER 9, TITLE 2
OF THE REDONDO BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING THE
QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE HARBOR COMMISSION**

WHEREAS, clarification regarding the qualifications for appointments to the Harbor Commission was necessary; and

WHEREAS, previously the City Council considered, discussed and gave direction to amend the section regarding the qualifications for appointment to the Harbor Commission; and

WHEREAS, this amendment to the municipal code would permit the King Harbor Lessees' Association in consultation with the Redondo Beach Pier Association to submit five names for consideration.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT OF CODE. Title 2, Chapter 9, Article 7, Section 2-9.704 of the Redondo Beach Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2-9.704 Qualifications for appointment.

Appointments to the Commission shall be in accordance with the following criteria:

(a) One member shall be a boat owner who regularly uses the boating facilities in King Harbor. The designee shall maintain boat ownership during his or her term of office. The sale of the boat, without the repurchase of another within one month after the sale, shall result in a vacancy in office. The boating representative is intended to represent and further the interests of the boaters in King Harbor.

(b) One member shall be selected from a list of not less than five (5) names to be submitted by the King Harbor Lessees' Association in consultation with the Redondo Pier Association. The five (5) names shall be submitted to the City Clerk's Department no later than 30 days prior to the close of the deadline for Commissioner applications. If less than five (5) names are submitted or less than five (5) names qualify for the appointment as determined by the City Clerk, the appointment becomes an at-large appointment.

The Mayor and Council find and declare that the individual appointed as the harbor and pier lessee member of the Commission is intended to represent and further the interests of the harbor and pier lessees within the jurisdiction of the Commission and that such representation and furtherance will ultimately serve the public interests. Accordingly, the Mayor and Council find that, for the purposes of persons who hold such office, the harbor and pier lessees within the jurisdiction of the Commission are tantamount to and constitute a significant segment of the public generally within the meaning of Section 87103 of the [Government Code](#) of the State.

(c) Each of the remaining members of the Commission shall have training and experience in one of the following disciplines:

- (1) A State-registered civil or structural engineer, or five (5) years' practical experience in a related engineering field;
- (2) A member of the Bar of the State;
- (3) A State-licensed architect;
- (4) A certified public accountant, or an officer of a financial institution;
- (5) An oceanographer or marine engineer with five (5) years' practical experience;
- (6) A State-licensed real estate broker;
- (7) A property manager with five (5) years' practical experience;
- (8) A State-licensed general contractor;
- (9) A practicing economic or financial consultant with five (5) years' experience;
- (10) A commercial developer with five (5) years' experience;
- (11) An executive or owner/operator of a business;
- (12) A management level employee with five (5) years' practical experience with a public or governmental entity; and
- (13) A management level employee with at least five (5) years' experience in harbor recreational development.

No discipline shall be represented by more than one member. (§ 3, Ord. 2351 c.s., eff. November 1, 1982, as amended by § 1, Ord. 2427 c.s., eff. October 16, 1985, and

§ 1, Ord. 2509 c.s., eff. September 1, 1988, as renumbered by § 1, Ord. 2705 c.s., eff. October 21, 1993)

SECTION 2. INCONSISTENT PROVISIONS. Any provisions of the Redondo Beach Municipal Code, or appendices thereto, or any other ordinances of the City inconsistent herewith, to the extent such inconsistencies and no further, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. SEVERANCE. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 4. PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be published by one insertion in the official newspaper of said city, and same shall go into effect and be in full force and operation from an after thirty (30) days after its final passage and adoption.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2024.

William C. Brand, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ATTEST:

Michael W. Webb, City Attorney

Eleanor Manzano, CMC, City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss
CITY OF REDONDO BEACH)

I, Eleanor Manzano, City Clerk of the City of Redondo Beach, California, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 3268-24 was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council held on the 23rd day of January, 2024, and approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Redondo Beach, California, at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the ____ day of _____, 2024, and there after signed and approved by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk, and that said ordinance was adopted by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Eleanor Manzano, CMC
City Clerk