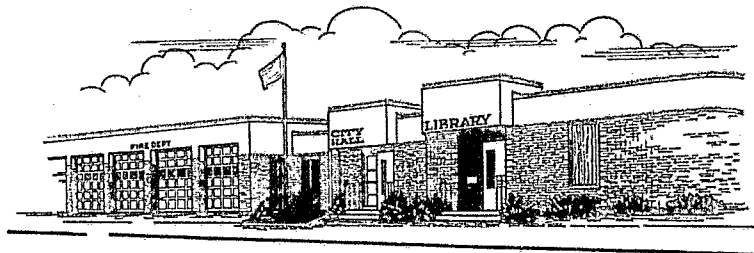


CITY OF Farmington



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July 21, 1975

Secretary of State
State of Minnesota
Room 180 State Office Building
St. Paul, Mn 55101

Gentlemen:

Enclosed you will find a copy of the ordinance pertaining to City Elections, Officers and Terms of Office for the City of Farmington.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Karen M. Finstuen
Administrative Secretary

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CITY OF FARMINGTON
DAKOTA COUNTY, MINNESOTA
ORDINANCE NO. 074-3

An Ordinance pertaining to City Elections, Officers and Terms of Office
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section I Composition: The City Council shall consist of a Mayor and four (4) councilmen, all of whom shall be residents of the City and shall otherwise be qualified to hold public office pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Section II Term of Office: Except as is hereinafter provided, the Mayor shall be elected for a two year term of office, and there shall be an election for the office of Mayor every two years. Except as is hereinafter provided, councilman shall be elected for a four year term of office, with two councilmen being elected at each election.

Section III Transition schedule: In order to comply with the provisions of Chapter 123 of the laws of the State of Minnesota, 1973, it is necessary to create a schedule to provide for an orderly transition to the biennial election plan. The City of Farmington shall, upon the passage of this ordinance, provide for biennial elections beginning on November 5, 1974, at which time there shall be elected the officers who would be elected at that time under the election schedule previously in effect. However, such officers shall be elected for the terms specified in Section 1-5-1(A) of this ordinance. The current term of the office of Mayor which under the election schedule previously in effect, expires on December 31, 1975, shall be, and hereby is extended to expire on December 31, 1976.

Section IV On the Statutory Municipal Election date in the year 1974, there shall be an election for one (1) councilman for a term of four (4) years. On the Statutory Municipal Election Date in the year 1976, there shall be an election for three (3) Councilmen, at which election the two candidates receiving the greatest number of votes shall be elected for a term of four (4) years, and the candidate receiving the third greatest number of votes shall be elected for a term of two (2) years. On the Statutory Municipal Election Date in the year 1976, there shall be an election for the office of Mayor who shall be elected for a two year term of office. On the Statutory Municipal Election Dates in the year 1978, and thereafter, all elections shall conform in each and every respect to the Laws of the State of Minnesota.

Section V That Title I, Chapter 5, Section 1, of the City Code of the City of Farmington is hereby amended to conform to the provisions of the ordinance.

Enacted and Ordained this 2nd day of January, 1974.

ATTEST: Alan D. Brundman

CITY OF FARMINGTON

Seal

BY *Alvin Wood*
Clerk

BY *Lawrence F. Bailey*
Mayor

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I hereby certify that the attached is a full and true copy as it appears in the original official records of the City on file in the office of the City Clerk.

ATTEST: Harold D. Dinsten William J. [Signature]
Clerk-Administrator

(Seal)

7/21/75
Date