

**ORDINANCE NO. 2016-31**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2 REGARDING THE CITY’S MERIT SYSTEM**

The City Council of the City of Bloomington hereby ordains:

Section 1. That Chapter 2 of the City Code is hereby amended by deleting those words that are in ~~strike through~~ font contained in brackets [ ] and adding those words that are underlined, to read as follows:

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**CHAPTER 2: ADMINISTRATION**

**ARTICLE IV: PERSONNEL**

**DIVISION B: MUNICIPAL MERIT SYSTEM**

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**§ 2.67 MERIT SYSTEM ADOPTED.**

A municipal merit system, pursuant to the provisions of M.S. Chapter 44, as it may be amended from time to time, and as supplanted by section 6.03 of the city charter, is hereby adopted by the city for all municipal employees, except: ~~[those employees excluded by the terms of M.S. Chapter 44, as it may be amended from time to time, the Assistant Manager, employees regularly engaged on a scheduled but less than full-time basis and temporary employees, paid on an hourly or weekly basis]~~

- (a) the City Manager and his or her non-clerical employees;
- (b) the City Attorney and his or her non-clerical employees;
- (c) employees hired to fill temporary or seasonal positions; and
- (d) employees working a limited or variable number of hours that averages less than twenty hours per week over the course of a calendar year.

~~**§ 2.68 STATUTES ADOPTED BY REFERENCE.**~~

~~—M.S. §§ 44.01 to 44.16, as they may be amended from time to time, are hereby adopted by reference and made a part of this Division B.~~

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Passed and adopted this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2016.

/s/ Gene Winstead  
Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Denise M. Christenson  
Secretary to the Council

APPROVED:

/s/ Melissa J. Manderschied  
City Attorney