

ORDINANCE 9771 (NEW SERIES)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS OF THE SAN DIEGO COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE RELATING TO HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES CHARGES AND FEES AND THE SAN DIEGO COUNTY VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego ordains as follows:

Section 1. Section 250 of the San Diego County Administrative Code – Article XV-B is hereby amended to read:

**SEC. 250. COUNTY SERVICES AREA 69 RESIDENT USER FEE.**

A fee of \$575 shall be charged to residents of County Service Area 69 who are transported to a hospital by a County Service Area 69 provider. The Director, Health and Human Services, or the Director's designee may waive said fee for those residents financially unable to pay the fee.

Section 2. Section 820.1 of the San Diego County Administrative Code – Article XLVIII is hereby amended to read:

**SEC. 820.1. MEMBERSHIP AND SELECTION.**

The Council shall consist of ten (10) members as follows:

- (a) Five members shall be appointed by the Board of Supervisors with each Supervisor nominating one Council Member from their respective District.
- (b) Four members shall be appointed by the Board of Supervisors as Members-at-Large.
- (c) Commander, Navy Region Southwest, or a designated representative, as an ex-officio member.

Section 3. Section 820.2 of the San Diego County Administrative Code – Article XLVIII is hereby amended to read:

**SEC. 820.2. APPOINTMENTS.**

Persons appointed to the Council other than the Commander, Navy Region Southwest or a designated representative, must meet the following requirements:

- (1) Be a resident of San Diego County; and
- (2) Be an honorably discharged veteran of the Armed Forces of the United States of America; and
- (3) Demonstrate an interest in and knowledge of issues relating to the needs of veterans.

In addition, in selecting the members to the Council, the Board of Supervisors shall attempt to reflect in Council appointments comprehensive representation of age, socio-economic status, ethnic background, military experience, and geographical distribution.

Section 4. Section 820.3 of the San Diego County Administrative Code – Article XLVIII is hereby amended to read:

**SEC. 820.3. TERM OF OFFICE.**

Those members nominated by a Supervisor shall serve a term which shall run concurrent with the term of the Supervisor. The term shall expire on the date of expiration of the term of the nominating Supervisor, or at such time as he or she ceases to hold office, whichever occurs first. Any member whose term has expired hereunder shall continue his or her duties until his or her successor has been appointed. The reelection of a member of the Board of Supervisors shall not automatically extend the term of any member of the Council.

Those members nominated as Members-at-Large shall serve a term of office of four (4) years.

Section 5. Section 820.12 of the San Diego County Administrative Code – Article XLVIII is hereby amended to read:

**SEC. 820.12. [SCHEDULE IN SECTION 9.1 AMENDED.]**

The schedule in Section 9.1 of the San Diego County Administrative Code is amended to insert 2010-11 as the Fiscal Year for review for new Article XLVIII.

Section 6. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption. Within fifteen (15) days after the date of adoption of this ordinance, a summary shall be published once with the names of those members voting for and against the same in a newspaper of general circulation published in San Diego County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 9<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY 2006