

ORDINANCE 2015-02

**CITY OF CLEARWATER
WRIGHT AND STEARNS COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CLEARWATER MUNICIPAL CODE
CHAPTER 2 ADMINISTRATION**

WHEREAS THE City of Clearwater has an ordinance for the Volunteer Fire Department that includes the appointment procedure for the fire chief, assistant chief, secretary and fire marshal.

NOW THEREFORE the City Council of the City of Clearwater, Minnesota, ordains:

Article IV. (Departments) Sec. 2.119 “Appointment of fire chief, assistant chief, secretary and fire marshal,” is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2-119. - Appointment of fire chief, assistant chief, secretary and fire marshal.

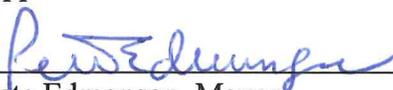
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The fire chief shall be appointed by, be responsible to, and shall serve at the pleasure of the city council. The City Administrator will provide nominations for the position of fire chief for appointment by the city council. The City Administrator or designee will determine if a vacancy will be filled through an open recruitment or by promotion, transfer or some other method. This determination will be made on a case-by-case basis.

This ordinance becomes effective from and after its passage and publication in summary form as hereby attached in Exhibit A, in the City’s official newspaper.

Passed by the City Council of Clearwater, Minnesota this 20th day of July 2015.

Approved:


Pete Edmonson, Mayor

Attested:


Kevin Kress, City Administrator

EXHIBIT A

TITLE AND SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE 2015-02

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CLEARWATER, MINNESOTA
AMENDING THE MUNICIPAL CODE
CHAPTER 2 ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE IV DEPARTMENTS**

The City Council of the City of Clearwater, Minnesota, Counties of Wright and Stearns, does hereby amend Chapter 2 Administration, Article IV Departments, Sec. 2.119 "Appointment of fire chief, assistant chief, secretary and fire marshal of the Clearwater Municipal Code.

The purpose of the amendments to the Code is to clarify language within the ordinance to be consistent with current standards and simplify the appointment process

A complete copy of the Ordinance is available for inspection at the City Office, 605 County Road 75, Clearwater MN 55320, and on the City's website at www.clearwatercity.com.

Adopted by the Clearwater City Council on the 20th day of July, 2015.



Pete Edmonson, Mayor

Attest:



Kevin Kress, City Administrator