ORDINANCE NO. 2013-391

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS AMENDING CHAPTER 2.08 OF THE LOS ALTOS MUNICIPAL CODE PERTAINING TO CITY COMMISSIONS GENERALLY

WHEREAS, the City of Los Altos Municipal Code Chapter 2.08 and the City Council Norms and Procedures hold that the City Council is responsible for appointing members of the community to the City's Commissions; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds and determines that the adoption of reasonable standards, restrictions and requirements concerning the membership requirements of its Commission members are necessary to protect Los Altos' unique character and existing land uses; and to protect the health, safety and welfare of its residents and its community; and

WHEREAS, the City Council on February 12, 2013 voted to change the organizational structure of the Senior Commission from nine members to seven members; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is exempt from environmental review pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the State Guidelines implementing the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended.

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Los Altos does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT OF CODE: Chapter 2.08 is hereby amended to revise Section 2.08.010(I), to read as follows:

"I. Senior Commission: Seven members, age fifty-five (55) or older;"

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT OF CODE: Chapter 2.08 is hereby amended to revise Section 2.08.020(A)(2), to read as follows:

"2. Five members of the Senior Commission shall be appointed by the Council and two members of the Senior Commission shall be appointed by the Town of Los Altos Hills City Council."

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT OF CODE: Chapter 2.08 is hereby amended to revise Section 2.08.020(B)(3), to read as follows:

"3. Two voting members of the Senior Commission need not be residents."

SECTION 4. AMENDMENT OF CODE: Chapter 2.08 is hereby amended to revise Section 2.08.030(F), to read as follows:

"F. Vacancies on any Commission shall be filled by a majority vote of the Council, except that the Town of Los Altos Hills City Council may fill two vacancies on the Library

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Commission and two vacancies on the Senior Commission. An individual appointed to fill a vacancy prior to the expiration of the term for which his or her predecessor was appointed shall serve for such unexpired term."

SECTION 5. CONSTITUTIONALITY. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this code is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this code.

SECTION 6. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be published as provided in Government Code section 36933.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be effective upon the commencement of the thirty-first day following the adoption date.

The foregoing ordinance was duly and properly introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Los Altos held on March 12, 2013 and was thereafter, at a regular meeting held on March 26, 2013 passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES: BRUINS, CARPENTER, PEPPER, SATTERLEE, FISHPAW NOES: NONE ABSENT: NONE ABSTAIN: NONE

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Attest:

Jon Maginot, CITY CLERK



STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA CITY OF LOS ALTOS

CERTIFIED COPY OF ORDINANCE SECOND READING/ADOPTION

I, Jon Maginot, City Clerk for the City of Los Altos in said County of Santa Clara, and State of California, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of

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Ordinance No. 2013-391, adopted by the Los Altos City Council on March 26, 2013 by the following vote:

AYES: BRUINS, CARPENTER, PEPPER, SATTERLEE, FISHPAW NONE NOES: ABSTAIN: NONE ABSENT: NONE

I hereby further certify that a summary of the ordinance was published in accordance with Government Code Section 36933 on the following dates: March 70, 2013 and April 3, 2013. Said ordinance shall be effective April 26, 2013.

Dated this <u>Sth</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2013. Jon Maginot

City Clerk