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Sec. 4-1. City attorney.

There shall be a city attorney, who shall be appointed, and may be removed, by the mayor with approval of the council. The city attorney serves for an indefinite term, and unless his services are sooner terminated, until his successor is appointed and qualifies.

Sec. 4-2. Library board.

- A. There shall be a library board. It shall consist of six (6) members appointed by the mayor with approval of the council for overlapping terms of three (3) years. The terms of two (2) members shall begin May 1 in every year. The mayor with approval of the council may remove a member for the good of the service, and may fill vacancies for unexpired terms. Members shall serve without compensation.
- B. Every year, at the time prescribed for the beginning of the terms of new members or as soon thereafter as practicable, the library board shall elect a chairman, a vice chairman, and a secretary; and the secretary need not be a member of the board. It shall determine the time and place of its regular meetings; and the chairman or any four (4) members may call special meetings of the board.
- C. The library board shall have administrative supervision and control of the public library or libraries of the city, and shall appoint the librarian or librarians and all other library personnel; provided, that the board may authorize a librarian to appoint his subordinates. The library board may adopt regulations for the operation of the library or libraries, subject to ordinance which the council may enact.
- D. Nothing in this charter shall prohibit the city from participating in a county or other area library service.

Sec. 4-3. Hospitals and certain other institutions.

If and when the city itself operates a hospital, other institution for the care and/or custody of persons, a museum, or other cultural or educational institution or agency, the hospital or other such institution or agency shall be governed, administered, and operated as the council may provide by ordinance, notwithstanding any other provision of this charter. This section does not affect the foundation which now operates the hospital.