

Wilmington, Delaware
January 19, 2017

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Sponsor:

Council
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WHEREAS, Section 2-100 of Charter of the City of Wilmington (“City Charter”) mandates that the City Council shall consist of, “...twelve (12) members, of whom eight (8) shall be elected from councilmanic districts and four (4) from the city at large, and the president of council, who shall be elected by the people from the city at large”; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-102 of the City Charter further states that, “there shall be eight (8) councilmanic districts, each encompassing as nearly as possible a contiguous area in which is included as nearly as practicable an equal population distribution.”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, that the City Council is not supportive of any change in the City Charter regarding the structure of City Council or any reduction in the number or type of council members or councilmanic districts.

Passed by City Council,

Attest: _____
City Clerk

Approved as to form this _____
day of January, 2017.

Assistant City Solicitor