

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-0401

CITY OF CLAREMONT

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING CLAREMONT CITY CODE SECTION 2.57 TO ESTABLISH THE
PROCEDURES AND TIMING OF SPECIAL ELECTIONS TO FILL DECLARED
VACANCIES IN ELECTED OFFICES

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLAREMONT, ORDAINS:

1. Claremont City Code Section 2.57, is hereby amended to read as follows (additions are underlined; deletions are ~~crossed-out~~):

SEC. 2.57. CITY ELECTION.

Subd. 1. Date of Election. The regular City election shall be held biennially on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November in every even-numbered year beginning with the 1996 election.

Subd. 2. Terms and Transition. Two Council members shall be elected for four-year terms at each biennial election commencing in 1996. Two remaining Council members shall be elected for a four-year term at the 1998 city election. The Mayor shall be elected for a two-year term at each such election commencing in 1996.

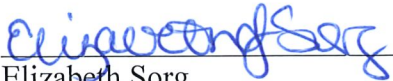
Subd. 3. Special Election. After a vacancy is declared on the City Council and a person is appointed to fill the vacancy, a special election shall be held prior to the general election if there are more than 365 days remaining until the next general election. The city council may by resolution establish the date of filing affidavits of candidacy for the office, the time for absentee balloting, and the date of the special election, as well as other provisions for the effective administration of the special election. The special election must be held on one of the uniform election dates pursuant to Minnesota Statute Section 205.10, subd. 3a.

2. **This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage and publication and shall apply to all vacancies that exist as of the date of passage of this ordinance and all vacancies that may exist in the future .**

ADOPTED this 1st day of April, 2025, by the City Council of the City of Claremont.

By: 
Jared Sultze
Mayor

ATTEST:


Elizabeth Sorg
City Administrator/City Clerk