CHAPTER 52

PLANNING BOARD

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GENERAL REFERENCES

Department of Development - See Ch. 2. Zoning - See Ch. 79.

§ 52-1. Creation; membership.

The City of Dunkirk does hereby create a Planning Board consisting of five (5) members, no more than two (2) of which shall hold any other public office or position in the City of Dunkirk and none of which may be members of the Dunkirk Common Council.

§ 52-2. Terms of Office.

The terms of members of the Planning Board shall be as follows: one (1) for a term of one (1) year, two (2) for a term of two (2) years and two (2) for a term of three (3) years.

§ 52-3. Removal of Members.

No member of the Planning Board shall be removed except for cause and after a public hearing.

§ 52-4. Election of Chairman.

The Planning Board shall elect a Chairman from its own members.

§ 52-5. Employment of Experts and Staff.

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The Planning Board shall have the power and authority to employ experts and a staff and to pay for their services and such other expenses as may be necessary and proper, not exceeding, in all, the appropriation, if any, that may be made for such Board.

§ 52-6. Powers and Authority of Board.

The Planning Board shall have full power and authority to make such investigations, maps and reports and recommendations in connection therewith relating to the planning and development of the City as are referred to said Board by either the Mayor or Common Council, provided that the total expenditures of said Board shall not exceed the appropriation, if any, for its expenses.

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