



# CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year Two Thousand and Nineteen

## AN ORDINANCE

### *RELATIVE TO EMPLOYEE RESIDENCY*

31- 509

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

#### **SECTION 1.**

Article II of Chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by striking Sections 19-20 through 19-27 in their entirety.

**SECTION 2.** Article II of Chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby further amended by inserting the following Section :-

#### **19-20 Residency of Members of Board and Commissions.**

Every person appointed, reappointed, re-elected or reselected to serve on any Authority, Advisory Board, Board, Commission or Committees, whether such service is compensated or not, shall be a resident of the City and shall not cease to be a resident of the City during the term for which said person was appointed, reappointed, re-elected or reselected unless the Mayor requests a Waiver by submitting such request to the City Council and the City Council approves the waiver by 2/3 vote after determining that such a waiver for the particular individual is in the best interest of the City.

**SECTION 3.** Section 2-121 of Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by striking the last sentence of said Section.

**SECTION 4.** Section 23-1 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by striking the first sentence and inserting, in place thereof, the following sentence:-

“The Mayor with the approval of the City Council may appoint a Parking Supervisor.”

**SECTION 5.** Paragraph (a) of Section 2-47 of Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by striking the following words of said Section:-

“shall be subject to residency requirement under Chapter 19, Article II.”

**SECTION 6.** Section 2-237 of Chapter 2 of Article XXII of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by striking the last sentence of said Section.

**SECTION 7.** This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

**IN CITY COUNCIL, November 26, 2019**

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

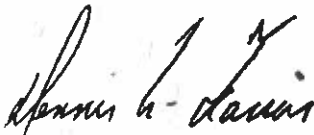
Dennis W. Farias, City Clerk

**IN CITY COUNCIL, January 23, 2020**

Matter was Discharged from the Committee on Ordinances - Adopted – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Referred to the Special Committee on Waivers of Residency. Dennis W. Farias, City Clerk

a true copy, attest:

  
City Clerk