

**RESOLUTION NO. 3050**

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND TO EXPAND THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE MAYOR'S DISABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, on October 1, 1991 the Mayor and Council adopted a resolution creating a Mayor's Disability Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, on January 13, 1997 the Mayor and Council adopted a resolution that the membership be expanded from five members to seven; and


WHEREAS, the purpose of the Committee is to provide advice to the Mayor on ways in which accessibility to City jobs, programs and services to people with disabilities can be improved; and

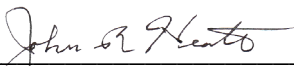
WHEREAS, the work of the Mayor's Disability Advisory Committee would be enhanced if its membership was a greater diversified representation of the disabled population and people who are familiar with the challenges faced by the disabled;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland that the membership of the Mayor's Disability Advisory Committee be expanded from seven members to nine, with each of the new members to be appointed by the Mayor for three-year terms.

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on August 10, 2020, and is to become effective immediately.


ATTEST:

  
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Kimberly R. Nichols  
CITY CLERK

  
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John R. Heath  
PRESIDENT, City Council

APPROVED BY ME THIS

17 day of August, 2020

  
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Julia Glanz, City Administrator for and  
with the authority of Jacob R. Day, Mayor



City of  
**Salisbury**  
Jacob R. Day, Mayor

**To: City Council**

**From: Julia Glanz, City Administrator**

**Subject: Increasing the Disability Advisory Committee from 7 to 9 Members**

**Date: July 30, 2020**

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Over the last few years the Disability Advisory Committee (DAC) the membership has been incredibly strong and consistent. Through strong Committee leadership the DAC is advocating on behalf of all peoples in Salisbury and within our own government, and they have exciting plans for how to continue to engage the community further. Due to their strong work there is increased demand for full membership participation from those in our community. While there is no standard among our Boards and Commissions on the amount of members, we do not want them to get too large where they become ineffective. Increasing the DAC from seven to nine members is still a manageable size and will allow for greater diversity and perspective so that all voices in our community can be heard.

Please let me know if you have any questions.