



# May 21, 2024 – Regular Meeting Charter Committee



# Charter Review History (2000 – Present)

- **2001 Charter Election**

- 10 Propositions [All Passed]
  - 5 items for “general cleanup”
  - 2 items for “parliamentary cleanup”
  - 1 item to confirm the roles of the council vs the city manager
  - 1 item to set 3-year terms & term limits
  - 1 item to provide for a per meeting stipend

- **2004 Charter Election**

- 2 Propositions
  - 1 item for “general cleanup” (passed)
  - 1 item to remove cap for per meeting stipends (failed)

- **2011 Charter Election**

- 3 Propositions [All Passed]
  - 2 item for “general cleanup”
  - 1 item to shift from 3 to 4-year terms & clarifying term limits

- **2014 Charter Election**

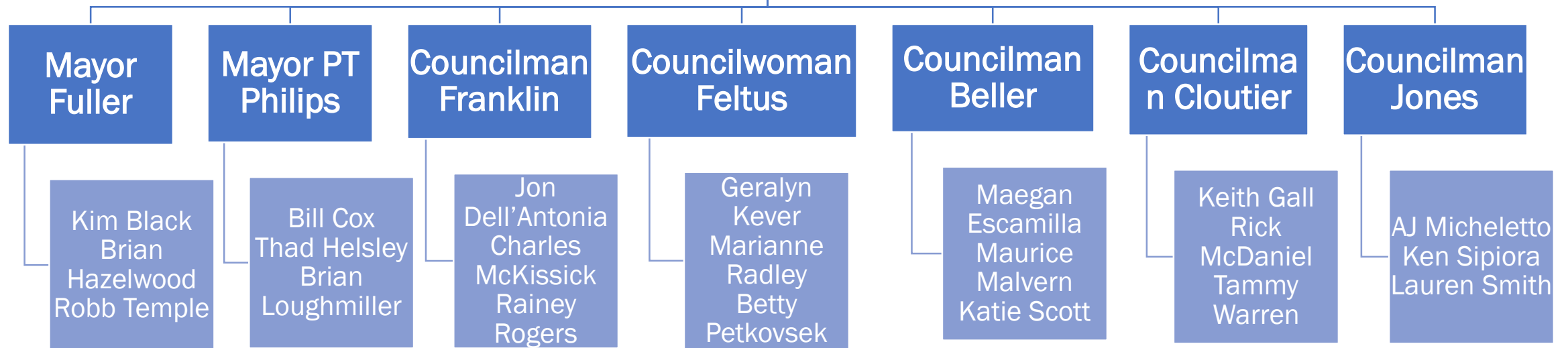
- 10 Propositions [All Passed]
  - 3 items for “council qualifications”
  - 2 items for “general cleanup”
  - 2 items to clarify council appointment/removal authority
  - 1 item to remove cap for meeting stipend
  - 1 item to fill council vacancies by appointment
  - 1 item to grant the fire department additional investigation powers

- **2019 Charter Election**

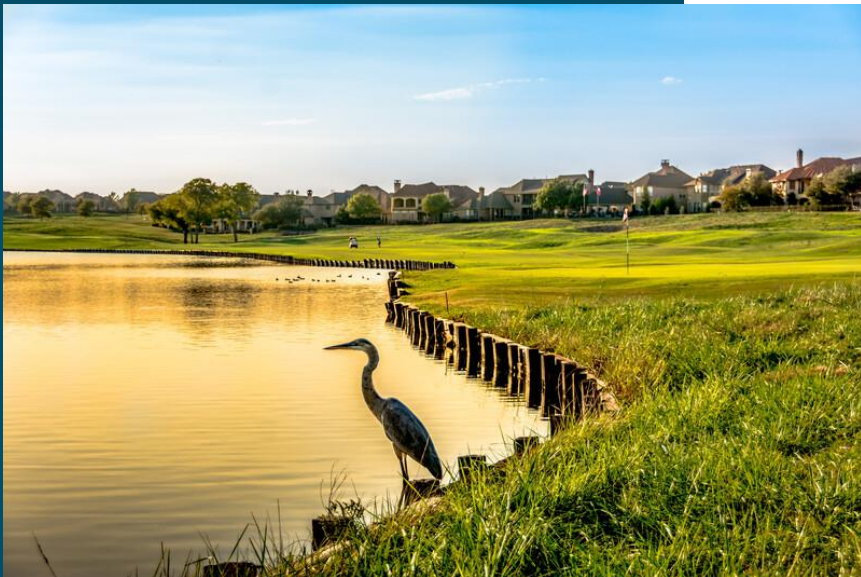
- 2 Propositions [All Passed]
  - 1 item to reduce the signature threshold for a recall election
  - 1 item to clarify recall elections are voted on city wide

# Charter Committee Nominations

## City Council Appointed



# Charter Committee Focus



- **Terms**

- The Committee is charged with evaluating current terms, adjustment to terms, and clarifying “service pause period”.

- **Composition**

- The Committee is charged with evaluating current council composition as it relates to the number of council members and district vs. at-large members.

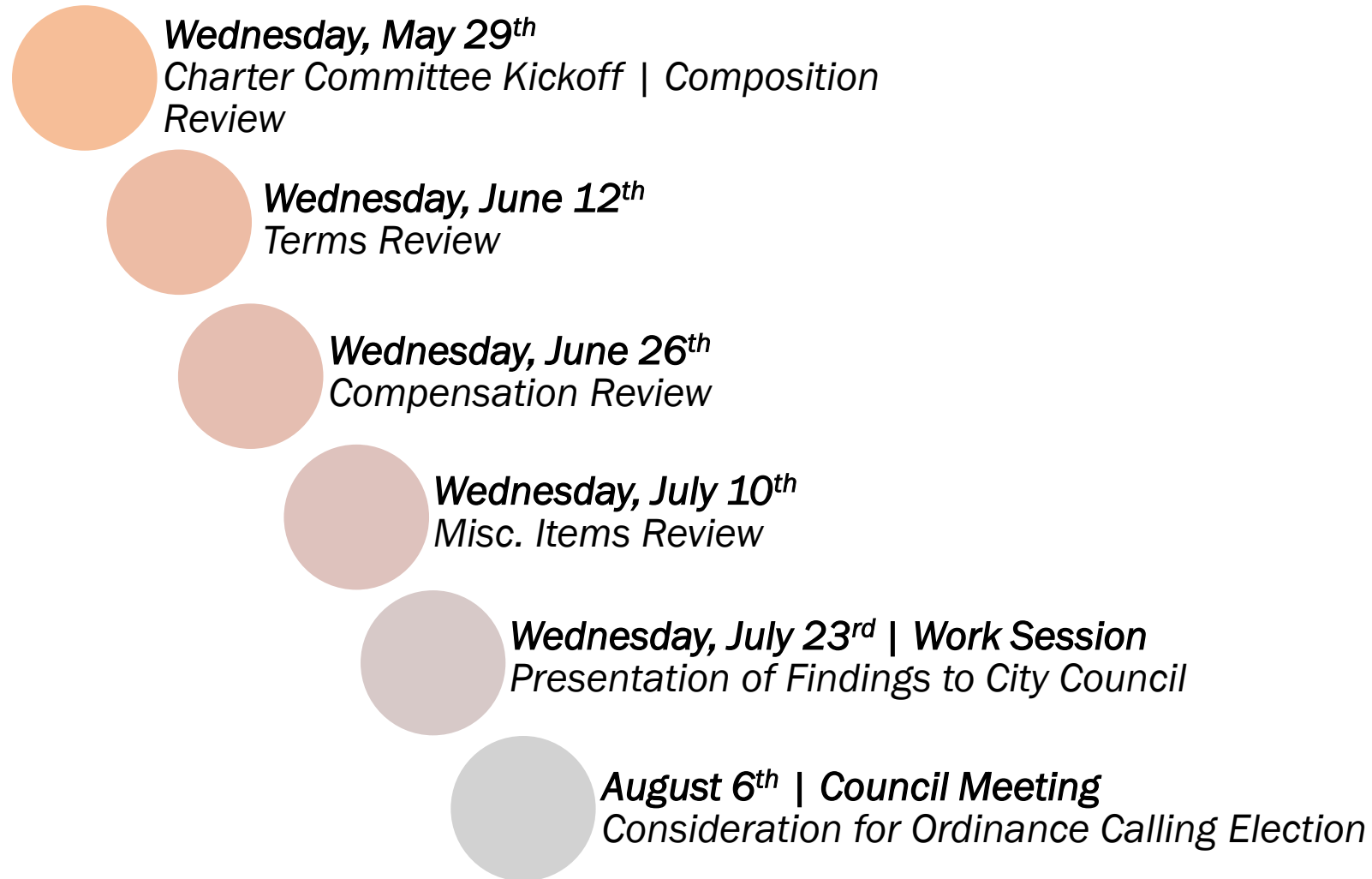
- **Compensation**

- The Committee is charged with evaluating current member/meeting compensation.

- **Misc.**

- The Committee is charged with evaluating misc. administrative items, and a possible automatic 10-year charter review process.
- The Committee is expected to be open to considering and evaluating other items as the charter review process takes place.

# Committee Timeline







Questions?