

RESOLUTION NO. 18-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, CREATING A COMPLETE COUNT ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR THE 2020 DECENNIAL CENSUS, SPECIFYING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE COMPLETE COUNT ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND THE NUMBER AND QUALIFICATIONS OF ITS MEMBERS, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the next Decennial Census, which determines apportionment of representatives in the United States House of Representatives, state legislatures, and local governments, will be taken in the year 2020; and

WHEREAS, it is in the City's best interest to create a Complete Count Advisory Committee in order to publicize the importance of the Decennial Census and encourage participation in the Decennial Census so that every resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale is counted; and

WHEREAS, Subsection 2-217(a) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, provides that "[t]he city commission may at any time create . . . a committee, by resolution, to act in an advisory capacity to the city commission or any department of the city government . . . in connection with any public functions of the city";

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby created a Complete Count Advisory Committee of the City of Fort Lauderdale.

SECTION 2. That the powers and duties of the Complete Count Advisory Committee shall be as follows:

- A. To recommend methods of disseminating information about the 2020 Census.
- B. To assist in publicizing the 2020 Census.
- C. To recommend outreach efforts to encourage participation in the 2020 Census.

SECTION 3. That the Complete Count Advisory Committee shall be composed of twelve (12) members appointed by resolution of the City Commission, who shall serve without compensation. Each member shall be a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale or maintain a current government, education, business, faith-based, community-based, or print media employment or leadership position within the corporate limits of the City, and shall include the following:

- A. Two (2) members from government.
- B. Two (2) members from education.
- C. Two (2) members from business.
- D. Two (2) members from the faith-based community.
- E. Two (2) members from community-based organizations.
- F. Two (2) members from the print media; one of which shall represent the minority print media.

SECTION 4. That the City Manager or the City Manager's designee shall serve as the liaison to the Complete Count Advisory Committee.

SECTION 5. That the Complete Count Advisory Committee shall observe the following:

- A. The Complete Count Advisory Committee shall select its chair from among its members.
- B. The Complete Count Advisory Committee shall adopt rules of procedure for the conduct of its meetings.
- C. A majority of the membership of the Complete Count Advisory Committee shall constitute a quorum.
- D. The Complete Count Advisory Committee shall meet in City of Fort Lauderdale City Hall, depending on space availability, on dates and at times set by the Complete Count Advisory Committee that are intended to maximize public interest and participation.

SECTION 6. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon its adoption..

ADOPTED this the _____ day of _____, 2018.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
JEFFREY A. MODARELLI