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Affordable Housing Advisory Committee	11	YES	STATE STATUTE	NO	NO	A) Review established policies and procedures, ordinances, land development regulations and adopted comprehensive plan and recommend specific actions or initiatives to encourage or facilitate affordable housing while protecting the ability of the property to appreciate in value; B) to evaluate the implementation of affordable housing incentives; C) to make recommendations to the city commission on matters related to affordable housing issues; D) submit to the city commission triennially, the State Housing Initiative Partnership report that includes recommendations to establish and evaluate the implementation of affordable housing incentives in the areas provided in Section 420.9076 (2), Florida Statutes; E) prepare an overall strategy integrating policies, plans and program delivery related to affordable housing and the use of state and federal entitlement funds; F) and to recommend strategies and procedures that when implemented will increase the city's capacity to provide more affordable housing.
Audit Advisory Board	5	NO	Ordinance	YES	NO	A) To advise the city Commission regarding appointment, compensation and retention of the independent auditor selected by the city to prepare or issue an audit report or perform other audits or attesting services for the city and to oversee such services; B) evaluate annually the independent auditor's qualifications, performance and independence taking into consideration the opinion of city management and the Internal Audit Director; C) review the draft annual audited financial statements, including management's discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations and discuss with management and the independent auditor prior to the filing of the comprehensive annual financial report; D) review the independent auditor's annual management letter recommendations on internal control and accounting procedures and make recommendations to the city manager and city commission regarding appropriate response and resources to address audit findings; E) review the reports of the Internal Audit Director with responses from management and annual and interim planned work activities and advise city commission regarding adequacy of staffing and other resources to accomplish the overall scope and plans for internal audits; F) review city's compliance with legal and regulatory requirements related to revenues, expenditures, assets, liabilities and any other financial matters; G) review city's major financial risk, exposures and steps taken to monitor and control such exposures.

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Aviation Advisory Board	10	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	(A) The Aviation Advisory Board shall have the power and duty to recommend to the city commission action necessary for the planning, establishment, development, construction, enlargement, improvement, maintenance, operation, regulation, protection, and policing of airports owned, operated, and controlled by the city. (B) The aviation advisory board shall formulate rules and regulations governing its own conduct. Such rules and regulations, to be effective, shall first be considered by the city commission and adopted by resolution.(C) The aviation advisory board shall formulate and recommend to the city commission provisions to be contained in ordinances that govern the operation of all municipal airports, subject to the provisions of any superior law governing the same. Before such ordinances shall be effective, they shall be submitted to the city commission for approval and adoption.(D) The aviation advisory board may recommend to the city commission the appointment of a qualified airport consultant, when such need arises, to assist in the planning for the development and operation of all municipal airports.(E) Any and all leases entered into by the city with persons for the use of land and facilities at all municipal airports shall first be considered by the aviation advisory board which will recommend to the city commission approval or rejection of same.(F) The aviation advisory board shall not make the initial contact with any prospective prime lessee or prospective assignee unless the contact has been preceded by a request to make such contact by the city commission.
Beach Business Improvement District Advisory Committee	9	YES	Resolution	YES	NO	To make recommendations regarding the beach business improvement district.
Beach Redevelopment Board	10	NO	FLORIDA STATUTE & LAWS OF FLORIDA	NO	NO	(A) to review the Revitalization Plan and recommend changes or revisions to the plan (B) to propose actions to be taken to implement the Revitalization Plan (C) to cause to be prepared a community redevelopment plan for the Central Beach Redevelopment Area pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 61-2165, Laws of Florida, as supplemented by the provisions of sections 163.330-450, Florida Statutes, for approval by the City Commission (D) to propose amendments to the Redevelopment Plan (E) to make recommendations regarding the exercise of the City Commissions powers as a community redevelopment agency in order to implement a community redevelopment plan and carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of Chapter 61-2165, Laws of Florida as supplemented by Sections 163.330-450, Florida Statutes, in the Central Beach Redevelopment Area (F) to receive input from members of the public interested in the revitalization of the central beach area and to report such information to the City Commission.

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Board of Adjustment	10	NO	CITY CODE	YES	Quasi	(A) To grant temporary permits for nonconforming use of buildings or lands in the city for short periods of time, not exceeding one (1) year from the date of entry of the final order granting such relief and for which no extensions or additional nonconforming permits may be granted. (B) To hear and decide appeals by proper parties where it is alleged that there is error in any reviewable interpretation, application or determination made by an administrative official in the enforcement of the ULDR and to modify or reverse such ruling upon finding the interpretation of facts or interpretation of law clearly erroneous or to affirm such ruling upon interpretation of facts or law by such administrative official which is not clearly erroneous. (C) To hear and decide special exceptions, to decide such questions as are involved in determining whether special exceptions should be granted and to grant such special exceptions with conditions and safeguards as are appropriate under the ULDR. (D) To authorize upon application in specific cases such variances from the ULDR as are authorized under the ULDR, and to decide such questions as are involved in determining whether a variance should be granted and to grant such variances with conditions and safeguards as are appropriate under the ULDR.
Budget Advisory Board	10	NO	Ordinance	YES	NO	(A)To provide the city with input regarding the taxpayers' perspective in the development of the annual operating budget;(B) to review projections and estimates from the city manager regarding revenues and expenditures for upcoming fiscal year; (C) to advise the city commission on service levels and priorities and fiscal solvency; (D) and to submit recommendations to the city commission No later than August 15 of each year regarding a budget for the upcoming fiscal year
Cemetery System Board of Trustees	10	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	Chapter 10 City Code - Promulgate rules and regulations for the operation of the municipal cemetery system, subject to the approval of the city commission.
Central City Redevelopment Advisory Board	11	NO	STATE STATUTE & LAWS OF FLORIDA	NO	NO	(A)To review the Middle River-South Middle River-Sunrise Boulevard Community Redevelopment Area (Central City CRA) plan and recommend changes; (B) make recommendations regarding the exercise of the city commission's powers as a community redevelopment agency in order to implement the plan and carry out and effectuate the purposes and provision of the Community Redevelopment Act in the Middle River-South Middle River-Sunrise Boulevard Community Redevelopment Area (Central City CRA); (C) receive input from members of the public interested in redevelopment of property in Middle River-South Middle River-Sunrise Boulevard Community Redevelopment Area (Central City CRA) and report such information to the city commission sitting as the Community Redevelopment Agency.

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Charter Revision	5	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	(A) Advising the city commission on the propriety of the existing charter and, further, to make such suggestions and recommendations to perfect said charter so as to establish a better government of and for the city.
Citizens' Committee of Recognition	6	YES	Resolution	NO	NO	(A) To assure proper recognition of outstanding contributions made by local citizens in various areas of endeavor, to develop criteria for the selection of such individuals, and to study, analyze and present to the city commission proposals on matters relating to the observance of certain significant historical occasions.
Citizens' Police Review Board	9	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	(A) The citizens' police review board shall review all Category I complaints, regardless of their source investigated by the internal affairs division of the police department. The citizens' police review board shall conduct its review at the conclusion of an internal affairs investigation of a complaint after the chief of police has made his/her recommendation regarding any complaint to the city manager, and after the police officer about whom the complaint was made has been informed of the recommendation of the chief of police. The citizens' police review board shall receive the complete internal affairs file, unless otherwise determined to be confidential by law, and in this regard shall receive the cooperation of the police department in providing information to the board. The citizens' police review board shall make its recommendation for the city manager's consideration within thirty-five (35) working days of the date the police officer is notified by the chief of police of his/her responses from management and annual and interim planned work activities and advise city commission regarding adequacy of staffing and other resources to accomplish the overall scope and plans for internal audit review city's compliance with legal and regulatory requirements related to revenues, expenditures, assets, liabilities and any other financial matters; G) review city's major financial risk, exposures and steps taken to monitor and control such exposures. provide comments to the appropriate entities. make such contact by the city
Civil Service Board	3	YES	CITY CHARTER and CITY CODE	YES	NO	(A) Hear appeals as outlined in section 6.04(d). (B) Review and consider additional personnel rules or amendments to existing rules that may be recommended for adoption, and approve or disapprove, by motion, these rules. (C) Review and consider new class specifications or revisions and amendments to existing class specifications and advise the city manager, by motion, concerning these specifications.

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Code Enforcement	10	NO	STATE STATUTE	YES	Quasi	Code enforcement system that will provide an equitable, expeditious, efficient and effective method for enforcement of, and to encourage compliance with, the codes, ordinances, rules and regulations of the city, Broward County, State of Florida, and any other statutes, codes, ordinances, rules and regulations that are the subject to enforcement by the city. Pursuant to F.S. § 162.03, the city hereby adopts an alternative code enforcement system for the enforcement of its own codes, ordinances, rules and regulations. Any civil penalty prescribed, assessed, or collected pursuant to this article shall not limit any other civil or administrative remedies that the city may have by law. There shall be one (1) board and one (1) or more special magistrates. The board and special magistrates shall have jurisdiction to hear and decide cases in which violations of any provision of the Code are alleged. Any alleged violation of the Code may also be enforced by the city in any court of competent jurisdiction. The special magistrate is authorized to reduce fines and penalties established by a special magistrate or by the city code enforcement board
Community Appearance Board	25	NO	Ordinance	NO	NO	(A) To present promotional , educational and award programs and events which further efforts to improve the overall community appearance of the city of Fort Lauderdale. (B) To formulate guidelines for determining how buildings or areas qualify for recognition. (C) To encourage broad citizen participation and enhanced awareness of aesthetics as an important determinant of the quality of life standards in the community. (D) To acknowledge excellence in design, landscape and building property management through the presentation of community appearance awards as part of an annual awards event (hereinafter referred to as 1t community Appearance Awards "). :categories for recognition for the maintenance or construction of new or improved structures or areas will be established by the Community Appearance Board each year, which categories may include the following: 1. Multi-family 2. Single-family 3 Commercial and industrial 4. Public and institutional. Restoration and preservation 6. Hotel and resort 7. House and garden 8. Special projects 9. Waterways 10. Office
Community Services Board	15	YES	Ordinance	NO	NO	(A) To encourage citizen involvement and participation in community affairs at all levels and provide a vehicle for receiving and transmitting information between residents and the city commission; (B) review and recommend applications to the city commission for Community Block Grant allocations for public service activities and for housing opportunities for persons with HIV/AIDS (HOPWA) funds for housing related services based upon a budget provided to the board by the city commission; (C) and act as the advisory board for HOPWA grant activities and report findings and recommendations to city commission.

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Downtown Development Authority	7	YES	LAWS OF FLORIDA	YES	NO	(A)To revitalize and preserve property values and prevent deterioration in the downtown area by a system of self help. (B) To provide a vehicle whereby property owners who will benefit directly from the results of such program will bear the substantial cost thereof.
Economic Development Advisory Board	11	YES	Ordinance	YES	NO	(A) Provide the city with the benefit of knowledge, experience and business resources of the members in order to further the efforts of the department of sustainable development in business attraction, retention and development; (B) serve as business ambassadors by promoting the city to the business community throughout the country and the world; (C) advise the city commission on specific issues regarding local, national and international business recruitment, retention and expansion;(D) recommend funding allocations to organizations which will complement the city's promotional efforts based upon a budget provided to the board by the city commission and;(E) advise the city commission on types of cultural activities that simultaneously support the cultural community and promote economic development in the city.
Education Advisory Board	20	NO	Ordinance	NO	NO	Advise the city commission on issues relating to educational matters which will impact the quality of education for city residents, or which will impact education facilities located within the city.
Fire-Rescue Facilities Bond Issue Blue Ribbon Committee	10	NO	Resolution (Bond 04-145)	NO	NO	Provide recommendations to the city commission concerning the expenditure of bond funds - acquiring, constructing, developing, extending, enlarging, improving, renovating, equipping and furnishing the fire-rescue facilities as spelled out in Resolution 04-145, which authorized issuance of bonds.

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General Employees Retirement System Board of Trustees	7	YES	CITY CODE	YES	NO	<p>(1) To construe the provisions of the Plan and determine all questions arising thereunder.</p> <p>(2) To determine all questions relating to eligibility and participation.</p> <p>(3) To determine and certify amount of all Retirement pensions or other benefits hereunder.</p> <p>(4) Have annual actuarial valuations of the Plan performed.</p> <p>(5) To establish uniform rules and procedures to be followed for administrative purposes, benefit applications and all matters required to administer the Plan.</p> <p>(6) To distribute at regular intervals to employees, information concerning the Plan.</p> <p>(7) To receive, process and approve all applications for Membership and benefits; to notify the City finance department of approved benefit payments.</p> <p>(8) To perform such duties as are specified in section 20-114</p> <p>(9) To review reports of the trustee, custodian and investment advisor, if any.</p> <p>(10) To submit copies of all annual reports to the City commission. (11) To conduct meetings with the trustee and investment advisor not less than once every three (3) months.</p>

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Historic Preservation Board	11	NO	CITY CODE	NO	Quasi	<p>Implement the city's historic preservation regulations which promote the cultural, economic, educational and general welfare of the people of the city and of the public generally through the preservation and protection of historically or architecturally worthy structures. To take action necessary and appropriate to accomplish the purpose of this board. These actions may include, but are not limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Continuing the survey and inventory of historic buildings and areas and archeological sites and the plan for their preservation. 2.Recommending the designation of historic districts and individual landmarks and landmark sites. 3. Regulating any alterations, demolitions, relocations, adaptive use and new construction to designated property by issuing certificates of appropriateness. 4. Applying the "United States Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings" as guidelines for changes to designated property. 5.Working with and advising the federal, state and county governments and other boards and departments of the city. 6.Advising and assisting property owners and other persons and groups, including neighborhood organizations which are interested in historic preservation. 7.Initiating plans for the preservation and rehabilitation of individual historic buildings. 8 Undertaking education programs including the preparation of publications and the placing of historic markers. 9. Review National Register nominations and provide comments to the appropriate entities.
Housing Authority Board of Commissioners	5	YES	STATE STATUTE	NO	NO	<p>Established under FS Chapter 421</p> <p>To discover, assess and determine the need for sanitary, clean, dwelling accommodations for low-income groups; to make plans for low-income housing; to make rules and regulations pertaining to minimum standards for housing and enforce same.</p>

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Infrastructure Task Force Committee	9	YES	Resolution	YES	NO	(A)To review existing City infrastructure, including, but Not limited to: roads, sidewalks, airports, seawalls, water and wastewater distribution and collection systems, treatment plants, well fields, parks and all City facilities and structures and examine their current condition; and (B)To review and identify the repair or replacement as well as review and identify funding sources and financing alternatives for those infrastructure improvements; and (C) To receive input from members of the public interested in infrastructure improvements within the City; and (D) To provide a report with recommendations to the City Commission regarding improvement priorities as well as financing alternatives for said improvements.
Insurance Advisory Board	7	NO	Ordinance	NO	NO	Review all aspects of the city's insurance program and needs - make recommendations to the city commission thereon.
LauderTrail	7	YES	Resolution	YES	NO	The Working Group will work with the Transportation and Mobility Department to identify preferred paths, destinations, amenities, and potential sources of funding for designing and constructing LauderTrail.
Marine Advisory Board	15	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	The Marine Advisory Board may consider any subject matter it considers appropriate and in addition is specifically directed to consider and make recommendations on the following subjects:(1) Conditions of waterways and needed corrections, including a study of the most feasible and economical method of maintaining the depths of waterways within the city. (2) Waterway safety and traffic control on waterways. (3)Activities of harbor patrol. (4) Operation of privately owned marinas. (5) Operation of small boat docking areas. (6) Hurricane procedures (7) Instructional schools (8) Relations with the Coast Guard (9) Regulation of waterskiing and surfboarding (10)Operations of the excursion boats(11) Operations of the charter fishing fleet (12) Regulation of boat docking in New River and other public navigable waters (13) Regulation of water and boat shows and boat races (14) Service operation of city marinas, boat launching, docks, etc. (15) Traffic conditions under bridges (16) Sanitation problems and proposed laws governing effluents from boats (17) Advertising and publicity (18) Consideration of means and methods whereby the city might become symbolic as the "Yachting Capital of the World"

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Northwest Progresso-Flagler Heights Redevelopment Board	15	NO	FLORIDA STATUTE & LAWS OF FLORIDA	YES	NO	(A) To review the Plan for the NPFCRA and recommend any changes to the plan (B) To make recommendations regarding the exercise of the city commission's powers as a community redevelopment agency in order to implement the plan and carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of Chapter 61-2165, Laws of Florida and Section 163.330 through 163.450, Florida Statutes in the NPFCR (C) To receive input from members of the public interested in redevelopment of the NPFCRA and to report such information to the city commission.
Nuisance Abatement Board	7	NO	FLORIDA STATUTE & CITY CODE	NO	Quasi	(a) Pursuant to Section 893.138(3), Florida Statutes, the nuisance abatement board shall hear complaints regarding nuisances described in Section 893.138(2) of the Florida Statutes. Any employee, officer, or resident of the city may bring a complaint before the Board after giving not less than three (3) days' written notice of such complaint to the owner of the place or premises where the nuisance is occurring at his or her last known address. The complaint shall be made to the city's police department and the police department shall agenda the case for a hearing before the Board. The police department shall provide notice as required by Section 893.138(3), Florida Statutes. If notice is provided by mail, an additional five (5) days shall be afforded for notice to be received. (b) After a hearing, in which the Board may consider any evidence, including evidence of the general reputation of the place or premises, and at which the owner shall have an opportunity to present evidence in his or her defense, the Board may declare the place or premises to be a public nuisance in accordance with Section 893.138(2), Florida Statutes.
Parks, Recreation & Beaches Board	15	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	The Parks, Recreation and Beaches Board shall have powers similar to other advisory boards of the city, namely, the power of making recommendations to the city commission. Such board shall have authority to make recommendations to the city commission as to the following: (1) All public parks, dedicated parks, playgrounds, parkways, undeveloped park land, public beaches and recreational facilities located within the city or on land owned by the city (2) Public pools and public beaches (3) The acquisition, development and maintenance of parks, parkways and playgrounds in the city (4) Maintenance and conduct of playgrounds, recreation centers, including the War Memorial Auditorium, and other recreational activities in the city and equipment, buildings and facilities thereon. (5) The establishment of rules and regulations for the operation of city parks, playgrounds and public recreational facilities.
Performing Arts Center	2	NO	LAWS OF FLORIDA	YES	NO	The function and responsibility of the Performing Arts Center Authority shall be to perform the duties prescribed by Chapter 2005-335 (House Bill 1361).

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Planning & Zoning Board	9	NO	FLORIDA STATUTE or CODE?	YES	Quasi	(A) Act in an advisory capacity to the city commission, conduct investigations and hold public hearings upon all proposals to change zoning regulations or to vacate and abandon streets and alleys; (B) study any existing city plans with the view to improve same so as to provide for development, general improvement and probable future growth of the city, and from time to time make recommendations to the city commission for changes in the comprehensive plan; (C) review and recommend approval or disapproval all plats to be presented to the city commission; (D) perform such other duties as may from time to time be assigned by the city commission or prescribed by ordinance.
Police & Firefighters Retirement System-Board of Trustees	7	NO	CITY CODE	NO	NO	To construe the provisions of the System and finally decide all claims to relief pursuant to the provisions of this Plan and Chapters 175 and 185, Florida Statutes to the extent such provisions are applicable to this Plan; (2) To determine all questions relating to eligibility and participation; (3) To determine and certify amount of all Retirement allowances or other benefits hereunder; (4) Having annual actuarial valuations of the System performed; (5) To establish uniform rules and procedures to be followed for administrative purposes, benefit applications and all matters required to administer the Plan; (6) To distribute at regular intervals to Employees, information concerning the Plan; (7) To receive, process and approve all applications for participation and benefits; to notify the City finance department of approved benefit payments; (8) To perform such duties as are specified in section 20-133 (9) To review reports of the custodian and separate Investment Advisor, if any; (10) To submit copies of all annual reports to the City Commission; and (11) To conduct meetings with the Investment Advisor not less than once every three (3) months of each year.

