

RESOLUTION NO. 21-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, CREATING AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO BE KNOWN AS THE NOISE CONTROL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS AND LENGTH OF TERM; AND PROVIDING FOR THE PURPOSE AND DUTIES OF SUCH COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, the City Commission and citizens of the City of Fort Lauderdale have expressed concern about the imposition of noises on residences within the City of Fort Lauderdale; and

WHEREAS, at its meeting of August 17, 2021, the City Commission directed that a Noise Control Advisory Committee be formed to review the impact of noise on residences in the City of Fort Lauderdale and make recommendations to the City Commission on the implementation of strategies to minimize the imposition of the noise;

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

SECTION 1. That there is hereby established the Noise Control Advisory Committee of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

SECTION 2. Purpose and Duties.

That the purpose and duty of the Noise Control Advisory Committee shall be to evaluate the impact of noise generated in the City of Fort Lauderdale by source and recipient and make recommendations to the City Commission on the implementation of strategies that provide a balanced approach to the administration and enforcement of the City's Noise Control Program in a manner that allows businesses to thrive while assuring a reasonable noise comfort level for residents.

SECTION 3. Membership.

A. That the Noise Control Advisory Committee shall consist of ten (10) members appointed by resolution of the City Commission, who shall serve without compensation at the pleasure of the City Commission. The Noise Control Advisory Committee shall be comprised of the following:

1. Five (5) members shall be residents of areas in the City of Fort Lauderdale impacted by noise, each nominated by the Mayor and each City Commissioner;
 2. Five (5) members shall be owners of businesses located within the City of Fort Lauderdale, each nominated by the Mayor and each City Commissioner.
- B. Each member will serve a term of appointment that shall expire concurrently with the termination of the Noise Control Advisory Committee or eighteen (18) months from the date of appointment, whichever occurs first.

SECTION 4. That the Noise Control Advisory Committee shall meet at Fort Lauderdale City Hall at such times as determined by the Committee. The following shall apply to meetings held by the Noise Control Advisory Committee:

- A. At its first meeting, the Noise Control Advisory Committee shall select its own chairperson and vice-chairperson from its members.
- B. A majority of the appointed members shall constitute a quorum.

SECTION 5. That the Noise Control Advisory Committee shall commence on the date this Resolution is adopted and shall terminate in eighteen (18) months from the date of adoption of this resolution.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2021.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
JEFFREY A. MODARELLI