

- **DIVISION 12. - SISTER CITIES ADVISORY BOARD**

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- **Sec. 2.250. - Creation.**

There is hereby created the Sister Cities Advisory Board of the City of Clearwater.

(Ord. No. 7170-03, § 1, 10-2-03)

- **Sec. 2.251. - Composition.**

The sister cities advisory board shall consist of seven members; one member of the city council, a representative of the local business community, the School Board's World Language Coordinator or designee, a Clearwater Sister Cities Inc. representative, a Clearwater Arts Alliance, Inc. representative, a youth member who shall be nineteen years old or younger, and an at-large member. Representatives of the Clearwater Sister Cities Inc. and Clearwater Arts Alliance, Inc. shall be nominated by their respective organizations. [Section 2.063](#), Code of Ordinances notwithstanding, the representatives of Clearwater Sister Cities Inc., the local business community, the School Board's World Language Coordinator or designee, and the Clearwater Arts Alliance, Inc. representative shall not be required to reside within the City of Clearwater.

(Ord. No. 7170-03, § 1, 10-2-03; Ord. No. 7687-06, § 1, 11-2-06; Ord. No. 8250-11, § 1, 4-7-11; Ord. No. 9133-18, § 1, 5-17-18; Ord. No. 9248-19, § 1, 6-5-19)

- **Sec. 2.252. - Powers and duties.**

The sister cities advisory board shall make recommendations for the effective functioning of sister cities activities and advise the city commission of sister cities program issues that might impact the expansion or development of the program.

(Ord. No. 7170-03, § 1, 10-2-03)

- **Sec. 2.253. - Terms of office of members; officers; rules.**

(1)

The members of the sister cities advisory board shall be appointed by the city commission to serve for a term of four years, staggered such that not more than three terms shall expire in any calendar year. A member shall serve not more than two consecutive complete terms.

(2)

The board shall select a chair and such other officers as the board may find necessary, from its membership.

(3)

The board may adopt such rules of procedure as the board finds necessary, which shall not be in conflict with state law or ordinances of the city.

(4)

The board shall meet at such times as the board may find necessary but no less often than quarterly.

(Ord. No. 7170-03, § 1, 10-2-03)

- **Sec. 2.254. - Removal of members.**

The city commission shall have the power to remove any member of the board for misconduct or neglect of duty. In addition, the city manager shall have the power to remove any member because of the excessive absence of the member from the meetings of the board as defined in [section 2.066](#).

(Ord. No. 7170-03, § 1, 10-2-03)