

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-38R**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY  
OF NORTH SALT LAKE CREATING A HEALTH AND  
WELLNESS COMMITTEE AND CREATING GENERAL  
GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR THAT COMMITTEE AND  
ELIMINATING THE CITY'S UNITING NEIGHBORS  
COMMITTEE**

**WHEREAS**, the City of North Salt Lake recognizes that there are many public needs related to health, safety and general welfare and that there is a role for municipal government in meeting those needs; and,

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the City Council to establish a citizen committee for the purpose of addressing physical and mental health, emergency preparedness, personal wellness, food and housing access issues, addiction services and any other public health and welfare issues; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has successfully used citizen committees for a variety of specific purposes and believes now is the correct time to create the Health and Wellness Committee.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** by the City Council of North Salt Lake:


- 1) There is hereby created a City committee called the "Health and Wellness Committee" which shall perform the following duties:
  - a. Relevant review of research and programs related to physical and mental health, emergency preparedness, personal wellness, food and housing access issues, addiction services and any other public health and general welfare issues including, but not limited to, work performed by the University of Utah, the Governor's Office, the Utah Health Department and any other works of research that would assist the City in understanding relevant challenges facing residents of North Salt Lake.
  - b. Creation of feasible and relevant strategy recommendations to address barriers to physical and mental health services, emergency preparedness, personal wellness, food and housing access issues, addiction services and other public health and general welfare issues. Such recommendations shall be prepared and presented to the City Council for their consideration together with proposed funding plans, as needed. As an advisory committee, the Health and Wellness Committee cannot implement any policy recommendations, programs, initiatives or other activities without first obtaining approval of the City Council, together with approval of any proposed related expenditures.
  - c. Prepare and make a formal annual report to the City Council. Such a report should include an overview of the Committee's duties and activities and a list

of specific recommendations that the Committee, in its judgment, believes the City should undertake to correct identified problems and deficiencies.


- d. Carry out City-approved programs and initiatives that address the purposes of the Committee, including an informative public education and outreach program related to these matters.
  - e. The Committee shall meet as often as it deems necessary, but not less than quarterly, in order to carry out its responsibilities.
- 2) The Committee shall be made up of nine members as follows: five citizens at large, two of whom shall serve for three year terms and three of whom shall serve for four year terms. The Committee shall also have the active support and official participation of the following non-voting members: One member of the City Council selected by the Mayor; the City Manager, or his/her designee; the Chief of Police, or his/her designee; the Community Development Director, or his/her designee.
- 3) Each of the five Councilmembers of the City Council shall recommend one citizen committee member for appointment to the Committee. Such appointments will be made by a majority vote of the City Council.
- 4) The City's existing Uniting Neighbors Committee is hereby eliminated and replaced by the Health and Wellness Committee.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of North Salt Lake this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2021.

BY THE CITY COUNCIL:

  
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Leonard K. Arave, Mayor

Attest:

  
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Linda D. Horrocks, City Recorder



City Council Vote as Recorded:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Vote</u>
Lisa Baskin	<u>aye</u>
Natalie Gordon	<u>no</u>
Brian Horrocks	<u>aye</u>
Ryan Mumford	<u>absent</u>
Stan Porter	<u>aye</u>