

**ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE III, SECTION 1 OF THE CITY OF
GALLATIN, TENNESSEE CHARTER AS ESTABLISHED IN CHAPTER 67 OF
THE PRIVATE ACTS OF 1953 AND AS AMENDED THEREAFTER TO ESTABLISH
TERM LIMITS FOR THE OFFICES OF MAYOR, DISTRICT ALDERMAN, AND
ALDERMAN-AT-LARGE**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF GALLATIN, TENNESSEE, as follows:

1. Chapter 67 of the Private Acts of 1953, as subsequently amended, **Article III, Section 1** is amended by adding the following language following the sentence “When two (2) or more persons shall have an equal number of votes for any elective office, the election shall be determined by a majority of the votes of the Council-elect:”

“No person elected and qualified to the office of Mayor, District Alderman, or Alderman-at-Large shall be eligible for the succeeding term in the same office if such person has served more than one-half of a four (4) year term and a consecutive completion of two (2) four (4) year terms in that particular office. For purposes of this section, the office of District Alderman and Alderman-at-Large shall be considered separate elected offices.”
2. This Ordinance shall have no effect unless it shall receive final approval within the time required by law by a majority vote in a referendum held for the purpose of approval of this Ordinance. The approval or nonapproval of this Ordinance by referendum shall be certified by the Mayor of the City of Gallatin to the Tennessee Secretary of State after passage by the Tennessee General Assembly.

PASSED FIRST READING:

PASSED SECOND READING:

MAYOR PAIGE BROWN

ATTEST:

CONNIE KITTRELL
CITY RECORDER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

SUSAN HIGH-MCAULEY
CITY ATTORNEY