

Board/Commission Global Advisory Council of the Mayor and City Council

Regular Meeting Day and Time 1st Tuesday of each month, 7:30 a.m.

Approximate number of meetings per month 1

Approximate number of hours in service by members per month See attached

Detailed list of duties (please list specific duties): See attached

Please attach copy of ordinance or resolution which set up the board or commission.

Colorado Springs
Global Advisory Council
of the
Mayor and City Council

Duties of Global advisory Council (GAC) Members:

1. The GAC was established by the Mayor and City Council of Colorado Springs to facilitate the implementation of a Global Strategic Plan emphasizing economic development through trade and foreign direct investment, tourism, international relationships and other programs that increase community participation in global activities. In carrying out this mandate the Council provides recommendations to the Mayor and City Council on how best to increase citizen and organizational involvement in world affairs and to assist area businesses to enhance their competitiveness in the global marketplace. The GAC has further been authorized to accept private monies and expend monies for activities associated with the Global Strategic Plan. GAC members are charged with directing and monitoring these activities.
2. GAC members attend monthly meetings and additional planning meetings as required. Leadership of committees and activities are carried out on a voluntary basis.
3. Meetings with the Mayor and City Council are scheduled twice each year to present a progress report on GAC activities and to gain approval and support for ongoing and future activities.
4. The GAC has established an Office of International Affairs to conduct and maintain relationships throughout the global environment. Members are asked to support this office with appropriate leads and contacts to increase the effectiveness of this activity.

GENERALIZED GLOBAL ADVISORY COUNCIL TIME COMMITMENT

<u>FUNCTION</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>APPROXIMATE MONTHLY HOURS</u>
GAC Meeting	Monthly, 1 st Tuesday	7:30 A.M.	6

ORDINANCE NO. 99-109

AN ORDINANCE RECOGNIZING THE GLOBAL
ADVISORY COUNCIL AND ESTABLISHING THE
MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council believe that to facilitate the implementation of a global strategic plan emphasizing economic development through trade and foreign direct investment, tourism, international relationship and other programs that increase community participation in global activities, a Global Advisory Council is needed; and

WHEREAS, on May 12, 1998, the City Council approved Resolution No. 80-98 establishing the Global Advisory Council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Charter § 9-10, the City Council is authorized to create advisory boards and commissions, all of which “shall be created by ordinance, which shall prescribe the powers of duties delegated by Council”; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to cure any defect in the creation of the Global Advisory Council which may exist as a result of Resolution No. 80-98.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:**

Section 1. That there is hereby created a Global Advisory Council of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Colorado Springs.

Section 2. The purpose of the Global Advisory Council is to facilitate the implementation of a global strategic plan emphasizing economic development through trade and foreign direct investment, tourism, international relationships and other programs that increase community participation in global activities.

Section 3. The Global Advisory Council shall provide recommendations to the Mayor and City Council on how best to increase citizen and organizational involvement in world affairs and to assist area businesses to enhance their competitiveness in the global marketplace.

Section 4. The Global Advisory Council shall consist of thirteen regular members to be appointed by City Council as follows:

- Three (3) members representing business/industry;
- Four (4) members representing the community at large;
- One (1) member representing cultural interests;

One (1) member representing education;
One (1) member representing media/public relations;
One (1) member representing non-profit entities;
One (1) member representing sports organizations or interests;
One (1) member representing travel/tourism industry or interests.

In addition, a local government representative shall serve as a non-voting member of the Council.

Section 5. So as to achieve staggered terms, the initial members of the Council shall be appointed for the following terms: five (5) members for three (3) year terms, five (5) members for two (2) year terms, and three (3) members for one (1) year terms. All subsequent appointments shall be for three (3) year terms, except appointments to fill unexpired terms.

Section 6. The current members of the Global Advisory Council appointed pursuant to Resolution No. 80-98 are hereby authorized to continue serving in that capacity for the remainder of their appointed terms. All current members are eligible for reappointment at City Council's discretion.

Section 7. The Global Advisory Council shall comply with the provisions of City Charter § 9-10.

Section 8. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by the Charter.

Section 9. Council deems it appropriate that this ordinance be published by title and summary prepared by the City Clerk and that this ordinance shall be available for inspection and acquisition in the Office of the City Clerk.

Introduced, read, passed on first reading and ordered this 10th day of August,
1999.

Mayor

ATTEST

City Clerk