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To the Members of the Common Council Executive Committee

While I am the current Chair of the Transportation Commission (TC), I am sharing my individual opinion from my personal experiences as Chair of several City Boards, Committees and Commissions (BCCs).

Regarding the proposed amendment to MGO 33.01(7)(d), I do not feel it is necessary to require the Chair of a BCC to contact the Vice Chair prior to canceling a meeting. Practically speaking, I believe that a Chair of a BCC would only cancel a meeting for a legitimate reason; and that it may not be necessary to consult with the Vice Chair before canceling the meeting.

If their Chair is not viewed by BCC members as doing a satisfactory job, there are procedures in MGO 33.01(7)(b) that provide for removal of a Chair at the pleasure of the BCC (by an affirmative vote of 2/3 of the members) or by the Common Council for cause (by an affirmative vote of 3/4 of the members).

I recommend that you do not support this proposed amendment to MGO 33.01.

Thanks,

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