

**Section 3-8. Restrictions on Council and Council Members.**

{1. Unless otherwise provided in this Charter, neither[Neither] the council nor any of its members shall, in any manner, dictate the appointment or removal of any [officer or employee] department head appointed by the mayor [or by the mayor's subordinates].

2.} Neither the council nor its members shall give orders to any county employees or county officers other than those appointed pursuant to Section 3-7 or Article 5, either publicly or privately. Any willful violation of the provisions of this subsection by a member of the council shall be sufficient grounds for the councilmember's removal from office by impeachment.”;

“**Section 8-1.2. Managing Director.** The managing director shall be appointed by the mayor with the approval of the council and may be removed by the mayor[.] with the approval of the council,] or by resolution approved by a two-thirds vote of the entire membership of the council. The managing director shall have had a minimum of five years of experience in an administrative capacity, either in public or private business, or both.”;

“**Section 8-2.2. Corporation Counsel.** The corporation counsel shall be appointed by the mayor with the approval of the council and may be removed by the mayor with the approval of the council[.], or by resolution approved by a two-thirds vote of the entire membership of the council. The corporation counsel shall be an attorney licensed to practice and in good standing before the Supreme Court of the State and shall have engaged in the practice of law for at least [three]five years.”;

“**Section 8-3.2. Prosecuting Attorney.** The prosecuting attorney shall be appointed by the mayor with the approval of the council and may be removed by the mayor with the approval of the council[.], or by resolution approved by a two-thirds vote of the entire membership of the council. The prosecuting attorney shall be an attorney licensed to practice and in good standing before the Supreme Court of the State and shall have engaged in the practice of law for at least [three]five years.”;

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