



# *City of North Port*

## **Office of the City Attorney**

### **Response to Request for Legal Services**

To: Mel Thomas, Economic Development Manager (NDS)

From: Amber L. Slayton, City Attorney

Copy: Peter D. Lear, City Manager  
Jason Yarborough, Assistant City Manager  
Frank Miles, Neighborhood Development Services Director

Date: February 12, 2020

Re: Request for Legal Services – Ordinance No. 2020-13, Community Economic Development Advisory Board membership

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The above-referenced Request for Legal Services has been reviewed.

The attached ordinance is legally correct as to form. The ordinance includes revisions recommended by the advisory board. The ordinance also includes revisions directed by the Commission at its February 6, 2020 meeting to delete the ex officio position for a City Commissioner and to change the Sarasota County ex officio member to exclude elected officials.

Please let me know if there are any questions, comments, or concerns. The matter will be deemed concluded once the City Commission takes final action. The file will then be closed.