

Resolution No. 62-69

RESOLUTION To Establish a Senior
Citizen Commission

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WHEREAS, the Council recognizes further the value of programs to meet the needs and problems of its senior population, and proposes to establish an appointive body with the responsibility of concerning itself with the problems of the elderly and methods by which these problems can be met;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND,

That a City of Rockville Senior Citizen Commission be and it is hereby established, said Commission to consist of five members to be appointed by the Mayor with the confirmation of the Council. Said members shall serve for terms of two years. A Chairman of the Commission shall be appointed annually by the Mayor. Initial terms of two members of the Commission shall be for one year, and terms of three members shall be for two years, to provide for overlapping of terms; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,

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1. To conduct research into the problems of the senior population in Rockville, and to determine the extent of facilities and services now available to them;

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3. To investigate such local, state and federal programs that have been established to benefit and assist the elderly, and to find means of applying such programs and benefits to eligible persons in the City of Rockville;

4. To fully integrate the senior population into all city activities;

5. To make such other recommendations, as appear to be warranted by the investigations and studies conducted by the Commission, for services, facilities and actions which will generally be of benefit to its senior population;

6. To report to the Mayor and Council at least annually on the progress of the Commission's work.

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