

RESOLUTION NO. 32291

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF MATTHEW COOPER AS A SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER (UNARMED) FOR THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, TO PERFORM DUTIES EXPRESSLY LIMITED TO THE PERFORMANCE OF DUTIES IN HIS POSITION AS A BUILDING INSPECTOR II.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That MATTHEW COOPER, be and is hereby appointed as special police officer for the Department of Public Works, subject to certain conditions and restrictions:

1. That said special police officer shall have, possess, and exercise every power granted by the statutes of the State of Tennessee or the City of Chattanooga to regular police officers of the City of Chattanooga necessary in the performance of his duties, except he shall not be allowed to carry a firearm. Such powers and performance of duties by said special police officers are expressly limited to the performance of duties in his position as Building Inspector II.

2. That said special police officer shall not be considered a regular police officer and shall not be entitled to any benefits afforded regular police officers.

3. That such appointment shall expire upon termination of said special police officer's employment by the Department of Public Works. Notwithstanding any other provision herein, the City Council of the City of Chattanooga shall have the right to cancel such appointment at any time.

ADOPTED: October 29, 2024

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