

CHARTER COMMISSION - PUBLIC MEETINGS:

- * May 18 Folwell Park (Dowling Ave. No. between Humboldt & Logan)
- * May 25 Lynnhurst Park (West 50th St. at Minnehaha Pkway)

PUBLIC HEARING TOPICS

MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL

What is the best structure for governing the city of Minneapolis, specifically the roles of the City Council and the Mayor?

- * Should the powers of the mayor (or another executive authority) remain the same, be changed, expanded or reduced?
- * Should the powers of the city council (or another legislative authority) remain the same, be changed, expanded or reduced?
- * Should Minneapolis adopt some other form of municipal governance?
- * What is the most appropriate size for the City Council (or other form of legislative authority)?
- * How should these members be elected/selected?
- * What should be the management structure for city operations? Should greater or lesser authority be invested in the mayor, city council members, city manager, executive committee, or other possibilities?

INDEPENDENT BOARDS

Should the functions and powers of each of these elected boards be continued as is, expanded, reduced, or eliminated?

1. Library Board 2. Park& Recreation Board 3. Board of Estimate & Taxation

- * If a specific board is to be continued, what should be the process for electing/selecting members?
- * If a specific board is to continue, what powers and responsibilities should be assigned to that board?
- * If a specific board is to be eliminated, where should the authority and responsibilities of that board be assigned?
- * If a specific board is to continue, what should be its authority to tax?

OTHER CITY CHARTER & GOVERNANCE ISSUES

- * What powers should be by ordinance or by charter?

* Other