PROPOSED ARTICLE XIII, CIVIL SERVICE

Present Charter

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- (d) All Department Heads.
- (e) Professional engineers employed by the Municipality.
- (f) Members of boards and commissions established by Charter or by ordinance of Council.
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Reasoning

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To amend the charter to allow the examination procedure to be established in the Civil Service Rules and Regulations in order to meet a changing dynamic in the hiring process and the ability to have a more diverse process especially in the hiring of managerial positions.

other employment within the classified service of the Municipality, this section shall not exempt such person from the requirement of competitive examination to hold such other employment.

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