

## ARTICLE 2-1: COUNCIL

### § 2-1-3 DUTIES OF OFFICE

Councilmembers shall assume the duties of office once sworn in at the first regular business meeting in January following the general election or at a special meeting in January following the general election on a date selected by council. ~~at the regularly scheduled council meeting next following the date of the general election at which, or effective as of the date of which, the council members were elected.~~ There shall be ~~no more~~ interruption of a term of office even if councilmembers are elected outright in the preceding August primary election. ~~In such case, new members will not take office until the end of the normal term.~~

## ARTICLE 2-3: COUNCIL ELECTION

### § 2-3-1 PRIMARY ELECTION

Any candidate who ~~shall~~ receives at the majority of the votes cast at the primary election as defined under A.R.S. § 9-821.01, as amended, ~~primary election a majority of the votes cast~~ shall be declared elected to the office for which he or she is a candidate, effective upon completion of ~~as of the date of~~ the swearing in ceremony held on such date as scheduled pursuant to Apache Junction City Code, Vol. I, Chapter 2: Mayor, Council, and Appointed Boards and Commissions, Article 2-1: Council, § 2-1-3 Duties of Office. ~~in June of such election the following year, and no further election shall be held as to the candidate. provided that if more candidates receive a majority than there are officers to be filled then those equal in number to the offices to be filled receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected.~~