

PINE BLUFF CITY CODE  
CHAPTER 20 – PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT  
ARTICLE II. CITY PLANNING COMMISSION\*

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**\*Cross references:** Boards, commissions, etc., generally, § 2-181 et seq.

**State law references:** Planning commissions, A.C.A. § 14-56-401 et seq.

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**Sec. 20-26. Created.**

In order to direct the future physical development of the city and to encourage its social and economic improvements in accordance with modern city plan-principles and to insure the orderly, efficient and economic arrangement and development of future special works projects, there is hereby created a commission to be known as the city planning commission.

(Code 1967, § 26-1)

**State law references:** Authority to create planning commission, A.C.A. § 14-56-404.

**Sec. 20-27. Membership; terms.**

(a) The city planning commission shall consist of nine (9) members appointed by the mayor and approved by the city council. They shall reside within the city limits and be qualified by knowledge or experience to act upon matters pertaining to the physical, social and economic development of the city.

(b) All terms shall be for three (3) years and the terms shall expire on June first of such year. Appointments to fill vacancies shall be for the unexpired terms only. Five (5) members shall constitute a quorum.

(Code 1967, § 26-2)

**State law references:** Planning commission membership, A.C.A. §§ 14-56-404, 14-56-405.

**Sec. 20-28. Reports; employees; appropriations.**

The planning commission shall make periodic reports to the mayor and city council covering their investigations, transactions, and recommendations, and such other reports relative thereto, as it may deem proper or as requested by the mayor or city council. The commission may employ such employees as may be necessary and approved by the city council, and the city council may make such appropriations for this commission as may be necessary and proper.

(Code 1967, § 26-6)

**Sec. 20-29. Legislation.**

It shall also be the duty of the planning commission to prepare and recommend such national, state, and municipal legislation as may be necessary in carrying out the recommendations or suggestions of the commission.

(Code 1967, § 26-7)