

**Recommended Charter Language
for the Office of the Independent Budget Analyst**

SECTION 270: THE COUNCIL

(f) The Council shall have the right to establish an Office of the Independent Budget Analyst to be managed and controlled by the Independent Budget Analyst. The Council shall appoint this independent officer who shall serve at the pleasure of the Council and may be removed from Office by the Council at any time. The Office of the Independent Budget Analyst shall provide budgetary and policy analysis for the City Council. The Council shall determine the specific powers and duties of this Office and its manager by ordinance.