

ORDINANCE No. 2021-63

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LEON VALLEY CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 1 GENERAL, ARTICLE 1.06 BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES, SECTION 1.06.005 PARK COMMISSION, (b), TO DESIGNATE THE NUMBER OF COMMISSIONERS AND ALTERNATES, AND TO MANDATE THE ELECTION OF A CHAIR, A VICE-CHAIR, AND A SECRETARY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Leon Valley encourages volunteerism for all of its citizens; and

Whereas, the City Council has dissolved the Pool Advisory Committee and the Hike & Bike Trail Advisory Committee and wishes to provide other volunteer opportunities for these former members; and

WHEREAS, the City's Park Master Plan encompasses both pools and hike & bike trails as they are recreational opportunities, and the Park Commission is tasked with making recommendations for the Park Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to retain its dedicated volunteers and their expertise and general knowledge of these recreational opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that adding two Commission seats to the Park Commission would enable some of these volunteers to continue their service to the City in these specific areas; and

WHEREAS, the code does not state how many Commissioners would serve as either regular or Alternate members and also does not mandate an election of a Chair, Vice-Chair, and Secretary, which needs to be corrected;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED that the Leon Valley Code of Ordinances, Chapter 1 General, Article 1.06 Boards, Commissions, and Committees, is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1.06.005 Park Commission, (b), is amended to read "The City Park Commission shall consist of nine (9) regular members and two (2) alternates, who are appointed by the city council for a term of two (2) years, conterminous with the mayor. The commission shall, at their first regular meeting after appointment by the mayor, elect a chair, a vice-chair, and a secretary."

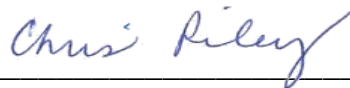
SECTION 2. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any other remaining phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. The repeal of any Ordinance or part of Ordinances effectuated by the enactment of this Ordinance shall not be construed as abandoning any action now pending under or by virtue of such Ordinance or as discontinuing, abating, modifying or altering any penalty accruing or to accrue, or as affecting any rights of the municipality under any section or provisions at the time of passage of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Leon Valley this the 7th day of December 2021.

APPROVED



CHRIS RILEY
MAYOR

Attest :



SAUNDRA PASSAILAIGUE, TRMC
City Secretary



Approved as to Form: City Attorney



ROXANA PEREZ STEVENS
City Attorney