

**COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF INDIAN HEAD**

**Ordinance No. 08-01-15**

**Introduced By: Mayor and Council**

**Date Introduced: August 3, 2015**

**Town Council Hearing: None**

**Amendments Adopted: None**

**Date Adopted: September 8, 2015**

**Date Effective: September 28, 2015**

**AN ORDINANCE concerning**

**TOWN PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION**

**FOR** the purpose of eliminating certain duties and responsibilities of the Town Parks and Recreation Commission; correcting certain terminology; and generally related to the Town's Parks and Recreation Commission.

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**BY** repealing and reenacting, with amendments  
Chapter 3 – Administration of Government  
Article V – Parks and Recreation Commission  
Sections 3-31.G, 3-32.A. and 3-33  
Code of the Town of Indian Head  
(1990 Edition as amended)

**EXPLANATION:**  
CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.  
((Double Parenthesis)) indicate matter deleted from existing law.  
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.  
~~Strike-Out~~ indicates matter stricken from bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

**SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF INDIAN HEAD,** That Sections 3-31.G, 3-32.A. and 3-33 of the Code of the Town of Indian Head (1990 Edition, as amended), Chapter 3 – Administration of Government, Article V, Parks and Recreation Commission, are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows::

**CHAPTER 3 – Administration of Government**

**Article V – Parks and Recreation Commission**

§ 3-31. Membership; terms; alternate and advisory members; removal; officers.

G. The Commission shall have a ((president)) CHAIR appointed by the Town Council. At the first meeting of the Commission, the Commission shall select a Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

§ 3-32. Meetings; minutes.

A. The Commission shall meet at least once each month at the call of the ((President)) CHAIR.

§ 3-33. Powers and duties.

A. Coordinate all recreation activities in and for the Town of Indian Head.

B. Assist in administering the various recreation programs.

((C. Plan, coordinate and direct all town special events, e.g., July 4, etc.))

((D. Act as a liaison on multicomunity activities, such as the Spring Festival.))

((E.))C. Sponsor surveys of parks and recreation facilities, programs and services and needs within the neighborhood and present the findings and conclusions to the Town Council and the Charles County Department of Parks and Recreation.

((F.))D. Interpret public recreation programs to the people of the Indian Head community.

((G.))E. Disseminate information concerning the value of adequate park and recreation programs, utilize facilities of newspapers, radio, speakers, bureaus for clubs and special meetings and conduct forums on park and recreational needs.

((H.))F. Rally public support for park and recreation pay-as-you-go issues, capital improvements, tax structures and financial needs of the town and the county.

((I.))G. Encourage and solicit private gifts for funds for parks and recreation facilities within the Town of Indian Head.

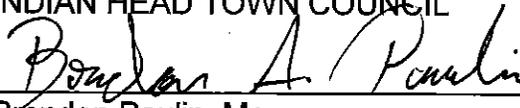
((J.))H. Work for the coordination of efforts of all agencies whose objectives afford recreation opportunities in providing coverage and more-efficient parks and recreation services for the town and the county.

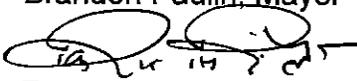
((K.))I. Solicit and coordinate volunteer committees for various special projects.

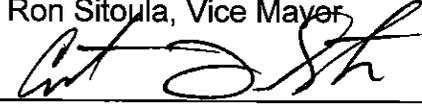
((L.))J. Provide a channel for assorting new ideas, crystalizing public sentiment and channeling recommendations to the proper authorities.

**SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, that this Ordinance shall become effective at the expiration of twenty (20) calendar days after its approval by the Council.

INDIAN HEAD TOWN COUNCIL

  
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Brandon Paulin, Mayor

  
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Ron Sitoula, Vice Mayor

  
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Curtis Smith, Councilman

ATTEST:

  
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Town Clerk

9/8/15  
Date