

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022-01  
AN ORDINANCE  
AMENDING ORDINANCE 2007-02 BY ENLARGING  
THE MEMBERSHIP OF PARK BOARD; ESTABLISHING OPERATING RULES;  
PROVIDING FOR SEVERANCE; REPEALING ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT;  
AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ingleside on the Bay has determined that certain changes are in order for the Park Board;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF INGLESIDE ON THE BAY:

Section 1. That Section 1.1, Ordinance 2007-02 be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

**“Section 1.1 Membership; terms, compensation; vacancies; removal.**

The City Park Board shall consist of seven (7) members appointed by the City Council. The members shall be appointed for two (2) years. The members may be reappointed for an additional term of two (2) years. Members may serve more than four (4) consecutive years if there are not enough applicants for the vacancies on the Board. The two (2) year terms shall terminate on October 1 of each year. Members of the Board shall serve without compensation. Vacancies on the Board caused by death, removal or resignation shall be filled by appointment in the same manner as the original appointment for the remainder of the unexpired term. The members of the Board shall be subject to removal by the City Council for cause deemed sufficient by the City Council in the interest of the public service. Attendance at meetings shall be considered in such event. Four (4) members shall be appointed in even years and three (3) members shall be appointed in odd years. When making the additional appointments provided above, the City Council shall designate members to be appointed in even years and in odd years.”

Section 1. That Section 1.2, Ordinance 2007-02 be, and the same is, hereby amended to change the date of the annual report and add additional operating rules to read as follows:

- (1) Hold such meetings as are necessary which shall be open to the public.
- (2) Receive suggestions and recommendations from citizens regarding parks.
- (3) Make recommendations as necessary for the establishment and usage of the parks, and for the manner in which park services may be provided.
- (4) Cooperate with all other public or private groups in advancing the use and services of the parks.
- (5) Promote facilities, services and programs of the park.

- (6) Provide City Council with an annual report and a budget request due at the first Council Meeting in June.
- (7) All requests for expenditures over \$500.00 must be approved by the City Council and all requests must detail the purpose and costs.
- (8) The Parks Board may sponsor and hold city wide events as they deem pertinent to the purpose of the Board as requested to the City Council.
- (9) All fundraising events monies shall be used for improvements and enhancements to the Park Facilities. All monies raised and expenditures shall be from City accounts."

Section 2. That Section 2.1, Ordinance 2007-02 be, and the same is, hereby amended to read as follows:

#### "2.1 Hours of operation

The hours of operation for park areas shall be dawn to dark (daylight hours) or as posted on signage with an allowance being made whereby an individual or group might obtain written permission from the City Council to use park areas at other specified hours. It is unlawful for any person to be in park areas after dark with the exception of Park Board members or city officials on city business, unless written permission is obtained as provided above."

#### 2.2 Excluded Uses

It is unlawful for any of the following items to be used in the park area.

- (1) Dirt Bikes
- (2) Motor Bikes
- (3) Motorcycles
- (4) Unauthorized Motor vehicles of any type
- (5) Fireworks
- (6) Pets off lead

#### 2.3 Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages

It is unlawful for alcoholic beverages to be consumed or in the possession of any person while in the park areas, unless issued a special use permit by the city.

#### 2.5 Possession of glass containers.

It is unlawful for any glass containers to be in the park area.

#### 2.6 Firearms.

No firearms are allowed within the park area, with the exception of licensees under Chapter 411, Texas Government Code and licensed Peace Officers. The discharge of weapons is prohibited.

2.7 Hunting.

No hunting, shooting or striking of wildlife is allowed.

2.8 Clean up of picnic areas.

All persons using the picnic areas must, after each use, clean said areas and dispose of garbage, trash and litter properly by placement in containers located within the park for that purpose or by taking said garbage, trash and litter with them when they leave the park.

Section 4. In the event any section, part or paragraph of this Ordinance is held to be invalid or unenforceable by any Court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining parts of this Ordinance shall be and remain in full force and effect, it being the intention of the City Council to pass each part of this Ordinance irrespective of any other section, part or paragraph.

Section 5. Any and all Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

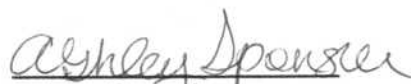
Section 6. This Ordinance shall be published by publishing the caption hereof one time in the official newspaper of the City of Ingleside on the Bay and shall become effective upon such publication.

Passed and approved on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2022.



Jo Ann Ehmann  
Mayor

ATTEST:



Ashley Sponsler  
City Secretary