DIVISION 12. - PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

Sec. 2-610. - The Key West Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

There is hereby established in the Key West Code of Ordinances the Key West Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

(Ord. No. 22-21, § 1, 8-2-2022)

Sec. 2-611. - Composition; term; compensation.

- (a) There is hereby created a Key West Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, consisting of seven members. The mayor and each city commissioner shall appoint one member of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, which appointment shall not be subject to approval by the city commission. The members shall have a business, employment or be involved in one or more sports or environmental organizations located in Key West and reside in the Lower Keys from Key West to Big Pine Key. There may also be non-voting ex-officio members of the Board appointed by the organized sports leagues in the City, the Monroe County School District and the United States Navy.
- (b) The term of each Parks and Recreation Board member shall run parallel to that of the appointing city commission member. The Parks and Recreation Board member's term shall end at the conclusion of the city commission member's term; a reelected commission member may reappoint a Parks and Recreation Board member.
- (c) The members of the Board shall serve without pay.

(Ord. No. 22-21, § 2, 8-2-2022)

Sec. 2-612. - Duties.

(a) The mission and duties of the Board are as follows:

The mission of the Board shall be to promote the rehabilitation, conservation, development and best use of parks and recreation land and facilities within the jurisdiction of the City of Key West.

- (b) The Advisory Board shall:
  - (1) Advise the City Commission on projects and uses for the park facilities which are consistent with the land development regulations, and any applicable conveyance documents.
  - (2) Explore funding sources to offset any potential taxpayer burdens.
  - (3) Study the feasibility of proposed projects and the viability of future projects.
  - (4)

Facilitate productive communication and elicit opinions from all interested individuals and entities.

(5) Ensure parks and recreational facilities are accessible and equitable by promoting communication and collaboration among all parties.

(Ord. No. 22-21, § 3, 8-2-2022)

Sec. 2-613. - Organization.

- (a) The Board shall be subject to City Code of Ordinances Section 2 "Uniform Procedures for Advisory Boards."
- (b) At least once per quarter, the Board shall transmit recommendations to the city commission via a written report.

(Ord. No. 22-21, § 4, 8-2-2022)

Secs. 2-614, 2-615. - Reserved.