

2.461 Medford Parks and Recreation Commission

(1) The Medford Parks and Recreation Commission shall consist of ten voting members and one nonvoting ex officio member, as follows:

(a) Voting members: Nine members-at-large, and one youth member. The youth member shall retain membership so long as the member is in regular attendance at a high school during the school year which falls within the one-year term.

(b) Nonvoting member: the Parks and Recreation Director.

(2) Voting members of the Commission, other than the youth member, shall be appointed by the Mayor and City Council for terms of three years, except that shorter terms may be used to stagger appointments so that the terms of three members expire each year. The youth member shall be appointed by the Mayor for a one-year term. Three-year terms for members other than the youth member shall begin February 1 and expire January 31. The one-year term for the youth member shall begin July 1 and expire June 30.

(3) The Parks and Recreation Commission shall adopt rules of procedure, as necessary, and shall by resolution establish either a regular meeting date or rules of procedure under which meetings may be called. Five voting members shall constitute a quorum.

[Amd. Ord. No. 7064, February 6, 1992; Amd Ord. No. 7369, April 15, 1993; Amd. Ord. No. 2000-128, July 6, 2000; Amd. Sec. 10, Ord. No. 2010-81, Apr. 15, 2010; Amd. Sec. 12, Ord. No. 2012-157, Oct. 4, 2012; Amd. Sec. 10, Ord. No. 2013-003, Jan. 3, 2013.]

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2.462 Function of Parks and Recreation Commission

The Parks and Recreation Commission shall:

- (1) Act as advisor to the council on matters pertaining to the acquisition and development of public parks, greenways and spaces, and recreation facilities for the enjoyment of the citizens;
- (2) Make recommendations and formulate and suggest policies to assist the council in developing and preserving the aesthetic and recreational facilities values which best serve the public interest;
- (3) Act as advisor to the city council and city staff on matters pertaining to public recreation programs;
- (4) Act as advisor to the city council and city staff on matters pertaining to promotion and encouragement of the arts and artistic performances for the enjoyment of the public; and
- (5) Perform such other related duties as may from time to time be assigned by the council.

[Amd. Sec. 3, Ord. No. 5967, Sept. 17, 1987; effective 1/1/88; Amd. Sec. 2, Ord. No. 7369, April 15, 1993; Amd. Sec. 6, Ord. No. 2013-133, Sept. 19, 2013.]

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