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**BILL NO. 2014-**

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

AN ORDINANCE TO UPDATE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER RELATED MATTERS.

Sponsored/Proposed by: Summary: Updates provisions regarding the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Title 2, Chapter 42, Section 20, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**2.42.020:** The Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission shall be appointed as follows:

(A) All members shall be appointed by the City Council. The Mayor shall have the right to nominate three persons to serve on the Commission. Each of the remaining members of the City Council shall have the right to nominate two persons to serve on the Commission.

(B) Members of the Commission shall serve for a period of three years.

(C) Vacancies in the Commission, occurring for reasons other than the expiration of a term, shall be filled by appointment by the City Council for the remainder of the term. The Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission may submit to the Council its recommendations for appointments and reappointments to the Advisory Commission.

SECTION 2: Title 2, Chapter 42, Section 30, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**2.42.030:** (A) The officers of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission shall be a Chairman, a Vice Chairman and a Secretary.

(B) Within fifteen days after the appointment of the Commission, the members shall meet in regular session and select from their members the Chairman and the Vice Chairman.

(C) The Secretary, who shall be the Director of [the Department of Parks and Leisure

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1 Activities of the City,] Parks and Recreation or a designee, shall have no vote on the Commission.

2 (D) The duties of the officers of the Commission shall respectively be as are usually  
3 carried by such officers.

4 (E) The officers shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are selected.

5 SECTION 3: Title 2, Chapter 42, Section 40, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las  
6 Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

7 **2.42.040:** The Commission shall adopt [rules and regulations] bylaws to govern procedures and shall,  
8 by vote, set a time for regular meetings and shall determine the manner in which special meetings may be  
9 called, held, and the notice given.

10 SECTION 4: Title 2, Chapter 42, Section 80, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las  
11 Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

12 **2.42.080:** The duties of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission shall be:

13 (A) To make recommendations, in cooperation with the Director of [the Department of  
14 Parks and Leisure Activities,] Parks and Recreation, to the City Council on matters pertaining to public  
15 parks and public recreation and to cooperate with other governmental agencies and civic groups to facilitate  
16 sound park and recreation planning;

17 (B) To aid in coordinating the parks and recreation services with other governmental  
18 agencies and other voluntary organizations;

19 (C) To [assist in the functions of the Department of Parks, and Leisure Activities]  
20 advise the Department of Parks and Recreation regarding departmental functions which involve or affect  
21 the public; and

22 (D) To make recommendations to the City Council on matters pertaining to [the  
23 Municipal Golf Course, including, but not limited to capital improvements and green fees or any other  
24 charges to the public for use of the facilities.] golf courses that may be owned and operated by the City.

25 SECTION 5: Title 2, Chapter 42, Sections 50 and 70, of the Municipal Code of the City  
26 of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition (pertaining respectively to meeting minutes and removal of members),

1 are hereby repealed in their entirety.

2 SECTION 6: If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or  
3 phrase in this ordinance or any part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid or  
4 ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity or  
5 effectiveness of the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof. The City Council of the City  
6 of Las Vegas hereby declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph,  
7 sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections,  
8 subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional, invalid or ineffective.

9 SECTION 7: All ordinances or parts of ordinances or sections, subsections, phrases,  
10 sentences, clauses or paragraphs contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983  
11 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

12 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

13 APPROVED:

14 By \_\_\_\_\_  
15 CAROLYN G. GOODMAN, Mayor

16 ATTEST:

17 \_\_\_\_\_  
18 BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC  
19 City Clerk

20 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

21 \_\_\_\_\_ Date  
22 Val Steed,  
23 Deputy City Attorney

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The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, and referred to a committee for recommendation, the committee being composed of the following members \_\_\_\_\_; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, which was a \_\_\_\_\_ meeting of said Council; that at said \_\_\_\_\_ meeting, the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council as first introduced and adopted by the following vote:

VOTING "AYE": \_\_\_\_\_  
VOTING "NAY": \_\_\_\_\_  
ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED:

By \_\_\_\_\_  
CAROLYN G. GOODMAN, Mayor

ATTEST:  
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BEVERLY K. BRIDGES, MMC  
City Clerk