

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-18

ORDINANCE CONCERNING PINSON PARKS AND RECREATION

WHEREAS, the City of Pinson is authorized by state law to provide recreational and athletic programs and facilities for its residents; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to define the responsibilities of the Director of Parks and Recreation in connection with the same.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PINSON, ALABAMA, while in regular session on April 20, 2017, at 7:00 p.m., as follows:

Section 1. Director of Parks and Recreation; Operation and Management of Parks, Recreation, and Athletic Facilities.

(a) Where the City has employed a Director of Parks and Recreation, that director shall, acting under the supervision of the Mayor, (i) manage and operate the City's parks, recreation, and athletic facilities; (ii) establish rules and regulations concerning the operation of such facilities; (iii) organize and manage athletic and recreational programs for the public; (iv) establish rules concerning the operation of such programs; (v) establish reasonable fees with respect to such programs and the use of such facilities; and (vi) enter into normal and routine contracts in connection with the above (that are not subject to competitive bidding) where the contracts are for a term of less than one (1) year and the expense for the same falls within any budget approved by the City Council.

(b) In managing and operating the City's recreation and athletic facilities and programs, the Director of Parks and Recreation may assemble and utilize the advice of an informal advisory group of residents of the City, in such number and composition as the director may elect. Such advisory group shall not be an official arm or instrument of the City.

(c) In managing and operating the City's recreation and athletic facilities and programs, the Director of Parks and Recreation may assemble and utilize volunteers in such number and composition as the director may elect. Such volunteers shall not be employees or agents of the City, and are not authorized to act on behalf of the City.

Section 2. Any ordinance or resolution heretofore adopted by the City Council of the City of Pinson, Alabama, which is in conflict with this Ordinance is hereby repealed to the extent

of such conflict. To that end, any prior rules or regulations governing or relating to athletic programs and the use of parks that have been heretofore established by the City Council may be altered or amended by the Director of Parks and Recreation in conjunction with this Ordinance.

Section 3. If any part, section or subdivision of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such holding shall not be construed to invalidate or impair the remainder of this Ordinance, which shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding such holding.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its publication.

ADOPTED this the 20th day of Apr, 2017


HOYT SANDERS, MAYOR

ATTEST:


MARIE TURNER, CITY CLERK/TREASURER

CERTIFICATION OF CITY CLERK/TREASURER

STATE OF ALABAMA)
JEFFERSON COUNTY)

I, Marie Turner, City Clerk/Treasurer of the City of Pinson, Alabama, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Pinson, Alabama, on the 20th day of Apr, 2017.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 20th day of April, 2017.


Marie Turner, City Clerk/Treasurer