

## Chapter 140

### BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS

#### ARTICLE I

#### Park Board

**Section 140.010. Appointment of Directors.** [Ord. No. 330 §1, 7-12-2010]

The Mayor shall, with the approval of the Board of Aldermen, appoint a Park Board of six (6) directors (the Mayor and five (5) others) for the management of all City parks, to be chosen from the citizens of the City at large with reference to their fitness for such office.

**Section 140.020. Terms of Directors.** [Ord. No. 330 §2, 7-12-2010]

The Park Board directors shall hold office, one third (1/3) for one (1) year, one-third (1/3) for two (2) years and one-third (1/3) for three (3) years, from the first (1st) of June following their appointment in the year 2010 and at their first (1st) regular meeting shall cast lots for their respective terms; annually thereafter, the Mayor shall, before the first (1st) of June of each year, appoint three (3) directors who shall hold office for three (3) years and until their successors are appointed.

**Section 140.030. Filling Vacancies.** [Ord. No. 330 §3, 7-12-2010]

If any vacancy occurs on the Park Board by the removal, resignation or otherwise of any director thereof, such vacancy shall be reported to the Board of Aldermen and shall be filled in like manner as original appointments for the unexpired term of such director.

**Section 140.040. Compensation of Directors.** [Ord. No. 330 §4, 7-12-2010]

No Park Board director shall receive any compensation as such.

**Section 140.050. Election of Officers.** [Ord. No. 330 §5, 7-12-2010]

The Park Board directors shall meet and elect one (1) of its number as president and any other officers they may deem necessary.

**Section 140.060. Powers, Duties Enumerated.** [Ord. No. 330 §6, 7-12-2010]

- A. The Park Board shall have control, with City board approval, of the supervision, improvement, care and custody of all City parks.
- B. The Park Board shall make and adopt such bylaws, rules and regulations for its guidance and for the government of all City parks, as may be expedient and not

inconsistent with State law and the Board shall have the right to amend or adopt new bylaws with the majority vote of the Board at any time. All shall be subject to Board approval.

**Section 140.070. Removal of Directors.** [Ord. No. 330 §7, 7-12-2010]

The Mayor may, with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, remove any Park Board director for misconduct or neglect of duty.

**Section 140.080. Annual Report.** [Ord. No. 330 §8, 7-12-2010]

The Park Board of directors shall make, on or before the second (2nd) Monday in June, an annual report to the Board of Aldermen stating the condition of their trust on the first (1st) day of May of that year, the various sums of money received from the Park Fund and other sources and how much monies have been expended and for what purposes, with such other statistics, information and suggestions as they may deem of general interest. All such portions of such report as related to the receipt and expenditure of money shall be verified by affidavit.

**Section 140.090. City Park Donation Proceeds.** [Ord. No. 340 §1, 9-14-2010]

The Treasurer shall have the authority to open a separate checking account with Community Bank and Trust for the City park donation proceeds. This account shall fall under the Treasurer's duties.