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ORDINANCE NO. 82- ~~8~~ 12

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TIPPECANOE COUNTY COUNCIL THAT THE
TIPPECANOE COUNTY CODE BE AMENDED BY ADDING THE FOLLOWING CHAPTER
THERE TO:

Tippecanoe County Parks and Recreation Board

6-105-1. Purpose. This ordinance re-establishes the Tippecanoe County Park and Recreation Board as authorized by I.C. 36-10-3.

6-1052. Representation.

A. The Tippecanoe County Park and Recreation Board shall be re-established in accordance with I.C. 36-10-3, and the Board shall be composed of:

1. Two (2) members appointed by the judge of the circuit court.
2. One (1) member appointed by the county commissioners.
3. Two (2) members appointed by the county council.

Members appointed under subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) shall be appointed on the basis of their interest in and knowledge of parks and recreation but no more than one (1) member appointed under subdivisions (1) and (3) shall be affiliated with the same political party.

4. The County Extension Committee shall select one of its members, the County Extension Coordinator or the County Extension Agent, to serve as an ex officio Board member.
5. The Mayor of Lafayette, Indiana, shall appoint one person as an ex officio Board member. The member appointed by the Mayor must be affiliated with a different party than the member appointed by the county commissioners.

Ex officio Board members shall have all the rights of regular members, including the right to vote.

6-105-3. Terms of Members.

8. Upon establishment of the Board, the terms of its members shall be as follows:

1. The appointments by the circuit court judge shall be one (1) and three (3) year terms, respectively.

2. The appointment by the county commissioners shall be for a two (2) year term.
3. The appointments by the council shall be for two (2) and four (4) year terms respectively.
4. The appointment by the mayor shall be coterminous with the Mayor's term of office.

As a term expires, each new appointment shall be for a four (4) year term. All terms shall expire on the first Monday in January, but a member shall continue in office until his or her successor is appointed. The appointing authorities shall make initial appointments within ninety (90) days after the creation of the department. If an appointment for any new term is not made by the first Monday in April, the incumbent shall serve another term. If a vacancy on the board occurs, the appointing authority shall appoint a person to serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.

6-105-4. Officers.

At its first regular meeting in each year, the Board shall elect a president and a vice-president. The vice-president shall have authority to act as the president of the Board during the absence or disability of the president. The Board may select a secretary either from within or without its own membership.

6-105-5 Powers.

The Board shall have the power to perform all acts necessary to acquire any develop sites and facilities and to conduct such programs as are generally understood to be park and recreation functions. In addition, the Board shall have all the powers and duties listed in and shall be subject to all provisions of I.C. 36-10-3.

6-105-6 Budget.

The Board shall prepare and submit an annual budget in the same manner as other departments of government as prescribed by the State Board of Accounts. The Board may accept gifts, donations and subsidies for park and recreation purposes.

6-105-7 Repealer.

All other ordinances, resolution or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions and intent of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

6-105-8. Severability Clause.

A. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any Section, provision, or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

6-105-9. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval, according to the laws of the State of Indiana.

Passed by the County Council of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, this 14th day of December, 1982.

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