

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-9

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WAYNE MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE III ADMINISTRATION, CHAPTER 34 CITY ORGANIZATIONS, SECTION 34.04 RECREATION-LEISURE SERVICES COMMISSION AND SECTION 34.05 ADVISORY AUDIT COMMITTEE; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND SECTIONS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:

Section 1. That Section 34.04 of the Municipal Code of Wayne, Nebraska, be amended as follows:

§ 34.04 ~~RECREATION-LEISURE SERVICES COMMISSION.~~  
**PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD – ESTABLISHED.**

**There is hereby established a Parks and Recreation Board, referred to in this article as “Parks and Rec Board,” who shall be an advisory board to the City Council.**

(A) A **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Recreation-Leisure Services Commission~~ is created to advise the Council **on matters related to all parks belonging to the city and all recreational activities financially supported by the city** ~~in regard to recreation, leisure services and park facilities and programs.~~

(B) The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall consist of eight members. ~~of which five will be required to be citizens of the city.~~ **The Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission members~~ shall be appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the Council and shall serve without compensation. The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission members shall serve staggered terms.~~ ~~Thereafter, all members~~ shall be appointed for three-year terms. The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall elect a Chair and a Vice-Chair. The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall meet at such times as determined by the **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ and shall annually elect its Chair and Vice-Chair during **its first meeting of the calendar year** ~~the May meeting.~~ The City Administrator or designee of the City Administrator shall serve as an ex-officio member and Secretary of the **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission.~~

(C) The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall have the duty and responsibility of working with the City Administrator and shall advise the City Administrator as to plans for **parks and** recreation, ~~leisure services and park~~ programs and facilities. ~~The Commission shall interpret the role of recreation, parks and leisure services to the general public and feed back the reactions and wishes of the public to the City Administrator. The Commission shall review updates and revisions of these plans as required.~~ The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall also review and make recommendations to the Council on rates, fees and charges applicable to ~~recreation, leisure services,~~ **parks and recreational** facilities and programs.

(D) The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall provide written reports to the Council of its activities as it deems advisable or upon the request of the City Administrator or the Council.

(E) The **Parks and Rec Board** ~~Commission~~ shall have the authority of recommending to the Council rules and regulations for the use and conduct of **parks and recreational** ~~recreation~~

~~and leisure~~ services. Any rules and regulations so adopted shall be posted on the affected facility, or otherwise publicized in a manner to provide adequate notice to the using public.

Section 2. That Section 34.05 of the Municipal Code of Wayne, Nebraska, be amended as follows:

**§ 34.05 ADVISORY FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE.**

(A) *Created.* There is created, established and constituted an Advisory **Finance and** Audit Committee which shall consist of three Council members, who shall be appointed by the Mayor with the consent and approval of the Council. Each member of the Committee shall serve a term of one year, unless reappointed.

Section 3. Any other ordinance or section passed and approved prior to the passage, approval, and publication of this ordinance and in conflict with its provisions is repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect with the July meetings, and be in full force from and after its passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2025.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk