

**TOWNSHIP OF WATERFORD**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022-1**

**ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WATERFORD REPEALING CHAPTER 60 OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE CAPTIONED “RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE” AND REPLACING IT WITH A NEW CHAPTER 60 CAPTIONED “RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE”**

**WHEREAS**, on a periodic basis the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Waterford review various provisions of the Township Code and in doing so have determined that Chapter 60 of the Township Code captioned “Recreation Advisory Committee” should be repealed in its entirety and replaced with a new Chapter 60 captioned “Recreation Advisory Committee”.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Waterford, County of Camden, State of New Jersey, as follows:

**Section 1.** Chapter 60 of the Township Code captioned “Recreation Advisory Committee” is hereby repealed in its entirety.

**Section 2.** A new Chapter 60 of the Township Code captioned “Recreation Advisory Committee” is hereby adopted as follows:

**60-1 Establishment; number of members; residency.**

There is hereby established a recreation advisory committee composed of seven members and two alternate members, who shall be residents of the Township of Waterford.

**60-2 Compensation; appointment; Township's Committee's role, vacancies.**

**A.** All members of the Recreation Advisory Committee shall serve without compensation and shall be appointed by the Waterford Township Committee as follows:

(1) Three members shall be appointed for an initial term of three years, three members shall be appointed for an initial term of two years and one member shall be appointed for an initial term of one year. At the expiration of each of the initial terms, each member shall be appointed for a term of three years.

(2) There shall be two alternate members, one of whom shall be appointed for a term of two years and one of whom shall be appointed for a term of one year.

**B. Waterford Township Committee**

(1) The Waterford Township Committee shall set all recreational activity policy.

(2) The Township Committee shall appoint one Recreation Advisory Committee member to act as the Recreation Advisory Committee Chairperson on an annual basis.

**C.** The Township's Recreation Committee Liaison shall serve as an ex-officio member who may attend and participate at all meetings, but shall not be a voting member.

**D.** Any vacancy occurring other than the expiration of a term shall be filled for the unexpired term only.

**60-3 Meetings.**

The Recreation Advisory Committee shall meet at least once month. Minutes of each meeting shall be recorded by a secretary to be selected by a majority vote of the members of the committee. All minutes shall be approved by the committee at a subsequent meeting, and copies of all approved minutes shall be forwarded to the Township Clerk.

**60-4 Powers and responsibilities.**

The powers and responsibilities of the Recreation Advisory Committee shall be as follows:

**A.** Advise the Township Committee Liaison regarding recreational programs within the Township and capital improvements.


- B. Advise the Township Committee regarding the recreational needs of the Township.
- C. Advise the Township Committee regarding ordinances affecting recreation within the Township.
- D. Advise the Planning Board regarding recreation and open space within the Township.
- E. Review subdivision applications and advise the Planning Board concerning proposed recreational facilities within new developments.
- F. Make recommendations to the Township Committee with regard to the budget as it pertains to recreational activities, equipment, fields and courts.
- G. Maintain a current inventory of equipment, fields and courts to include measurements
- H. Maintain a current overhead image of equipment, fields and courts.
- I. Immediately advise the Township Committee Liaison of any safety issues.
- J. Immediately advise the Township Committee Liaison of any suspected vandalism to equipment, fields or courts.

**Section 3.** All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances that are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

**Section 4.** If the provisions of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this Ordinance shall be judged invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision or clause of this Ordinance.

**Section 5.** This Ordinance shall only take effect after final adoption and publication as required by law.

  
Dawn Liedtka, RMC / CMR Clerk

  
Andrew Wade, Mayor

Intro: January 2, 2022  
 Public Hearing: January 26, 2022  
 Adopted: Jan. 26, 2022

UPON INTRODUCTION ON JANUARY 2, 2022					
	GIANGIULIO	ROMOLINI	WILSON	YEATMAN	WADE
YES	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ABSTAIN					
NO					
ABSENT					
UPON ADOPTION ON JANUARY 26, 2022					
	GIANGIULIO	ROMOLINI	WILSON	YEATMAN	WADE
YES	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ABSTAIN					
NO					
ABSENT					

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Dawn Liedtka, Clerk of the Township of Waterford, Camden County, New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be true and exact copy of the Ordinance which was finally adopted by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Waterford at a Meeting held on the 26<sup>TH</sup> day of January, 2022.

  
 Dawn Liedtka, RMC / CMR Clerk