

§ 8-4. Parks and Recreation Board.

- A. How constituted. The Parks and Recreation Board shall consist of not fewer than nine nor more than eleven residents of the City, two of whom shall be Alderpersons and the remainder of whom shall be citizen members. All appointments to the Board shall be made by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Common Council. The term of office of the Alderperson members shall be one year. The term of office of the citizen members shall be three years. All terms of office will commence on the third Tuesday in April. In addition, the Mayor may annually appoint up to two students who are 16 years of age or older and enrolled at Port Washington High School at the beginning of their terms to serve as non-voting advisors to the Board, subject to confirmation by the Council. The term of appointment of student advisors shall be for one year, commencing in July. The Recreation Director and Parks and Forestry Superintendent shall serve as staff liaisons to the Parks and Recreation Board. **[Amended 1-3-2017 by Ord. No. 2016-12; 8-1-2023 by Ord. No. 2023-15]**
- B. Organization. The members of the Board shall select a Chairperson and Secretary from its members at its first organizational meeting of the year.
- C. Powers and duties. **[Amended 7-18-2023 by Ord. No. 2023-14]**
- (1) The Board shall be responsible for the supervision, management, maintenance, planning and development of parks, green areas, recreational facilities, playgrounds, and other similar facilities and recreational programming and such other responsibilities as may be delegated to it by the Common Council.
 - (2) The Board shall adopt reasonable rules and regulations for facilities under its supervision. It shall adopt rules and regulations and policies for the operation of the Department of Parks and Recreation.¹

1. Editor's Note: See § 20-6, Department of Parks and Recreation.