

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING ONE MEMBER OF THE PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK:**

1. That **Eric Ripley**, be and he is hereby appointed as a member of the Parks & Recreation Commission of the City of Deer Park, to serve for a term ending May 31, 2018.

2. That the right to terminate the aforesaid appointment is hereby reserved by the City Council of the City of Deer Park, Texas, and may be exercised by it at its will, with or without good cause.

3. It is officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Government Code of the State of Texas.

4. The City Council finds that this Ordinance relates to the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare, in that it is necessary that members of the Recreation Commission be appointed immediately so that the recreation program of the City can continue without interruption, in order that the health, safety and welfare of its citizens may be safeguarded and preserved, thereby creating an emergency, for which the Charter requirements providing for the reading of Ordinances on three (3) several days should be dispensed with, and this Ordinance should be passed finally on its introduction; and, accordingly, such requirement is dispensed with, and this Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1 of the City Charter, this Ordinance was introduced before the City Council of the City of Deer Park, Texas, **passed, approved and adopted** on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017 **by a vote of** \_\_\_\_\_ **“Ayes” and** \_\_\_\_\_ **“Noes”**.

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**MAYOR**, City of Deer Park, Texas

**ATTEST:**

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Acting City Secretary

**APPROVED:**

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City Attorney