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**CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER, MARYLAND
RESOLUTION NO. 07-2017**

Introduced by: Jesse Christopherson

Restoring the Recreation Committee

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council has the authority to create committees and appoint citizens to those committees; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council recognizes the need to initiate and fund youth and recreation programs to improve the quality of life for all Mount Rainier residents; and

WHEREAS, authorization for the Youth and Recreation Committee has lapsed and Resolution 4-2006 creating the Committee cannot be found,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, this 7th day of March 2017 that the Mount Rainier Recreation Committee is hereby reinstated for the purposes of 1) administering grants and 2) creating and administering projects, programs, events, and activities to benefit the youth of Mount Rainier and to provide recreational opportunities for all residents.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Committee will be the point of contact for any outside party seeking funding for youth or recreation activities, projects, events, or programs, and will administer grants to them in accordance with criteria approved by the Mayor and Council. The Committee may partner with outside organizations (e.g. Mount Rainier Sports Club, Youth Escape Arena, or Joe's Movement Emporium) to share expertise and capacity for creating, administering, and promoting recreation activities that directly benefit Mount Rainier residents.

- Each fiscal year the city manager's proposed budget shall include: 1) funding for the Committee's operation (i.e. creating and

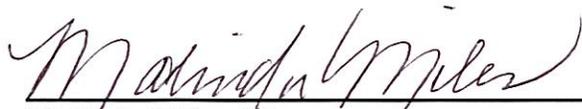
administering projects, programs, events, and activities), and 2) funds to be disbursed as grants to outside organizations.

- The Committee shall be composed of five members who are appointed by the Mayor and Council and serve at their pleasure. The term of Committee membership is one year.
- Should the Committee fall below full membership the city manager shall immediately recruit applicants to fill the vacancy and recommend appointees to the Mayor and Council.
- Should Committee membership fall below a quorum the city manager or designated representative shall administer Youth and Recreation grants according to the criteria approved by the Mayor and Council until a quorum is established.
- Committee members appointed before the adoption of this resolution are hereby reappointed under these revised terms.
- The provisions of this resolution shall supersede any rules, procedures, or resolutions previously approved by the Mayor and Council of Mount Rainier.

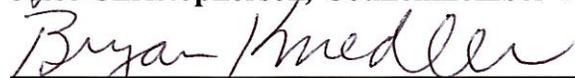
THIS RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER THIS 7th DAY OF MARCH, 2017.

Attest:


Miranda Braatz, City Manager


Malinda Miles, Mayor


Jesse Christopherson, Councilmember Ward 1


Bryan Knedler, Councilmember Ward 2


Shivali Shah, Councilmember Ward 2