

CHAPTER 17

RECREATION*

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ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

Sections 17-1 --- 17-15. Reserved.

ARTICLE II. PUBLIC RECREATION

DIVISION 1. GENERALLY

Section 17-16 ---Establishment

There is hereby created a Department of Public Recreation, which department shall be administered by an Executive Director. Pursuant to Mississippi Laws of 1958, Chapter 521, this department is hereby assigned to the supervision of the Mayor.

Source: Ordinance No. 558-197-, 8-31-1970; Ordinance No. 1619-2014, 11-4-2014

Section 17-16 – Purpose

The Department of Public Recreation shall provide a program of public recreation and shall supervise, operate and maintain all public recreational facilities in the City of Laurel.

Source: Ordinance No. 558-1970, 8-31-1970; Ordinance No. 1619-2014, 11-4-2014

17-18. Reserved.

Section 17-19. Funds.

All funds of the Department of Public Recreation are City funds and shall be placed in the municipal depository, subject to disbursement only in the same manner and under the same conditions as all other municipal funds.

Source: Code 1969, § 36A-15; Ordinance No. 588-1970, 8-31-1970; Ordinance No. 1619-2014, 11-4-2014

***Cross References** --- Amusements, Ch. 4; animals and fowl, Ch. 5; fire prevention and protection, Ch. 9; motor vehicles and traffic, Ch. 13; solid waste, Ch. 22; streets and sidewalks, Ch. 23; zoning, App. A; responsibilities of street commissioner, § 2-23; responsibilities of mayor, § 2-36.

State Law References --- Parks and municipal purpose, Miss. Code 1972, §21-17-1; power of City to exercise full jurisdiction as to parks, §§21-19-31, 21-37-3; parks and recreation generally, Miss. Code 1972, Title 55.

Sections 17-20 --- 17-25. Reserved.

DIVISION 2. ADVISORY COMMITTEE GENERALLY*

Section 17-26. Recreation Advisory Committee. {abolished 11-4-2014}

Source: Ordinance No. 1619-2014, 11-4-2014

Section 17-27- 28 Reserved.

Section 17-28. Additional Duties.

Source: Ordinance No. 1619-2014, 11-4-2014

***Editor's Note: Ordinance No. 1619-2014, which specifically abolishes the Recreation Advisory Committee, cites the growth of the City's Recreation Department staff and the availability of professional training with regard to programs and facilities operation and maintenance as the reason for abolishing the committee**

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