BILL NO. 2 – 2015

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BETHLEHEM,

COUNTIES OF LEHIGH AND NORTHAMPTON,

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING

AND RENAMING ARTICLE 133, RECREATION COMMISSION

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BETHLEHEM HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That Section 133.01, Appointment and Term, that reads as follows:

The Recreation ~~Commission~~ shall consist of ~~eight~~ persons, ~~citizens of the City~~, ~~one of whom shall be a member of the School Board and one of whom shall be a member of Council.~~ The members of the ~~Recreation Commission~~ shall be appointed by ~~Council on recommendation of the President of Council~~ and shall serve for ~~periods of~~ five years~~,~~ ~~or until their successors are appointed, except that members of the first Commission so appointed shall be appointed for terms that the term of one member shall expire annually thereafter.~~

~~Appointments of members to vacancies in the Recreation Commission occurring otherwise than by expiration of term, shall be for the unexpired term and shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments. Members of the Recreation Commission shall serve without pay.~~ (Ord. 2568 §1. Passed 7/5/77; Ord. 3250 § 1. Passed 2/21/89.)

shall be amended to read as follows:

133.01 APPOINTMENT AND TERM.

The Recreation Board shall consist of **seven** persons. **The members of the board shall be appointed by the Mayor with the approval of Council and shall serve for terms no longer than five years and the terms of the members shall be staggered in such a manner that at least one expires annually. Members of the Recreation Board shall serve without pay. Vacancies in the Board, occurring otherwise than by expiration of term, shall be for the unexpired term and shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments.**

SECTION 2. That Section 133.03, Organization, that reads as follows:

Members of the Recreation ~~Commission~~ shall elect their own Chair~~man~~ and Secretary, and select all other necessary officers to serve for a period of one (1) year. (Ord. 2719. Passed 10/21/80.)

Shall be amended to read as follows:

The members of the Recreation **Board** shall elect their own **Chair** and Secretary, and select all other necessary officers, to serve for a period of one (1) year. **The Board** shall have the power to adopt rules and regulations for the conduct of all business within its jurisdiction. **Meetings of the Board shall be subject to the provisions of 65 Pa. C.S. Ch.7 (relating to open meetings).**

(Ord. 2719. Passed 10/21/80.)

SECTION 3. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

 Sponsored by\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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 PASSED finally in Council on the day of , 2015 .

 President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk

 This Ordinance approved this day of , 2015 .

 Mayor