

CITY OF JEANNETTE
WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-__4__

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE, WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE RECREATION BOARD ORDINANCE (ORDINANCE NO. 23-02) BY REDUCING THE NUMBER OF RECREATION BOARD MEMBERS AND RE-ESTABLISHING TERMS OF CURRENT MEMBERS; REPEALING INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Jeannette previously adopted Ordinance No. 23-02, establishing a recreation board for the City of Jeannette; and

WHEREAS, the Third Class City Code, 11 Pa.C.S.A. § 13705(c), affords the City of Jeannette with the power to create a recreation board consisting of five (5) or seven (7) individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Third Class City Code, 11 Pa.C.S.A. § 12435, affords the City of Jeannette with the power “to enact, make, adopt, modify, repeal and enforce, in accordance with this part, ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations not inconsistent with or restrained by the Constitution of Pennsylvania and laws of this Commonwealth that are either of the following: (1) Expedient or necessary for the proper management, care and control of the city and its finances and the maintenance of the peace, good government, safety and welfare of the city and its trade, commerce and manufactures. (2) Necessary to the exercise of the powers and authority of local self-government in municipal affairs.”

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Jeannette, Westmoreland County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained as follows:

Section 1. Amendment of Section 1. Section 1(a) of Ordinance No. 23-02 is hereby amended to read, in its entirety, as follows:

“The Recreation Board shall consist of five (5) persons all of whom shall be voting members. All members shall be appointed by the Mayor with the approval of City Council. To qualify for a voting member position, a person must (i) be eighteen (18) years of age or older, (ii) be a resident of the City of Jeannette during his or her term of office; and (iii) not hold any other office or employment deemed incompatible by law. The Recreation Board may also include such other non-voting members appointed by the Mayor with the approval of City Council. To qualify for a non-voting member position, a person must not hold any other office or employment deemed incompatible by law.”

Section 2. Amendment of Section 2. Section 1(b) of Ordinance No. 23-02 is hereby amended as follows:

“All persons appointed as voting members shall serve staggered terms of Three (3) years, such that each respective term shall begin on December 8th and shall end of December 7th three (3) years later. In order to create such staggered terms, the initial voting members shall be appointed for the following initial terms:

- (i) Robin Mozley is hereby re-appointed for a term to end on December 7, 2025;
- (ii) Cherie King is hereby re-appointed for a term to end on December 7, 2025;
- (iii) Yvonne Hall is hereby re-appointed for a term to end on December 7, 2026;
- (iv) Judy Soles is hereby re-appointed for a term to end on December 7, 2027; and
- (v) Chad Krawtz is hereby re-appointed for a term to end on December 7, 2027.”

Section 3. Severability. It is herein declared that the provisions of this Ordinance are severable, and if any provisions, portions, or sections of this Ordinance are declared to be illegal, invalid, or unconstitutional, the decisions of any Court, which makes declarations, shall not impair or affect any of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Repealer. Any ordinance or part of any ordinance that conflicts with the provisions of this ordinance is hereby repealed to the extent of any such conflict on the effective date of this ordinance.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after its enactment.

This Ordinance is duly ORDAINED AND ENACTED by a majority of the members of the City Council of the City of Jeannette at a duly advertised public meeting held on the _____ day of _____, 2025.

CITY OF JEANNETTE

By: _____
Curtis J. Antoniak
Mayor and President of Council

ATTEST: (SEAL)

Ethan E. Keedy
City Manager/City Clerk