

MIAMI BEACH

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COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Dan Gelber and Members of the City Commission
Alina T. Hudak, City Manager

FROM: Rafael A. Paz, City Attorney



SECOND READING

DATE: June 28, 2023

SUBJECT: AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2 OF THE MIAMI BEACH CITY CODE, ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION," BY AMENDING ARTICLE III, ENTITLED "AGENCIES, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES," BY AMENDING DIVISION 13, ENTITLED "PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD," BY AMENDING SECTIONS 2-171 THEREOF TO EXPAND THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD TO INCLUDE MEMBERS WITH HIGH DEGREE OF INTEREST, PARTICIPATION, AND/OR EXPERTISE IN THE SPORTS OF SOCCER AND BASEBALL; AND, PROVIDING FOR REPEALER, SEVERABILITY, CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The attached Ordinance was prepared at the request of Commissioner Alex J. Fernandez. The proposed Ordinance would amend the composition of the Parks and Recreational Facilities Board (the "Board") to include a member with high degree of interest and/or expertise in the sports of soccer.

On May 17, 2023, the Mayor and City Commission approved the Ordinance on first reading, with one additional change requested by Commissioner Steven Meiner, to amend the composition of the Board to provide for a new member with interest and/or expertise in the sport of baseball (in addition to a Board member in the soccer category).

Accordingly, the proposed Ordinance would amend the composition of the Board to include members with high degree of interest, participation, and/or expertise in the sports of soccer and baseball, for a total of thirteen (13) Board members.

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