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ORDINANCE 2019-001

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE ASHVILLE RECREATION BOARD

WHEREAS, the City of Ashville (the "City") has the authority to create a recreation board; and

WHEREAS, the City believes it to be in the interest of the public to establish such a board to promote, maintain, and regulate recreational activities and facilities within the City; and

WHEREAS, the following board is established and following bylaws adopted for said board for the benefit of the public.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of Ashville, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1: Creation, Name, Powers, and Duties.

Pursuant to Alabama Code Section 11-86-1 et seq., 1975, a recreation board for the City of Ashville is hereby established. The recreation board herein established shall be known as the Ashville Recreation Board. The Ashville Recreation Board shall have all the powers and duties established under Alabama Code Section 11-86-1 et seq. for boards of this kind.

Section 2. Members.

The Board shall consist of five (5) members selected by the Ashville City Council from residents of the City who have recognized interest in recreational activities. It is the Council's intent to select, to the extent possible, members who shall represent the varied and various interests of the different sports occurring within the City and overseen by the Board.

Members may be nominated by any of the following methods:

- a. Residents may nominate individuals with recognized interest in recreational activities. Any such nomination should be accompanied by a description or statement of the nominated individual's interest in recreational activities. The City Clerk may require such submissions to be submitted on a standardized form.
- b. The Ashville Recreation Board Advisory Committees, or other like advisory committees, boards, etc. established by the Board, that will advise the Members of the Board, may submit individuals with recognized interest in recreational activities for consideration. Such nominations should be accompanied by a description or statement of the nominated individual's interest in recreational activities. The City Clerk may require such submissions to be submitted on a standardized form.

- c. City Council Members may submit nominations of individuals with recognized interest in recreational activities.
- d. Members of the Council who have recognized interest in recreational activities may be considered for membership on the Board, but shall take no part in their nomination, consideration, or vote to appoint or deny appointment.

Members of the recreation board first shall be appointed as follows: One for a term of one year; one for a term of two years; one for a term of three years; one for a term of four years; and one for a term of five years.

As the terms of members expire, their successors shall be selected for terms of five years each.

Vacancies in unexpired terms shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments are made.

Section 3. Severability.

The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of the Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remainder of the Ordinance shall not be affected thereby, but shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its adoption and publication as required by law.

ADOPTED and APPROVED this the 21 day of tebruary, 2019.

CITY OF ASHVILLE, ALABAMA

Derrick Mostella, Mayor

Chrystal St. John, City Clerk