

## AN ORDINANCE

### AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, CHAPTER 2 REGARDING ARTS AND CULTURAL COMMISSION DUTIES AND THE PERMANENT ART TRUST FUND.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS:

**SECTION 1.** That Section 2-107 of the City Code of Ordinances, regarding duties of the Corpus Christi Arts and Cultural Commission in relation to Bayfront Science Park, be deleted.

**~~Sec. 2-107. Duties as to Bayfront Science Park.~~**

~~The commission is specifically charged to study and evaluate the activities in and the uses made of the Bayfront Science Park. From time to time the commission, as a result of such study and evaluation, shall advise the city council and the city manager, on its own initiative as well as upon request by the council or the city manager, concerning:~~

- ~~(1) Planning the park's development for future activities and uses;~~
- ~~(2) Improving the present and future coordination of operation and utilization of the park as between individuals, groups, and the uses of the park and its facilities, as distinguished from recommendations for day-to-day administration.~~

*(Ord. No. 8288, § 7A, 12-21-1966; Ord. No. 9758, § 1, 5-20-1970; Ord. No. 17748, § 5(f), 7-27-1983)*

**SECTION 2.** That Section 2-108 of the City Code of Ordinances, regarding Permanent Art Trust Fund, be amended. The new language is show in underlined text and the deletions are shown in struck-through text as follows:

**“Sec. 2-108. Permanent art trust fund.**

A permanent art trust fund is hereby created for the purpose of providing public, and encouraging private, funding for the selection, acquisition, purchase, commissioning, placement, installation, exhibition, display, deaccessioning and conservation of permanent works of art.

Prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, the arts and cultural ~~municipal arts~~ commission shall recommend to the city council an amount to be appropriated for

contribution to the fund. At the end of each fiscal year, the remaining balance, if any, from the arts ~~grants~~ ~~cultural~~ projects activity in the hotel occupancy tax ~~tourist and convention development~~ fund shall automatically be transferred to the fund. Private contributions to the fund shall also be encouraged by the city council and the arts and cultural ~~municipal arts~~ commission.

Disbursements from the fund for the selection, acquisition, purchase, commissioning, placement, installation, exhibition, display, or deaccessioning of permanent works of art, shall be recommended by the arts and cultural ~~municipal arts~~ commission ~~to the city council for approval by motion~~. Disbursements from the fund shall be approved in accordance with City Charter provisions regarding approval of contracts.

For purposes of this section, "Permanent works of art" shall be defined as paintings, mural decorations, statues, sculpture, monuments, fountains or other structures or items of a permanent nature to be located within the public right-of-way or on public property.

'Conservation of permanent works of art' shall be defined as the preservation, repair, and/or stabilization of artworks."

*(Ord. No. 17289, § 1, 10-6-1982; Ord. No. 17724, § 1, 7-20-1983)*

**SECTION 3.** If for any reason any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any other section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word, or provision of this ordinance, for it is the definite intent of this City Council that every section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this ordinance be given full force and effect for its purpose.

**SECTION 4.** Publication shall be made in the official publication of the City of Corpus Christi as required by the City Charter of the City of Corpus Christi.

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the first time and passed to its second reading on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015, by the following vote:

Nelda Martinez	_____	Brian Rosas	_____
Rudy Garza	_____	Lucy Rubio	_____
Chad Magill	_____	Mark Scott	_____
Colleen McIntyre	_____	Carolyn Vaughn	_____
Lillian Riojas	_____		

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the second time and passed finally on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015, by the following vote:

Nelda Martinez	_____	Brian Rosas	_____
Rudy Garza	_____	Lucy Rubio	_____
Chad Magill	_____	Mark Scott	_____
Colleen McIntyre	_____	Carolyn Vaughn	_____
Lillian Riojas	_____		

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Rebecca Huerta  
City Secretary

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Nelda Martinez  
Mayor