

ORDINANCE NO. 1832

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 878 AND NO. 1056, CODIFIED AT SECTIONS 17.3, 17.4, 17.5, 17.6, 17.7 AND 17.8 OF THE SANTA ROSA CITY CODE AND REENACTING AND CONTINUING THE PROVISIONS CODIFIED AT SECTION 17.2, CONTINUING THE RECREATION AND PARK FUND; REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 1664, CODIFIED AT SECTIONS 2.60 THROUGH AND INCLUDING 2.65 OF THE SANTA ROSA CITY CODE, THEREBY ABOLISHING THE COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION; ADDING DIVISION 3 TO CHAPTER 2 OF THE SANTA ROSA CITY CODE, ESTABLISHING THE BOARD OF COMMUNITY SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Santa Rosa has determined to abolish the Recreation and Parks Commission and the Community Relations Commission; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council does hereby intend to repeal by implication all ordinances codified or uncodified not expressly repealed hereby which in any way make reference to either the Recreation and Parks Commission or the Community Relations Commission to the extent of such reference; and,

WHEREAS, the Santa Rosa City Council hereby finds it is in the public interest to create a Board of Community Services which can advise the Council in every aspect of the delivery of services to the citizens of Santa Rosa;

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Ordinance Nos. 878 and 1056, codified at Sections 17.3, 17.4, 17.5, 17.6, 17.7 and 17.8 of the Santa Rosa City Code, are hereby repealed and the provisions codified at Section 17.2, continuing the Recreation and Park Fund, are hereby reenacted. The Recreation and Parks Commission is abolished.

Section 2. Ordinance No. 1664, codified at Sections 2.60 through and including 2.65 of the Santa Rosa City Code, is hereby repealed. The Community Relations Commission is abolished.

Section 3. Division 3 is hereby added to Article I, Chapter 2, of the Santa Rosa City Code to read and provide as follows:

Division 3. Board of Community Services.

Section 2.33. Board of Community Services.

There is hereby created a Board of Community Services which shall consist of seven (7) voting members to be appointed by the City Council. Members of the Board of Community Services shall be registered voters of the City of Santa Rosa. Members shall serve at the pleasure of the Council for four-year terms, provided however, that for the purpose of establishing staggered terms, initial terms shall be as follows: 1 - 1 year, 2 - 2 years, 3 - 3 years and 2 - 4 years.

Section 2.34. Rules of Procedure.

The Board of Community Services shall adopt rules of procedure and designate committees and task forces by resolution.

Section 2.35. Powers and Duties of the Board of Community Services.

The Board of Community Services shall have the following powers and duties:

1. Recommend policies, procedures, and programs to the City Council which will promote community relations within the City.
2. Review City recreational and cultural policies and programs and advise the City Council on their adequacy and effectiveness.
3. Advise the City Council on programs to increase community understanding of human relations issues and problems so as to enhance the community's capacity and concern for their solution.
4. Assist the Director of Recreation and Parks in the formulation of rules and regulations for the use of City parks and recreational facilities.
5. Review and make recommendations on charges of discrimination when referred by the City Council.
6. Promote and coordinate arts and cultural activities within the City.
7. Advise the City Council on issues relating to special needs of citizens of the community.
8. Advise the City Council on matters relating to community beautification.
9. Identify, designate, preserve, protect and perpetuate historical landmarks and heritage trees within the City.
10. Such other powers and duties as the City Council may from time to time delegate.

Section 2.36. Board of Community Services, Meetings.

The Board of Community Services shall meet at regular stated times and places and all meetings shall be open to the public. The Board shall provide in its rules of procedure a method of calling special meetings.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after its adoption and publication as provided by law.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 28th day of September, 1976.

AYES: (3) Mayor Poznanovich, Councilmen Born and Guggiana

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (2) Councilmen Jones and Zatman

APPROVED:

Mayor

Paul M. Poznanovich

ATTEST: *Lilly Fratelli*
Deputy City Clerk

APPROVED AND FORWARDED
BY THE CITY CLERK

Lilly Fratelli