

**ORDINANCE #968**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1 ARTICLE 1.600 "PARKS AND RECREATION" OF THE LAKE WORTH CITY CODE (2004), AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO THE FEES FOR ORGANIZED ATHLETIC EVENTS AND FOR LIGHTS IN SECTION 1.605 "FEE SCHEDULE FOR USE OF CITY PARK AND CITY PARK FACILITIES"; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, the City of Lake Worth, Texas is a home rule city acting under its charter adopted by the electorate pursuant to Article XI, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 9 of the Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to amend the fees for organized athletic events and for light usage associated with the use of park facilities and recreational fields.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE WORTH, TEXAS:**

**SECTION 1.**

The fee for "Organized athletic events" shall decrease from \$40.00 to \$20.00 in each of the following subsections regarding the Lake Worth Park Fee Schedule. The following subsections of Section 1.605(d)(1) are hereby amended to read as follows:

- (A) Football Field, (iii) Organized Athletic Event: \$20.00
- (B) Baseball 1, (iii) Organized Athletic Event: \$20.00
- (C) Baseball 2, (iii) Organized Athletic Event: \$20.00
- (D) Softball/T-ball, (iii) Organized Athletic Event: \$20.00

**SECTION 2.**

Section 1.605, Subsection (d) (2) (A) is hereby amended to read:

Field Lights \$5.00. This is an hourly rate in additional to the rental rate.

**SECTION 3.**

This ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of ordinances of the City of Lake Worth, Texas, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4.**

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such paragraphs and sections of this ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section.

**SECTION 5.**

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and it is so ordained.

**PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 9<sup>th</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2011.**

APPROVED:

  
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Walter Bowen, Mayor

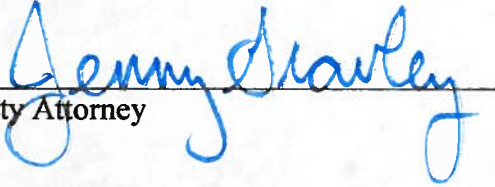


ATTEST:



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Linda Rhodes, TRMC/CMC  
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:



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City Attorney