

AVILLAGE OF MARIEMONT, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 0-9-20

TO AMEND §151.076 PARK DISTRICT OF THE MARIEMONT CODE OF ORDINANCES

WHEREAS, the Rules and Law Committee has been meeting at the request of Council to review the Mariemont Code and to recommend updates as appropriate; and

WHEREAS, the Rules and Law Committee has reviewed §151.076 Park District of the Mariemont Code of Ordinances and has made suggested changes to that code section; and

WHEREAS, Council believes it is in the best interest of the Village that Section §151.076 Parks District be amended to reflect said changes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF MARIEMONT, STATE OF OHIO, TWO THIRDS OF THE MEMBERS DULY ELECTED THERETO CONCURRING:

SECTION I.

The existing Code §151.076 PARK DISTRICT reads as follows:

■ § 151.076 PARK DISTRICT.

(A) *Purpose.* The Park District is to protect and enhance the scenic, recreational, geologic, cultural, and historic value. All recreation and enjoyment of the district by the public shall have no adverse effect on the existing wildlife habitation and shall conserve significant natural vegetation and tree cover.

(B) *Parks Advisory Board.*

(1) The Parks Advisory Board shall oversee, plan, and make recommendations to the Vice-Mayor regarding conservation, management, and development necessary of the numerous parks and green spaces for the benefit of the entire village.

(2) The Parks Advisory Board shall consist of five Board members.

(3) 1. Board members shall be appointed by the Mayor with the consent of Council for two year terms. Mid-term appointees shall serve the remaining portion of the term vacated and must be reappointed at the end of the original two-year term in order to remain on the Board.

2. Two of the members will start out with one-year terms, producing staggered terms, followed thereafter by two year terms.

(4) Recommendations adopted by the Board shall require a simple majority of the Board members.

(5) The Board may adopt from time to time such general rules and regulations relating to its procedure as it may deem necessary. Concise minutes and records shall be kept as to all official acts of the Board.

(6) Advice from the Parks Advisory Board shall be submitted to the Vice-Mayor who will present it to Council.

(C) *Parks*. All parks shall be designated Residential District A. The Park District encompasses public parks, plazas, squares, fountains, and statuary described on building zone map and including the following:

- (1) Albert Place Median;
- (2) Allotment Gardens (behind Wooster Pike Oak Street - Beech Street);
- (3) Ann Buntin Becker Park;
- (4) Hiawatha-Rembold Avenues strip;
- (5) Center Street median;
- (6) Concourse: Miami Bluff Drive at Center Street;
- (7) Dale Park (Family statue park);
- (8) Denny Place Median;
- (9) Dogwood Park;
- (10) Isabella Hopkins Park;
- (11) Lower Gardens (South 80 acres);
- (12) Mary Emery Park and tennis courts;
- (13) Murray Avenue and Madisonville Road triangular lot;
- (14) Murray Avenue from Settle Street to Grove Street;
- (15) Old Town Park (southeast side of Oak and Chestnut Streets);
- (16) Wooster Pike median strip and parks from intersection of Wooster Pike and Indianview Avenue to the west boundary of the village, including E. Boyd Jordan Park;
- (17) Park at Midden and Pleasant Streets;
- (18) Park at intersection of Mariemont, Miami Road, and Mt. Vernon Avenue;
- (19) Park at Crystal Springs and Mt. Vernon Avenue; and
- (20) Park area the length of Miami Bluff.

(2000 Code, § 151.076) (Ord. O-6-94, passed 3-14-1994; Ord. O-4-96, passed 3-25-1996; Ord. O-11-96, passed 6-24-1996; Ord. O-7-98, passed 1-12-1998)

That code §151.076 PARK DISTRICT shall now be amended to read as follows:

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(A) *Purpose*. The Park District is to protect and enhance the scenic, recreational, geologic, cultural, and historic value. All recreation and enjoyment of the district by the public shall have no adverse effect on the existing wildlife habitation and shall conserve significant natural vegetation and tree cover. See Section 37.03(A) for information on the Parks Advisory Board.

(B) *Parks*. All parks shall be designated Residential District A. The Park District encompasses public parks, plazas, squares, fountains, and statuary described on building zone map and including the following:

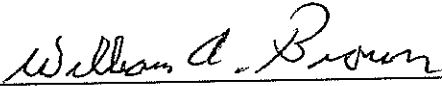
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  - (20) Park area the length of Miami Bluff.
- (2000 Code, § 151.076) (Ord. O-6-94, passed 3-14-1994; Ord. O-4-96, passed 3-25-1996; Ord. O-11-96, passed 6-24-1996; Ord. O-7-98, passed 1-12-1998)
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SECTION II. Upon adoption, the above §151.076 PARK DISTRICT shall replace the prior §151.076 as set forth herein. In all other respects §151 of the Mariemont Code of Ordinances shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION III. This Ordinance shall take effect at the earliest date allowed by law.

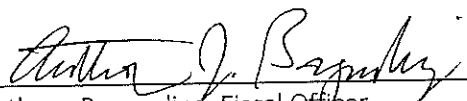
Passed: February 24, 2020.

  
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William Brown, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Anthony Borgerding, Fiscal Officer

I, Anthony Borgerding, Fiscal Officer of Council of the Village of Mariemont, Ohio, do hereby certify that there is no newspaper printed in said municipality and that publication of the foregoing Ordinance was duly made by posting true copies thereof at five of the most public places in said corporation as determined by the Council, as follows: the Concourse, Miami Bluff and Flintpoint Way; the Tennis Court property, on the east side of Plainville Road between Maple and Chestnut Streets; the site of the Municipal Building. Wooster Pike and Crystal Springs Road; the northeast corner of the intersection of Rembolt and Miami Road inside the enclosure; the northwest corner of the Old Town Center, intersection of Chestnut and Oak Streets; each for a period of fifteen days commencing on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020.

  
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Anthony Borgerding, Fiscal Officer

