

Introduced: February 27, 2023
Adopted: March 13, 2023

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-2

**TOWNSHIP OF EASTAMPTON
BURLINGTON COUNTY**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EASTAMPTON TO
AMEND CHAPTER 5 OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE TO ADDRESS THE
RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, the Township has expressed the need to modify the powers and duties of the Recreation Advisory Committee; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Eastampton, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 5-44 of the Township Code of Eastampton shall be amended as follows (with new language appearing in boldface):

-Section 5-44(A)(4) is modified to read: The Recreation Advisory Committee shall select a Chairperson and Vice Chairperson from among the appointed members of the Committee.

-Section 5-44(A)(6) is modified to read: The Chairperson may organize the Committee membership into subcommittees, each responsible for a specific event.

-Section 5-44(A)(7) is modified to read: The Chairperson shall call and preside over Committee meetings. The Vice Chairperson may call and preside over meetings in the Chairperson's absence.

-Section 5-44(B) is modified to read: Powers and duties. The Committee shall hold an annual reorganization meeting and meet as required thereafter. The Committee shall plan, coordinate, promote, and staff public events designated annually by the Township Council. The Township Manager or his/her designee shall be responsible for supervising events and performing administrative tasks, including, but not limited to, agreements, contracts and purchasing.

-Section 5-44(C) is modified to read: Background checks. All Committee members and event volunteers are required to undergo a background check through the Eastampton Township Police Department on an annual basis.

-Section 5-44(D) is modified to read: Removal of members. The Township Council may remove any member of the Committee with or without cause.

SECTION 2. Repealer. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed as to said inconsistencies and conflict.

SECTION 3. Severability. If any section, part of any section, or clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the remaining provisions of this ordinance. The governing body of the Township of Eastampton declares that it would have passed the ordinance and each section and subsection thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases may be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. The ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication according to law.

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ATTEST:

Kim-Marie White

Kim-Marie White
Municipal Clerk

Robert Apgar

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Mayor

Introduction: February 27, 2023

Council	Motion	2 nd	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Rodriguez		✓	✓			
Councilman Santillo	✓		✓			
Councilman Springer			✓			
Councilman Zeno			✓			
Mayor Apgar			✓			
		VOTE	5	0		

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