

ORDINANCE NO. 80

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RANCHO  
PALOS VERDES CREATING A PLANNING  
COMMISSION AND AMENDING THE RANCHO  
PALOS VERDES MUNICIPAL CODE.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RANCHO PALOS VERDES DOES ORDAIN  
AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Rancho Palos Verdes Municipal Code is amended by adding Part A to Chapter 7 of Article II to read:

"PART A. PLANNING COMMISSION

"2700. Planning Commission, Creation of. A Planning Commission is hereby created and established in accordance with the provisions of the Planning and Zoning Law of the State of California, Title 7 of the Government Code, and in particular pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3 of said Title 7 of the Government Code. Said Planning Commission may be known and referred to as the 'Rancho Palos Verdes Planning Commission' or as the 'Planning Commission.'

"2701. Members. The Planning Commission shall consist of five (5) members who shall be appointed by the City Council and who shall serve at the pleasure of the City Council. The term of office for each Commissioner first appointed shall continue to and include March 16, 1976 and thereafter until a successor has been appointed. All successive Commissioners appointed shall hold office until the second regular meeting of the City Council in March of each even-numbered year, and thereafter until a successor has been appointed. Should any vacancy exist on the Planning Commission, an appointment shall be made in like manner for the unexpired portion of the term. The Director of Planning shall serve as Ex-Officio member of the Planning Commission and as Secretary thereof.

"2702. Absence from Meetings. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Code, any Commissioner who is absent from any three (3) consecutive regular meetings of said Planning Commission unless excused from attendance by consent of such Commission expressed by action recorded in its Minutes or who is absent without such absence being excused of record, from a total of five (5) regular meetings of said Commission in any six (6) months period, shall thereby automatically forfeit his or her position as a member of said Planning Commission. In such case the name of such Commissioner shall be automatically removed from the membership of said Commission immediately after the adjournment of any such third consecutive meeting or of any such fifth meeting in any such six months period, as the case may be, at which such Commissioner has not appeared. The Chairperson or Secretary of the Planning Commission shall thereupon promptly notify the City Council and any such person so ceasing to be a Commissioner, of the fact of such vacancy.

"2703. Regular Meetings. Regular meetings of the Planning Commission shall be held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each calendar month, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p.m., or on the next succeeding day which is not a holiday.

Regular meetings may be adjourned by public announcement to a specified date, and any such adjourned meeting shall be deemed a regular meeting. Said meeting dates may be changed by resolution adopted by the Planning Commission and approved by the City Council.

"2704. Duties. The said Planning Commission and the members thereof shall respectively have and exercise each and all of the powers, duties, rights, privileges and authorities of City Planning Commissions and of members of such Commissions, all as set forth, provided for, and contemplated in this Code and in and under the provisions of the State Planning and Zoning Law as same now exists and as same may hereafter be amended, and shall perform the duties, acts and functions of such City Planning Commission, and members thereof, respectively, all as indicated, set forth and referred to in, and as contemplated by, said 'Planning and Zoning Law' and in the manner therein stated.

"2705. Organization. The City Council shall appoint the Chairperson. The Planning Commission shall elect a Vice-Chairperson, from among its members, at its first organizational meeting and thereafter at its first regular meeting in April of each even-numbered year. The Commission may also appoint such other officers as may be necessary for the administration of its business, at the same time and for like terms. Said officers shall enter in the duties of their office at the first regular meeting in April of each even-numbered year. The Commission shall adopt rules and regulations for the transaction of its business and shall keep a record of all its minutes, resolutions, actions, findings and determinations. Minutes, resolutions, and official records shall be filed with the City Clerk."

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 2nd day of December, 1975.

AYES: Buerk, Dyda, Ruth, R. Ryan and M. Ryan  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: None

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
CITY CLERK

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 80 passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes at a meeting thereof held on the 2nd day of December, 1975, and that said Ordinance was posted pursuant to law.

  
CITY CLERK

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ) SS. CERTIFICATE OF POSTING  
CITY OF RANCHO PALOS VERDES )

The undersigned declares and certifies under penalty of perjury:

That he at all times herein mentioned was and now is the duly qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes, California;

That on the 9th day of December, 19 75, he caused to be posted in three conspicuous public places, as required by law, ORDINANCE NO. 80 - AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RANCHO PALOS VERDES

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CODE

a copy of which is attached hereto, in the following public places in this City:

City Hall  
31244 Palos Verdes Drive West

Los Angeles County Fire Station  
4000 Miraleste Plaza

Ridgecrest Intermediate School  
28915 Northbay Road

Dated this 9th day of December, 19 75.

LEONARD G. WOOD, CITY CLERK  
EX OFFICIO CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

By

Donna P. Krebs  
Deputy