

ORDINANCE NO. 09-2018

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES AT CHAPTER 2, ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE III, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES, DIVISION 1, GENERALLY, AT SECTION 2-136, APPOINTIVE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS, SO AS TO DELETE THE TERM PUBLIC SAFETY DIRECTOR AND SUBSTITUTE FOR THAT TERM THE TERMS CHIEF OF POLICE AND CHIEF OF FIRE RESCUE; AMENDING DIVISION 5, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS AT SECTION 2-247, GENERAL DUTIES, SUPERVISION BY MANAGER, TO DELETE THE REFERENCE TO THE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR BEING UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF THE TOWN MANAGER; FURTHER PROVIDING THAT ALL REFERENCES IN THE TOWN CODE TO PUBLIC SAFETY DIRECTOR SHALL NOW BE REFERRED TO AS CHIEF OF POLICE AND CHIEF OF FIRE RESCUE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach is hereby amended at Chapter 2, Article III. Officers and Employees, Division 1. Generally, Sec. 2-136. Appointive administrative officers, to read as follows:

"Sec. 2-136. Appointive administrative officers.

Pursuant to section 4.04(a) of the Charter, the following shall constitute the appointive administrative officials of the town:

Administration:

Finance Director
Director of planning, zoning and building
Human resources director
Recreation director
Deputy town manager
Assistant town manager

Public safety:

Chief of Police
Chief of Fire Rescue

Public works:

Director of public works

Unless otherwise specifically provided, all other personnel of the town constitute "employees" within the meaning of § 4.04(b) of the Charter."

Section 2. The Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach is hereby amended at Chapter 2, Administration, Division 5. Director of Public Works, Section 2-247, General duties; supervision by manager, to read as follows:

"Sec. 2-247. General duties; supervision by manager.

In addition to the duties prescribed elsewhere in this Code, the director of public works shall have general supervision over the streets, sewer, sidewalks and thoroughfares of the town, and of the construction and repair thereof. ."

Section 3. Wherever the Town Code refers to Public Safety Director, that reference shall now read Chief of police and Chief of Fire Rescue.

Section 4. Severability.

If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or applications of this Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared severable.

Section 5. Repeal of Ordinances in Conflict.

All other ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach, Florida, or parts thereof which conflict with this or any part of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 6. Codification.

This Ordinance shall be codified and made a part of the official Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach.

Section 7. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval, as provided by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED in a regular, adjourned session of the Town Council of the Town of Palm Beach on first reading this 8th day of May, 2018, and for second and final reading on this _____ day of _____, 2018.

Gail L. Coniglio, Mayor

Danielle H. Moore, Town Council President

Margaret A. Zeidman, Council President Pro Tem

Julie Araskog, Town Council Member

ATTEST:

Lewis S.W. Crampton, Town Council Member

Kathleen Dominguez, Town Clerk

Bobbie Lindsay, Town Council Member