

**ORDINANCE NO. 23 - \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE  
AMENDING CHAPTER 12 (RIVERWALK COMMISSION) OF  
TITLE 2 (BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS) OF  
THE NAPERVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NAPERVILLE, DUPAGE AND WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, in exercise of its home rule powers that:**

**SECTION 1:** Chapter 12 (Riverwalk Commission) of Title 2 (Boards and Commissions) of the Naperville Municipal Code is hereby amended by deleting the stricken language and by adding the underlined language as follows:

**TITLE 2 – BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS**

**CHAPTER 12 – RIVERWALK COMMISSION**

**SECTION:**

**2-12-1: - PURPOSE AND CREATION:**

There is hereby created the Naperville Riverwalk Commission. Whenever the word "Commission" is used in this Chapter, it shall mean and refer to the Naperville Riverwalk Commission.

**2-12-2: - MEMBERSHIP:**

The Commission shall consist of ~~twelve (12)~~ thirteen (13) members as follows:

1. Eight (8) members shall be appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the City Council. One such member shall be a City Council member appointed by the Mayor and approved by a majority of the City Council to serve as an ex officio who shall be entitled to vote and be counted for purposes of establishing a quorum.
2. One member shall be an administrative employee of the City, appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the City Council.
3. The President of the Naperville Park District shall serve as an ex officio member. In the event that the President of the Naperville Park District is unable or

unwilling to serve on the Commission, the Mayor shall appoint a substitute member, subject to approval of the City Council. Said ex officio member is a nonvoting member and may not be counted toward the establishment of a quorum.

4. One member shall be an administrative employee of the Naperville Park District, appointed by the President of the Naperville Park District. In the event the President of the Park District fails to make such appointment, the Mayor shall appoint a substitute member, subject to approval of the City Council.
5. One member shall be appointed by the Naperville Riverwalk Foundation, a not for profit organization. In the event the foundation fails to make such appointment, the Mayor shall appoint a substitute member, subject to approval of the City Council.
6. One member shall be appointed by the Riverwalk Bicentennial Fund Foundation, a not for profit organization. In the event the Foundation fails to make such appointment, the Mayor shall appoint a substitute member, subject to approval of the City Council.

### **2-12-3: - POWERS AND DUTIES:**

The Commission shall have, exercise and perform the following powers, duties and functions:

1. The Commission may appoint such committees of its own members as it may deem necessary or appropriate to accomplish and effectuate the goals and purposes of the Commission including, but not limited to:
  - 1.1. Finance committee, which committee shall be responsible for the budget and accounting;
  - 1.2. Planning, design and construction committee, which committee shall be responsible for developing, recommending and implementing plans for the expansion, extension and improvement of the Riverwalk in accordance with the development guidelines and initial reserve study;
  - 1.3. The finance, planning, design and construction, and other committees as may be created by the Commission shall be responsible to and report to the Commission.
2. Promote, encourage and guide the development and use of the Naperville Riverwalk between Jefferson Avenue on the north and Hillside Road on the south.

3. Submit an annual budget to the City Manager not later than the submittal deadline established by the City's Finance Department. The City Council shall review and approve a budget to the Commission not later than April 30 of each year as part of the annual budget adopted by the City Council.
4. Operate under the rules and regulations of the City in regard to all expenditures, purchases, personnel and accounts.

**SECTION 2:** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its approval.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

APPROVAL this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

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Steve Chirico  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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Pam Gallahue, Ph.D.  
CITY CLERK