ORDINANCE NO. 010924

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 35 of the McCordsville Municipal Code of Ordinances

WHEREAS, the Town of McCordsville (the "Town") is a political subdivision existing under the provisions of Ind. Code § 36-5-1, *et. seq.*;

WHEREAS, the McCordsville Town Council (the "Council") is the fiscal body of the Town and is responsible for the adoption of and amendments to all local ordinances;

WHEREAS, in 1999, Council adopted Ordinance 120799B, establishing the Department of Parks and Recreation and creating the Parks Board;

WHEREAS, the Council desires to amend Section 35.02(C) of the municipal code to ensure the ordinance complies with the current provisions in the Indiana Code concerning the Parks Board appointments;

WHEREAS, this amendment is consistent with and authorized under Indiana Code section 36-10-3-4(c);

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of McCordsville, Indiana, that Section 35.02(C) shall be amended as follows:

Section 1: (1) In accordance with I.C. 36-10-3-4, the Board shall consist of five members total.

(2) Four (4) members shall be appointed by the town legislative body, unless otherwise amended by state statute. The members shall be appointed on the basis of their interest in and knowledge of parks and recreation. Not more than two (2) members may be affiliated with the same political party, unless the legislative body, by a majority vote, waives this requirement due to the absence of persons who are willing to serve on the town board and who satisfy any or all of the requirements.

(3) One (1) member shall be designated by the governing body of the school corporation.

(4) Members of the board must be residents of the McCordsville Parks District.

Section 2: All terms shall be for four (4) years, or as amended by state statute.

Section 3: Any existing Ordinances, or portions thereof, conflicting with this amendment are hereby repealed.

Section 4: All other provisions in Section 35.02 shall remain the same.

Section 5: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately.

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ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MCCORDSVILLE, INDIANA this _____ day of _____, 2024.

MCCORDSVILLE TOWN COUNCIL

FOR:		AGAINST:
	Greg Brewer	
	Scott Jones	
	Bryan Burney	
	John Price	
	_ Chad Gooding	

ATTEST:

Stephanie Crider, Clerk-Treasurer