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County
City of NIAGARA
Town
Village
Local Law No. 8 of the year 19 77

A local law creating a Department of Parks & Recreation for the County of Niagara
(Insert title)

Be it enacted by the Niagara County Legislature of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

County
City of Niagara County, New York
Town
Village as follows:

There is hereby created a Department of Parks & Recreation, the head of which shall be the Commissioner of Parks & Recreation who shall be appointed on the basis of his experience and qualifications for the duties of the office by the County Legislature and who shall serve for a term of office for which the members of the Legislature were elected. The Commissioner of Parks & Recreation shall:

- (a) Have supervision and control over the design, construction, operation, maintenance and repair of all county-owned and operated properties and facilities for the following purposes: parks and recreation facilities therein, docks and marinas beaches, zoological and botanical gardens, forest lands and golf courses, together with buildings, structures, roads, parking areas, utilities, equipment and appurtenances.

There shall be a deputy commissioner of parks & recreation whose duties will be to plan and schedule all recreational activities in any and all of the facilities herein mentioned. He shall be appointed by the commissioner of parks and recreation subject to confirmation by the county legislature, and shall perform such additional and related duties as the commissioner of parks and recreation and the County Legislature may prescribe.

The County Legislature is hereby authorized on behalf of the County to accept by gift and to acquire by purchase, condemnation, lease or otherwise, real property for the purposes set forth above. The County Legislature may abandon such purposes by local law and may dispose of such property.

The County Legislature shall appoint a Niagara County Parks Commission consisting of seven (7) members, for a term of office for which the members of the Legislature were elected. The commission shall render advice and guidance to the Parks Commissioner at his request or may make suggestions on their own initiative.

This local law shall become effective immediately.

(Complete the certification in the paragraph which applies to the filing of this local law and strike out the matter therein which is not applicable.)

(Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

1. I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 8 of 19 77 of the County of NIAGARA was duly passed by NIAGARA COUNTY LEGISLATURE on June 21, 19 77 in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Passage by local legislative body with approval or no disapproval by Elective Chief Executive Officer or repassage after disapproval.)

2. I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 19 County of City Town Village was duly passed by not disapproved and was approved repassed after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer on 19 and was deemed duly adopted on 19, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Final adoption by referendum.)

3. I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 19 County of City Town Village was duly passed by the not disapproved and was approved repassed after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer on 19. Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a mandatory permissive referendum and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting general thereon at the special election held on 19, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition filed requesting referendum.)

4. I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 19 County of City Town Village was duly passed by the not disapproved and was approved repassed after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer on 19. Such local law being subject to a permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum having been filed, said local law was deemed duly adopted on 19, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

*Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or if there be none the chairman of the board of supervisors, the mayor of a city or village or the supervisor of a town, where such officer is vested with power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

