PARKS, BEACHES AND RECREATION COMMISSION

AUTHORIZATION:  Article VII, Section 709 of the Charter of the City of Newport Beach.

MEMBERSHIP:  Members (7) appointed by the City Council.

TERM:  Four (4) years.

PURPOSE & RESPONSIBILITIES:

A. Act in an advisory capacity to the City Council in all matters pertaining to parks, beaches, recreation, parkways and street trees.

B. Assist in the planning of parks and recreation programs for the inhabitants of the City, promote and stimulate public interest therein, and to that end, solicit to the fullest extent possible, the cooperation of school authorities and other public and private agencies interested therein.

C. Establish policies for the acquisition, development and improvement of parks, beaches and playgrounds and for the planting, care and removal of trees and shrubs in all parks, playgrounds and streets, subject to the rights and powers of the City Council.

D. Perform such other duties as may be prescribed by ordinance not inconsistent with the provisions of the City Charter. (As amended by amendments effective April 28, 1966 and June 6, 1974.)

STAFF LIAISON:  Recreation & Senior Services Director and General Services Director