Section 809. **Board of Parks and Recreation** Commissioners. Powers and Duties.

There shall be a **Board of Parks and Recreation** Commissioners consisting of seven (7) members, as determined and in the manner set by an ordinance of the City Council. Notwithstanding Section 802 of this Charter, the City Council may, by ordinance, provide that one member of the Parks and Recreation Commission may be an individual of age sixteen (16) years or older, who shall be nominated, appointed, and serve in a manner specified by an ordinance adopted by the City Council. Except as otherwise specified in this Section, all members of the Parks and Recreation Commission shall be appointed to and shall serve in their positions in the manner specified in this Charter. The **Board of Parks and Recreation** Commissioners shall have the power and duty to:

(a) Act in an advisory capacity to the City Council in all matters pertaining to parks, recreation, beaches, creeks, plazas, parkways, and street trees.

(b) Consider the annual budget for parks, recreation, beaches, creeks, plazas, parkways, and street tree purposes during the process of its preparation and make recommendations with respect thereto to the City Council and the City Administrator.

(c) Assist in the planning of parks, recreation, beaches, creeks, plazas, and street trees 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, Recreation Commission and other public and private agencies interested therein.
(d) Perform such other duties not inconsistent with this Charter as may be prescribed by ordinance.

Section 810.—Recreation Commission: Powers and Duties.

There shall be a Recreation Commission consisting of five (5) members. The Recreation Commission shall have the power and duty to:

(a) Act in an advisory capacity to the City Council in all matters pertaining to recreation.

(b) Consider the annual budget for recreation purposes during the process of its preparation and make recommendations with respect thereto to the City Council and City Administrator.

(c) Assist in the planning of 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, Board of Park Commissioners and other public and private agencies interested therein.

(d) Perform such other duties as may be prescribed by ordinance not inconsistent with the provisions of the Charter.