Public Hearing
1:00 p.m., May 29, 2020
1207 Palm Boulevard
Isle of Palms, South Carolina

Virtual Meeting due to COVID-19 pandemic:
The public may view the public meeting at: www.youtube.com/user/cityofisleofpalms

Public Comment:
Citizens may provide public comment here:
https://www.iop.net/public-comment-form

Agenda

1. Call to order and acknowledgement that the press and the public were duly notified of the meeting in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act.

2. Ordinance 2020 – 02 An ordinance to establish the daily parking fee for the Municipal Parking Lots to $10 Monday through Friday and $15 Saturday, Sunday and legal holidays and the hourly fee to park on-street on Ocean Boulevard between 10th and 14th Avenues to $2.50 and to double the parking violation fines.

3. Adjournment
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 8, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, CHAPTER 2, STOPPING, STANDING, AND PARKING OF VEHICLES.

WHEREAS, the Isle of Palms Council is empowered with the authority to make substantive amendments to the Isle of Palms Code, including amending Chapters, and now wishes to do so;

WHEREAS, The Isle of Palms Council believes it is necessary to increase fees and penalties for those who choose to disregard the parking rules of the beach for the benefit of public safety for its residents and visitors;

WHEREAS, The Isle of Palms Council believes it is also necessary to increase parking rates for its municipal lots and on-street parking to accommodate the costs of parking enforcement and public safety during beach season;

WHEREAS, the Isle of Palms Council now desires to amend Chapter 2, to increase fees and penalties for parking violations.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS OF THE CITY OF ISLE OF PALMS, SOUTH CAROLINA, IN CITY COUNCIL ASSEMBLED THAT TITLE 8, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, CHAPTER 2, STOPPING, STANDING, AND PARKING OF VEHICLES SHALL BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

Sec. 8-2-14. - Penalties.

(a) If the owner of a vehicle in violation of this article admits the violation and pays the penalty or appears before the Municipal Court pursuant to section 8-2-13 and is found guilty, the penalty shall be as follows:

1) Parking in violation of any regulation related to paid parking spaces, parking pay stations or kiosks along the public streets or in the public parking lots: $50.00.
2) Parking in violation of section 8-2-5(b) (loading zone regulation): $200.00.
3) Parking in violation of any other parking regulation: $100.00.
(b) If a person violates any parking regulation and fails either to request a hearing before the Municipal Court or to pay the penalty as provided above within thirty (30) days of the date the notice is issued, the penalty for the violation shall double.

(c) Monies collected pursuant to this section shall be deposited with the City's financial institution and reconciled by the City Treasurer.


Article C. Beach Parking

Sec. 8-2-44. - Permits; fees.

No permit or parking fee shall be required to park in the designated beach parking zones.

A fee shall be required to park in the Municipal Parking Lots located on Pavilion Drive. The daily parking fee shall be $10 Monday through Friday and $15 Saturday, Sunday and legal holidays.

The hourly fee to park on-street on Ocean Boulevard between 10th and 14th Avenue shall be $2.50.

SECTION 2. Should any part of this Ordinance be held invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining parts shall be severable therefrom and shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed insofar as the same affect this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. That this Ordinance take effect on May __, 2020.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF ISLE OF PALMS, ON THE ____ DAY OF ________________, 2020

__________________________________
Jimmy Carroll, Mayor

(Seal)

Attest:

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City Clerk

First Reading: _______________________

Public Hearing: _______________________

Second Reading: _____________________

Ratification: _________________________