

ORDINANCE NO. 1800

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MILWAUKIE, OREGON, AMENDING MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 2.28 -- PUBLIC LIBRARY.**

**WHEREAS**, the City is required to establish a public library according to the provisions of ORS 357.400 to 357.621, and pursuant to Milwaukie Municipal Code Section 2.28.010 the City Council has designated the Ledding Library as the public library for the City; and

**WHEREAS**, Municipal Code Chapter 2.28 establishes the rules governing the membership and conduct of the Library Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the Milwaukie City Council established a process in which the Library Board was reviewed with other advisory bodies to clarify their respective roles and responsibilities in supporting the City Vision and the Council Goals and to make appointments more uniform throughout the system;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF MILWAUKIE DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1: Ordinances 1470 and 1601 are repealed.

Section 2: Milwaukie Municipal Code Chapter 2.28 -- Public Library is amended to read as follows:

2.28.010: Designated

The Ledding Library of Milwaukie is designated the City public library according to the provisions of ORS 357.400 to 357.621.

2.28.020: Established -- Purpose

The Library Board is established for the purpose of advising the City Council and the Ledding staff regarding library patrons' needs. The Board shall be responsible for, but not limited to, the following activities:

- A. Reviewing and commenting on rules and policies for the operation of the library;
- B. Commenting on the acceptance or rejection of donations of real or personal property or funds donated to the library;
- C. Commenting on the annual operating budget for the library;
- D. Commenting on sites for public library buildings or for location of library facilities; and
- E. Such other activities as the council may assign.

2.28.020: Membership -- Qualifications

The board shall consist of seven members, with a majority of members of the board being City residents.

It is desirable that an applicant be familiar with and willing to support the library and its programs; understand the needs of the Milwaukie area library patrons and the general community relative to the library programs; have the ability to gather information regarding needs; and have experience in working with committees or other task groups.

Read for the first time on May 21, 1996, and moved to second reading by unanimous vote of the City Council.

Read the second time and adopted by the City Council on May 21, 1996.

Signed by the Mayor on May 21, 1996.

  
Craig J. Lomnicki, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Pat DuVal, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
O'Donnell, Ramis, Crew, Corrigan & Bachrach