

AN ORDINANCE 99597

REVIEWING AND ADOPTING ANNUAL SELF-MONITORING STANDARDS FOR THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO'S AFTER SCHOOL CHALLENGE PROGRAM AS PER THE REQUIREMENTS OF TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PROTECTIVE AND REGULATORY SERVICES REGULATION 42.041 (A) (14).

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**WHEREAS**, the City of San Antonio's Department of Parks and Recreation provides after school services to over 17,000 school age children in 138 schools throughout the community; and

**WHEREAS**, Texas legislation, administered by the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (TDPRS) Regulations, provides for the adoption of Self-Monitoring Standards for municipally operated recreation programs that serve elementary-age youth after a public hearing by the municipality; and

**WHEREAS**, said standards are required to include staffing ratios, minimum staff qualifications, minimum facility health and safety standards, mechanisms for monitoring and enforcing the adopted local standards, and must be provided to the parents of all program participants; and

**WHEREAS**, the City's Parks and Recreation Department staff, in conjunction with the City Attorney, the City's Department of Community Initiatives and the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services staff, developed appropriate Self-Monitoring Standards for the City's After School Challenge Program and these standards were presented to the City Council for consideration on December 14, 2000 and were approved by Ordinance 93106 on said date; and

**WHEREAS**, TDPRS requires annual review of said standards and these were presented at a public hearing held in conjunction with the City's Parks and Recreation Advisory Board meeting on August 16, 2004; and

**WHEREAS**, it is now necessary for the City Council to renew its adoption of these Self-Monitoring Standards for the City's After School Challenge Program; **NOW THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:**

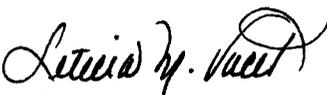
**Section 1.** The City of San Antonio hereby formally renews its adoption of Self-Monitoring Standards for the City's After School Challenge Program as authorized by Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services Regulations 42.041 (a) (14). A copy of said standards is affixed hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment I.

**Section 2.** This ordinance shall become effective on and after August 29, 2004.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 19th day of August, 2004.

  
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EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:   
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:   
City Attorney