

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF JUPITER INLET COLONY, FLORIDA AMENDING CHAPTER 2. ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE V. BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF JUPITER INLET COLONY IN ORDER TO CREATE A NEW DIVISION 2, IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH A COASTAL PROTECTION COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR THE COMPOSITION OF THE COMMITTEE AND FOR THE APPOINTMENT AND TERMS OF OFFICE FOR ITS MEMBERS; PROVIDING FOR THE SELECTION OF A CHAIRPERSON AND VICE-CHAIRPERSON, QUALIFICATIONS OF MEMBERS AND FOR MEETINGS; PROVIDING FOR THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COMMITTEE; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE, A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF JUPITER INLET COLONY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Chapter 2. ADMINISTRATION, Article V. Boards, Commissions and Committees of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Jupiter Inlet Colony, Florida is hereby amended to create a new Division 2. Coastal Protection Committee which shall read as follows:

Division 2. Coastal Protection Committee

Section 2-318. Establishment.

The Coastal Protection Committee of the Town of Jupiter Inlet Colony is hereby established as a permanent advisory body to the Town Commission.

Section 2-319. Composition; Appointment; Terms

The Coastal Protection Committee shall be composed of six (6) members. Members shall be appointed by the Town Commission for a one (1) year term and shall be subject to appointment and/or reappointment at the Town's annual organizational meeting to be held as provided in Section 5-10 of this Code. Vacancies shall be filled by the Town Commission as may be required.

Section 2-320. Organization; Qualifications of Members; Meetings

- A. To the extent practicable, the Committee shall consist of three (3) owners of waterfront properties and three (3) owners of non-waterfront properties.
- B. The Committee shall select a Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson to preside at its meetings. The Chairperson shall be the official spokesperson for the

Committee and the formal liaison between the Committee and the Town Commission.

- C. The Committee shall formulate rules and regulations for the conduct of its business.
- D. Four (4) members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum. A vote of a majority of the members present at a meeting shall be required in order to approve any action by the Committee. All decisions and recommendations of the Committee shall be advisory only to the Town Commission.
- E. The Town shall provide administrative support and assistance as may be needed including coastal engineering and legal services.
- F. Members of the Committee shall be Town residents.
- G. The Committee shall meet as often as may be necessary in order to fulfill its duties and responsibilities.

#### Section 2-321. Duties and Responsibilities

The duties and responsibilities of the Committee shall be as follows:

- A. The Committee shall investigate and research as is necessary issues pertaining to coastal erosion, sea level rise, beach and dune preservation and restoration and other issues that pertain to waterfront properties in the Town as may be necessary; and
- B. The Committee shall investigate and research as is necessary permitting and environmental issues in relation to any potential Town projects; and
- C. The Committee shall meet to discuss and advise the Town Commission concerning any emergency conditions that may arise involving waterfront areas; and
- D. The Committee shall perform such other duties and responsibilities as may be assigned by the Town Commission; and
- E. The Committee shall not expend any funds or authorize any expenditures of funds without the prior approval and authorization of the Town Commission.

SECTION 2. Specific authority is hereby granted to codify and incorporate this Ordinance into the existing Code of Ordinances of the Town of Jupiter Inlet Colony, Florida.

SECTION 3. That all Ordinances or parts or Ordinances, in conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4. If any clause, section or other part of this Ordinance shall be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such unconstitutional or invalid

part shall be considered as eliminated and in no way affecting the validity of the other provisions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

FIRST READING this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

SECOND READING and FINAL PASSAGE this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

TOWN OF JUPITER INLET COLONY, FLORIDA

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Mayor Ed Hocevar

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Vice-Mayor Mark Ciarfella

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Commissioner William "Bill" Muir

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Commissioner Marie Rosner

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Commissioner Sharon Seagren

ATTEST:

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Town Clerk, Ivelisse Chico-Randazzo, CMC