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Submitted By:	Andrew Binz, Parks and Community Services Director
Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting Date:	July 23, 2025
Agenda Item Wording:	Discussion and consider a recommendation to City Council to approve the purposed updates to Division 3 – Parks and Recreation Commission ordinance.
Agenda Item Requestor:	: Andrew Binz
Summary/Background:	The Parks and Recreation Commission (PRC) is currently an eight-member advisory commission with four members serving at-large, two members serving as representatives of the Dripping Springs Independent School District, and two members serving as representatives of the Dripping Springs Youth Sports Association.
	Staff would recommend the addition of one more at-large member. This would bring the total number of PRC members to nine, which is an odd number. The terms would also be staggered in a way where 2 terms would expire and then 3 terms would expire on alternating year. As a transitional matter, the staggered terms would be achieved by rescinding existing appointments and re-appointing commission members for one or two years, which would be permitted under new language that allows City Council to make appointments for "up to" two year terms.
Staff Recommendations:	Approval of the recommendation to City Council of the purposed updated to Division 3 – Parks and Recreation Commission ordinance.
Attachments:	Division 3 – Parks and Recreation Commission ordinance.
	Current PRC List
Next Steps/Schedule:	Place this item on a future City Council meeting agenda for approval.