RESOLUTION NO. 2019-60

A RESOLUTION TO BE ENTITLED:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA REQUESTING THE MAYOR DIRECT HIS STAFF TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE TWO (2) DAYS PRIOR TO THE APPLICATION OF PESTICIDES AND HERBICIDES TO PARKS AND RECREATIONAL OUTDOOR FACILITIES; THAT THE NOTICE BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS LOCATION AND INCLUDE A TELEPHONE NUMBER AND LINK TO THE WEBSITE WHERE THE CHEMICALS ARE LISTED; AND THAT THE NAME OF THE PRODUCT AND LINK TO THE MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET BE PLACED ON THE PARKS AND RECREATION WEBPAGE.

WHEREAS, the City of Pensacola practices Integrated Pest Management in city parks and recreational outdoor facilities to promote a safe and healthy environment for children and visitors; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pensacola is committed to full and timely disclosure of pesticides and herbicides that are used as part of an Integrated Pest Management program; and

WHEREAS, disclosure and safety information of products being applied should be readily visible to City patrons in a timely fashion and prior to such products being applied; and

WHEREAS, this is an operational issue under the purview of the Office of the Mayor.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA:

- Section 1. That the City Council of the City of Pensacola requests that the Mayor direct his staff to provide public notice two (2) days prior to the application of pesticides and herbicides to parks and recreational outdoor facilities.
- Section 2. That the notice be placed in a conspicuous location and include a telephone number and a link to the website where the chemicals are listed.
- Section 3. That the name of the product and link to the material safety data sheet be placed on the Parks and Recreation webpage.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective on the fifth business day after adoption, unless otherwise provided pursuant to Section 4.03(d) of the City Charter of the City of Pensacola.

Adopted: October 24, 2019

Approved:

President of City Council

Attest:

Sity Clerk