MOTION

In order to provide for a safe environment in our children's playgrounds, the City should limit access to children and parents or guardians accompanying a child. Other municipalities have adopted similar laws to enhance child safety and provide law enforcement officers and the public with clear regulations as to who may be present in a children's playground.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Office of the City Attorney, with the assistance of the Department of Recreation and Parks, be requested to prepare and present a draft ordinance that limits access to a children's playground within a City park to children and parents or guardians accompanying a child.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Department of Recreation and Parks post signage at children's playgrounds subject to the new law.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners be requested to consider and act on the proposed ordinance.

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Councilmember 13TH District

SECONDED BY:

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