

RESOLUTION 21-39

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PANAMA CITY BEACH RELATED TO BEACH CHAIRS, PROVIDING THAT WOODEN LOUNGERS MAY BE PERMITTED TO BE STORED ON THE BEACH OVERNIGHT IF MOVED TO ACCOMMODATE BEACH RAKING; AUTHORIZING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO WITHHOLD OR REVOKE PERMITS FOR BEACH SERVICES OR OWNER OPERATORS WHO DO NOT REMOVE FROM THE BEACH OR ORDERLY STORE AT THE TOW OF THE DUNE BEACH CHAIRS; PROVIDING THAT NOTICE OF THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE PROVIDED TO VENDORS OF BEACH COMMERCE; PROVIDING FOR EXPIRATION; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATELY EFFECTIVE DATE.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PANAMA CITY BEACH, FLORIDA, that:

1. Notwithstanding Resolution 18-36, the City Manager is authorized permit the overnight storage of wooden loungers on the beach under the following conditions and in accordance with the Beach Raking Schedule attached hereto as Exhibit A or as it may be amended from time to time.¹
 - a. All loungers must be placed as close to but not on the toe of the dune or native vegetation, or where there are no dunes or native vegetation, are relocated as close as practicable to an existing permanent structure or the line of buildings prior to the commencement of beach raking services
 - b. Loungers shall not be placed on the dune or on native vegetation;
 - c. Loungers shall be stored in a neat and orderly manner;
 - d. Loungers shall not inhibit access to the beach from the nearest public access areas, nor obstruct access on the beach, nor impact native vegetation, nor significantly affect sea turtles.
 - e. Loungers stored in accordance with subsection (a) may be returned seaward of their storage locations following the completion of that day's beach raking activities within 50 yards of their prior location.
 - f. Movement of loungers as contemplated by this Resolution shall be accomplished without the use of motorized vehicles.

¹ Section 7-124 of the City Code of Ordinances, authorizes the City manager to issue permits for the overnight storage of items that are adjunct to a lawfully existing activity generally and for beach businesses or beach services specifically.

2. The Chief of Police is authorized and directed to withhold issuance of permits to engage in Beach Commerce or Limited Beach Commerce or recommend for revocation or suspension permits validly issued, as appropriate, to vendors of wooden loungers who, following two documented warnings for failure to comply with the requirements of this Resolution, violate the provisions of Section 1 of this Resolution.
3. On or before December 31, 2020, the City Manager shall provide a copy of this Resolution to all Beach Services and Owner Operators currently permitted by the City to engage in Beach Commerce to notify them of the City Council's action and intention, and thereafter make available a copy of this Resolution and any amendment to the Beach Raking Schedule to all persons engaged in or applying to the City to engage in Beach Commerce.
4. Unless extended by Resolution of the City Council, this Resolution shall expire on December 31, 2021. To extent any such conflict shall exist between the provisions of Resolution 18-36 and this Resolution, this Resolution shall control.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Panama City Beach, Florida, this 10th day of December, 2020.

CITY OF PANAMA CITY BEACH

By: 
Mark Sheldon, Mayor

ATTEST:


Lynne Fasone, MMC, City Clerk

CITY OF PANAMA CITY BEACH

BEACH CLEANING AND RAKING ZONES

Zone 6

Zone 5

Zone 4

Zone 3

Zone 2

Zone 1

Area	Start	End	Public Access (Start – End)	Cleaning Schedule
Zone 1	Gulf Crest Condo 8715 Surf Drive	Long Beach Resort 10511 Front Beach Rd	Access 24 to 35	Monday 4 pm - Sunset
Zone 2	Twin Palms Resort Condo 10519 Front Beach Rd	County Pier 12213 Front Beach Rd	Access 35 to County Pier	Tuesday 4 pm - Sunset
Zone 3	County Pier 12213 Front Beach Rd	Casa Loma PCB, Inc 13615 Front Beach Rd	County Pier to 50	Wednesday 4 pm - Sunset
Zone 4	Fontainebleau Terrace 14401 Front Beach Rd	Aqua Condominium 15625 Front Beach Rd	Access 51 to 53	Thursday 4 pm - Sunset
Zone 5	Osprey – Gilmore Resorts 15801 Front Beach Rd	Aqua Vista Condo 17155 Front Beach Rd	Access 53 to 65	Friday 4 pm - Sunset
Zone 6	Palmetto – Hughes Resort 17255 Front Beach Rd	Celadon Beach Condo 17757 Front Beach Rd	Access 65 to 76	Saturday 4 pm - Sunset

