

# TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH

100 Ocean Boulevard Golden Beach, FL 33160

#### MEMORANDUM

Date:

April 23, 2025

To:

Honorable Mayor Glenn Singer &

**Town Council Members** 

From:

Alexander Diaz, Town Manager

Subject:

Resolution 3005.25 – Establishing Hours of Operation for the

Item Number:

Town's Beach

### Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Town Council adopt the attached Resolution No. 3005.25 as presented.

## Background:

We are asking the Council to establish a uniform rule within the corporate boundaries of the Town that all beaches within the Town be closed to the public daily between 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. This limitation shall not apply to the use of Beach Pavilion/"The Loggia" regulated under Chapter 22, Article I, Section 22-9 of the Town Code, which shall be governed by a separate set of rules and regulations.

As part of our ongoing efforts to enhance public safety and preserve the peaceful enjoyment of our beachfront, the Town has installed retractable fencing systems on the seaside of Ocean Boulevard at both the north and south ends of Town. These systems are part of our newly adopted security protocols to better manage access to the shoreline during designated off-hours.

Effective immediately, the retractable fences will be deployed daily between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. During these hours, the Beach Pavilion and beach access points will be closed to the public. This measure is intended

- Prevent unauthorized access after hours
- Reduce noise disturbances and safety concerns during nighttime hours
- Safeguard the privacy and security of our residents
- Assist in the enforcement of beach regulations

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These hours were established through formal resolution by the Town Council and may be adjusted in the future based on community feedback and operational needs.

## Fiscal Impact:

None

#### TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 3005.25**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING HOURS OF OPERATION FOR BEACHES WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWN; PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Chapter 22, Parks and Recreation, of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Golden Beach (the "Town") establishes rules and regulations governing the use of public recreation areas, including beaches within the Town; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 22, Article III, Rules and Regulations, Section 22-79, the Town Council may establish rules and regulations specifically regarding hours of operation for all Parks and Recreation facilities, including beaches; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the residents of the town to establish specific hours of operation for the use of the beaches within the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Recitals Adopted</u>. Each of the above stated recitals are hereby adopted, confirmed, and incorporated herein.

Section 2. Limitation on Hours. The Town Council hereby establishes as a uniform rule within the corporate boundaries of the Town that all beaches within the Town be closed to the public between the hours of 10:00 pm and 6:00 am each day. This limitation shall not apply to the use of Beach Pavilion/"The Loggia" regulated under Chapter 22, Article I, Section 22-9 of the Town Code, which shall be governed by a separate set of rules and regulations.

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<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Violations and Enforcement.</u> Any person violating the rule adopted herein shall be subject to all enforcement remedies and penalties applicable under Chapter 22, including expulsion pursuant to Section 22-5.

Section 4. Posting. The Town Manager is hereby authorized to post notices of this rule at all points of public access to the beaches within the Town.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Effective Date.</u> That this Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

The Motion to adopt the foregoing Resolution was offered by <u>Vice Mayor Lusskin</u>, seconded by <u>Councilmember Mendal</u> and on roll call the following vote ensued:

Mayor Glenn Singer	<u>Aye</u>
Vice Mayor Judy Lusskin	Aye
Councilmember Jessie Mendal	Aye
Councilmember Bernard Einstein	Aye
Councilmember Kenneth Bernstein	Aye

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach, Florida, this 23rd day of April 2025.

MAYOR GLENN SINGER

ATTEST:

LISSETTE PEREZ TOWN CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

STEPHEN J. HELFMAN TOWN ATTORNEY

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