## CITY OF ST. JOHNS

## PARK RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. No person shall obstruct any walk or drive in any park or playground and no person shall inure, mar or damage in any manner, any monument, ornament, fence, bridge, seat, tree, fountain, shrub, flower, playground equipment, fire-places, or other public property within or pertaining to said parks.
- 2. Alcohol may not be possessed, consumed or dispensed in any City Park except as authorized by the City Manager or City Commission through the issuance of a Special Events Alcohol Use Agreement.
- 3. No person shall place or deposit any garbage, glass, tin cans, paper, or miscellaneous waste in any park or playground except in containers provided for that purpose.
- 4. No baseball, football, or softball throwing, or other violent or rough exercises or play shall be engaged in, in any public park or other public place, except in areas designated therefore by the City Manager.
- 5. No person shall operate a motor vehicle, automobile, motorcycle, trail bike, mini-bike, all-terrain vehicle or other motor driven off-road vehicle within the limits of the City parks except on roadways designated for vehicular traffic or designated parking areas. All such vehicles operated on park roadways must be legally registered and licensed.
- 6. Snowmobiles may not be operated within any of the City parks of the City of St. Johns.
- 7. Reservations for tables or space in the pavilion must be made in advance through the St. Johns City Offices.
- 8. Destruction of any sign, guide post, or defacing the walls of any building or destroying property of any kind is unlawful. This includes the peeling of bark, carving, and chopping of trees, shrubs, plants, or other injuries.
- 9. To carry or have firearms in the park is unlawful.
- 10. Dogs must not be allowed to run loose in the park.
- 11. All vending or peddling in the park is prohibited without express permission from the City Commission.

  Delivery of supplies ordered may be made by regular dealers or farmers.
- 12. Building or starting fires is prohibited except in those receptacles provided for same. Don't leave fires burning in the park.
- 13. Automobiles and other vehicles must be driven only on the roadways and parked in spaces designated for that purpose or not more than two car lengths from roadway in picnic area. Cars must not be driven or parked on the picnic grounds or children's playgrounds.
- 14. Automobiles, motorcycles, and bicycles must yield to pedestrian use of roadways at all times.
- 15. Disorderly conduct in the way of drunkenness, vile language, fighting, or personal exposure is prohibited.
- 16. Park facilities are not available for use after 10:30 p.m. and park is to be closed at that hour.
- 17. There shall be no use of tobacco products on the grounds or within the facilities of any City park unless a designated, posted "Tobacco Use Area" has been established. In that instance tobacco use must be confined to the designated area.
- 18. The City Manager is hereby empowered to make such rules and regulations subject to the approval of the City Commission, pertaining to the conduct and use of parks and public grounds as are necessary to administer the same and to protect public property and the safety, health, morals, and welfare of the public, and no person shall fail to comply with such rules and regulations.

Approved by the St. Johns City Commission at a regular meeting held on December 10, 2012.

Dana C. Beaman, Mayor

Mindy J. Seavey, City Clerk