

City of Lafayette

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PARK RESERVATION REQUEST

A deposit of \$100.00 must be submitted at the time of application, \$50.00 of which is refundable. The fee, or any part of it, may be waived for any applicant that is a government or non-profit agency. A signed copy of this permit must be posted or in the applicants possession while the park is in use. Lafayette Municipal Code (sections 3.396 and 3.397)

NAME: _____

GROUP OR AGENCY: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

1. PARK REQUESTED:

JOEL PERKINS PARK – 7TH STREET & JEFFERSON STREET

COMMONS PARK – 2ND STREET & ADAMS STREET

TERRY PARK – MADISON STREET & PARK AVENUE

2. DATE(S) REQUESTED: _____

3. TIME: _____

4. TYPE OF FUNCTION OR USE:

PRIVATE (Please explain): _____

FUNDRAISER FOR: _____

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY: _____

OTHER (Please explain): _____

5. NUMBER OF PEOPLE ATTENDING: _____

6. AREA REQUESTED: _____

7. TENT CANOPY OTHER (Please explain): _____
WILL BE USED FOR THIS FUNCTION.

Signature of Responsible Party

Date

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

THIS PERMIT IS ___ APPROVED ___ DENIED REASON: _____

BY: _____ DATE: _____ DEPOSIT: \$ _____

AMOUNT WAIVED \$ _____ REIMBURSED ON: _____ INITIALS: _____

PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES RULES AND REGULATIONS

5.550 Definitions. For purposes of this Ordinance, "Park" shall mean any publicly owned real property under the jurisdiction of the City, whether or not located within the corporate limits of the City, and designated for park or recreational purposes.

5.555 General Rules.

(1) **Park Hours.** All Parks shall open at sunrise and close one hour after sunset, unless otherwise specifically authorized by the City. Unless otherwise authorized by the City Administrator or designee, no person shall use or occupy a Park at a time other than the hours during which it is open.

(2) Indecent, Disorderly or Disruptive Conduct.

(a) No person shall engage in act of sexual intercourse, deviate sexual intercourse, or sexual contact, as such terms are defined by ORS 163.305, in any Park, or in any place visible from a Park.

(b) No person shall masturbate, urinate, defecate, or engage in a display of nudity in any Park, or in a place visible from a Park. For purposes of this Ordinance, "nudity" means uncovered, or less than opaquely covered, post-pubertal human genitals, pubic areas, the post-pubertal human female breast below a point immediately above the top of the areola, or the covered human male genitals in a discernibly turgid state. Nothing in this provision shall be interpreted as prohibiting the breast-feeding of a child in public, pursuant to ORS 109.001. *[Amended by Ord 551 on October 24, 2002]*

(c) No person shall cause, or attempt to cause, any public disturbance or unauthorized demonstration in any Park. For purposes of this Ordinance, public disturbance shall include, but shall not be limited to, disorderly conduct as defined in ORS 166.025; intimidation as defined in ORS 166.155; and harassment as defined by ORS 166.065.

(3) **Excessive Noise.** No person shall create noise or operate a noise-producing device, address system or instrument in a manner that is reasonably likely to disturb others in the peaceful enjoyment of a Park, recreation area, or park program.

(4) **Dangerous Devices.** No person shall possess a loaded firearm on any Park property unless permitted or authorized to do so by law. With the exception of law enforcement or military personnel acting in their official capacity, no person shall use, possess, or discharge any explosive device, firearm or other weapon, fireworks, or any other device or substance that could cause harm to persons or property within or near any Park. "Weapons" shall include, but shall not be limited to, B-B guns, air guns, slingshots, or other devices primarily designed for the purpose of projecting a projectile.

(5) **Prohibited Sports Equipment.** No person shall throw or propel any discus, shot-put, javelin, golf ball, arrow, boomerang, or other object that could cause physical harm to persons or property. Baseball shall be limited to areas specifically identified by the City for such purpose.

(6) **Use of Property and Materials.** No person shall deface, destroy, damage, or remove any City facility, amenity, or other improvement, or cause excessive waste of any City-provided materials or supplies. Park benches, picnic tables, and other equipment shall be used only for the purposes for which they are intended. Any equipment moved for legitimate use shall be replaced by the user in its original location.

(7) **Garbage and Litter.** No person shall deposit, dump, place, or leave any rubbish, garbage, litter or refuse of any type in any Park, except in receptacles provided for such purposes.

(8) **Alcohol.** No person shall possess, distribute or sell in any Park any alcoholic beverage, except as authorized by proper State and City permits. The City may require a certificate of insurance for such an activity. Use or possession of alcohol by anyone under the age of 21 is prohibited. *[Amended by Ord 551 on October 24, 2002]*

(9) Vehicles.

(a) Unless by special permit of the City, no person shall operate a motor vehicle, except a City maintenance vehicle, within any Park except on roadways and parking areas specifically designated for this purpose.

(b) No person shall operate a vehicle carelessly or at an excessive speed, or in such a manner as to endanger the rights or safety of others.

(c) No motor vehicle shall be parked within a Park at times outside the posted hours for Park use without written permission of the City Administrator or designee.

(d) No motor vehicle shall be washed or repaired in a Park.

(10) Bicycles, Skateboards, and Fuel-Powered Devices.

(a) Bicycles and skateboards may be operated in a Park only on paths or other areas posted for such use. Bicycles and skateboards shall yield to pedestrians, and shall not be operated in a manner that could be unsafe to any Park user or damaging to Park property or equipment.

(b) No person shall operate, or permit to be operated, any gasoline or fuel-powered model airplane, toy automobile, or motor-driven cart or other toy vehicle in any City Park, without authorization of the City Administrator or designee.

(11) **Natural Resources.** No person shall pick, cut, remove or mutilate any vegetation, mineral or other natural resource in any Park, except by written authorization of the City Administrator or designee. Digging in any Park is prohibited. Use of metal detectors shall be limited to locating objects on top of the ground.

(12) **Wild Animals.** Except as authorized by the City, no person shall pursue, hunt, trap, molest, harm, capture or remove any wild bird or animal in a Park.

(13) **Domestic Animals.** Unless otherwise specifically authorized by the City, any domestic animal brought into a Park shall be kept on a leash and under the control of its owner at all times. Owners are responsible for removing animal waste. Horses are prohibited in any Park, except on marked trails designated for equestrian use, or on public streets or parking lots.

(14) **Fire.** Open flames and charcoal briquettes are prohibited in all Parks and recreation areas, except in areas specifically dedicated for this purpose, or by written permission of the City Administrator or designee. Fires must be fully extinguished by the person igniting the fire before such person leaves the immediate area of the fire.

(15) **Camping.** Except with written authorization of the City Administrator or designee, no person shall camp overnight in any Park, nor erect any tent or other portable structure within any park.

(16) **Sales, Solicitations, and Distribution of Materials.** Unless authorized by the City Administrator or designee in writing, no person shall sell or expose for sale any merchandise, article, or thing; or solicit any collection, donation, or charge; or distribute materials or literature in any Park.