

Chapter 21

PARKS AND RECREATION

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Sec. 21-01. Jurisdiction over parks.

All lands in the city which have been or are hereafter designated or dedicated as public parks or playgrounds shall be under the jurisdiction of the parks, recreation and forestry committee and shall be administered by the parks, and recreation department.

(Code 1982, § 19.01)

Sec. 21-02. Hours of use of Wildwood Park regulated.

(1) Purpose. This section is hereby declared to be necessary for the protection of the safety, health, welfare and morals of the residents of the city.

(2) Regulations. All parks, including all parking lots and park drives therein, excepting public streets, shall remain open daily to the public only between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 10:30 p.m. of each day except when closed by the parks and recreation department to perform maintenance work or provide security to the zoo animal areas, and the director of parks and recreation is authorized to post appropriate signs giving notice thereof. It is unlawful for any person, other than city personnel conducting city business thereon, to occupy or be present in a park during the hours the park is not open to the public. Except as authorized and approved by the director of parks and recreation and the policies and procedures adopted pursuant to this section, such prohibition shall not apply to athletic facilities, regularly scheduled athletic events authorized and approved by the director of parks and recreation, and public celebrations or events authorized or sponsored by the city.

(3) Rentals. The parks and recreation director may, upon request by a party renting the Wildwood Station park shelters or other facilities under his control, allow persons to be in the immediate area until 12:00 midnight.

(Code 1982, § 19.02)

Sec. 21-03. Use of Wildwood Park waters regulated.

No person shall use any of the waters located in Wildwood Park for boating, swimming, ice fishing or wind surfing purposes at any time.

(Code 1982, § 19.03)

Sec. 21-04. Restriction of certain motor vehicles in portions of Wildwood Park.

No person shall operate or park any motor vehicle, trailer or other similar object having a gross weight of three tons or more on that certain city park road which connects South Maple Avenue with Praschak Wayside Road.

(Code 1982, § 19.04)

Sec. 21-05. Camping area parking limits.

(1) Restricted. No person shall park any vehicle, trailer, mobile home or similar camping equipment for a period exceeding 72 hours in or on any city-operated campground without a permit therefor.

(2) Camping area fees. Before any person parks any vehicle or equipment as allowed in subsection (1) of this section on any public campground he or she shall pay such camping fee as has been established by the parks, recreation and forestry committee.

(Code 1982, § 19.05)

Sec. 21-06. Public swimming places.

(1) Provision of Wisconsin Administrative Code adopted. Chapter HFS 172 and ILHR 90 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code, containing rules of the department of health and (social service) family services and the department of (industry, labor and human relations) commerce pertaining to construction, safety, maintenance and operation of public swimming pools and swimming places, are hereby adopted by reference and made a part of this chapter with the same force and effect as though set out in full in this chapter.

(2) Inspection program. The county health officer shall conduct the inspection program required by the provisions of the Wisconsin Administrative Code referred to in subsection (1) of this section.

(Code 1982, § 19.06)

Sec. 21-07. Penalty.

Any person found to be in violation of the provisions of this chapter shall be subject to a penalty as provided in section 1-05 of this Code.

(Code 1982, § 19.10)