

ORDINANCE NO. 37

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR COUNTY PARK AREAS IN ADDITION TO THOSE CONTAINED IN ORDINANCE NO. 25, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

The County of Lincoln, by its Board of Commissioners, ordains that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation, in or upon any lands designated by Lincoln County as County Parks or Recreational Areas to:

- (1) To build, light, or maintain any fire except in a stove, pit or fireplace especially designated for such purpose, provided, however, that portable gas, gasoline, charcoal, and oil camp stove may be used within said park if in a safe operating condition.
- (2) To leave unattended any fire built, lighted, or maintained by himself.
- (3) To discharge any firearm, slingshot, arrow, air, CO², or spring actuated rifle or pistol, or other similar device, except in areas designated for such activity.
- (4) To throw rocks, sticks, or other objects, which may endanger the safety of any other person within said area.
- (5) To dive, swim, or engage in any water activity in an unsafe manner.
- (6) To in any manner pursue, hunt, trap, or molest any bird or animal.
- (7) To pick, mutilate, dig or remove any plant, living or dead, or any way deface, mutilate, burn, destroy or defile any tree or plant within the limits of such areas.

- (8) To alter, deface, mutilate or destroy any trail, road, parking lot, bridge, fence, building, sign, barrier, or other facility or structure.
- (9) To dig up or remove any soil, stones, rocks, or other substances whatever, make any excavation, or lay or set off any blast or cause or assist therein.
- (10) To create or erect signs, markers, or inscriptions of any type without written authority first had and obtained.
- (11) To dump household or commercial garbage brought from lands outside the park or recreational area.
- (12) To use abusive, threatening, boisterous, vile, obscene, or indecent language or gestures.
- (13) To operate radios, television, musical instruments, and other noise-producing devices, or otherwise cause unnecessary sound in such a manner and at such times so as to disturb other persons.
- (14) To cause, attempt to cause, or bring about any public demonstrations or disturbances, or in any way create a public nuisance.
- (15) To park any truck, trailer, or other vehicle in any area other than an area specifically designated for such purposes.
- (16) To drive a vehicle at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent, having due regard for traffic, surface and strength of roadways, hazards at intersections and other conditions then existing. The maximum speed limit on all interior county park roads, drives, and parking lots shall be 15 miles per hour, unless otherwise posted.
- (17) To drive a motor vehicle on any walk, path, trail, service road or other area, unless said walk, path, trail, service road, or area has been officially designated for use by motor vehicles.

- (18) To keep or permit in such area any dog or other pet, unless kept in a vehicle or on a leash.
- (19) To ride, drive, lead or keep a saddle horse, or other animal except on such roads, trails, or areas as are especially designated for that purpose.
- (20) To deposit any rubbish, garbage, glass or other litter except in receptacles designated for that purpose.
- (21) To dispose of hand and dishwater other than in the receptacles provided for that purpose, or to dump human waste in these receptacles.
- (22) To wash any clothing or other materials, or clean any fish in a lake or stream, or in any way pollute or defile any stream, spring, well or lake.
- (23) To camp overnight, either in a tent, trailer, mounted camper, or motor vehicle except in areas specifically designated as public campgrounds. In such designated camping areas, residences shall be limited to ten (10) consecutive days in any park.
- (24) To pitch tents and park travel trailers or other camping equipment in places other than those provided for such purposes.
- (25) To fail to occupy the camp unit during the first night after camping equipment has been set up unattended for more than 24 hours thereafter.
- (26) To depart from the camp unit before removing all camping equipment and cleaning up camp unit.
- (27) No dog, pet, or animal shall be permitted in a park area except that he be on a leash, the maximum length of which is ten (10) feet.

The foregoing shall be in addition to all rules and regulations in Ordinance No. 25 (now renumbered as Ordinance No. 28) or any other Order or Ordinance.

Any violation of any rule or regulation pertaining to County forests, parkgrounds, campsites or recreation areas shall be punished in accordance with ORS 275.350 and ORS 275.990.

An emergency is hereby declared to exist in the Lincoln County Parks, and it is deemed to be in the public interest that the provisions contained herein be deemed in force and effect from the date of this Ordinance's passage.

DATED this 18th day of May, 1976.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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