

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF COTTAGE GROVE, WISCONSIN
Adopted pursuant to Sec. 25.01 of the Town of Cottage Grove Code

Title: Regulated Use of Public Parks

Code Section(s) created, amended, or repealed	<u>section 10.05</u>
Presented to Board by	<u>Town Clerk</u>
Committee Review by	<u>None</u>
Date(s) Public Hearing(s) held (if required)	<u>March 15, 2010</u>
Date adopted	<u>March 15, 2010</u>
Vote	<u>5-0</u>
Date of posting of adoption of ordinance	<u>3-19-2010</u>
Date of publication of adoption of ordinance	<u>N/A</u>

The Town Board of the Town of Cottage Grove does ordain as follows: TCG Ord. Section 10.01 entitled "Regulated Traffic in Public Parks" is hereby amended to read as follows:

10.01 REGULATED TRAFFIC IN USE OF PUBLIC PARKS

(1) PROHIBITED ACTS

(a) No person shall operate, or park a vehicle in a public park within the town limits, outside of a designated right-of-way established for such use, without first obtaining written permission from the town chair, or any person so designated by the chair. For purposes of this ordinance, the term vehicle includes, but is not limited to: agricultural equipment, all-terrain vehicles, mopeds, motor vehicles, motorcycles and snowmobiles.

(b) No person may ride, lead, or fail to prevent a horse from being in any public park within the town limits; contrary to a posted notice.

(c) No organized event shall take place in a public park within the town limits without permission of the town board. This includes, but is not limited to, competitive sport games or practice sessions, parties, etc. and the placing of any structure (e.g. goals, tent, portable toilet, etc.) in a public park. An administrative fee, set by resolution of the town board, shall be paid to the town treasurer prior to town board's consideration of any organized event. Upon approval of the event, the event organizers shall be required to sign a hold harmless agreement to indemnify the town. At the town board's discretion, a security deposit may be required from the organizers of the event, which will be returned after the event provided the town does not have any expenses relating to clean-up or repair as a result of the event.

(2) PENALTY FOR VIOLATION

Violations of this ordinance shall be punishable as class B forfeitures, under s. TCG 25.04.

(3) EFFECTIVE DATE

This section shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Adopted this 15th day of March, 2010, by a vote of 5 for, 0 against, and 0 abstain.

TOWN OF COTTAGE GROVE

Kris Hampton
Kris Hampton, Town Chair

Approved as to form as of this
_____ day of _____, 2010.

ANDERSON & KENT, S.C.

ATTEST:

Kim Banigan
Kim Banigan, Town Clerk

Constance L. Anderson
Cottage Grove Town Attorney