

ORDINANCE NO. OR 13-314

ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE, GEORGIA RELATING TO GENERAL PARK REGULATIONS SO AS TO ALLOW ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AT CITY SPONSORED EVENTS; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Ordinance. That Title 7, Chapter 7.08, Section 7.08.010, Subsection (A) of the current Stockbridge Municipal Code be deleted, and a new Title 7, Chapter 7.08, Section 7.08.010, Subsection (A) be added to the Stockbridge Municipal Code, Stockbridge, Georgia, so as to read as follows:

SECTION 7.08.010 – General Park Regulations.

A. Generally. The following regulations shall govern activities (“specified activities”) in the parks and recreational areas, exclusive of streets, roads, and public rights of way, owned or maintained by the city:

1. No alcoholic beverages except during and at events officially sponsored by the city;
2. No pets;
3. No vehicles;
4. No motor bikes;
5. No bicycles or tricycles;
6. No skateboards;
7. No go carts;
8. No scooters;
9. No loitering in parked cars;
10. No fundraising;
11. No soliciting;
12. No battery, electrical, or gas-powered flying objects;
13. Park closed between nine-thirty (9:30) p.m. to daybreak; violators will be prosecuted;
14. Vandals of city property will be prosecuted; see city code Section 11.04.020;
15. Please keep park clean;
16. Warning: area monitored by undercover security.

These regulations shall not apply to individuals who receive a permit or license permitting a specified activity pursuant to other provisions of the city code.

SECTION 2. Repeal. That the existing Title 7, Chapter 7.08, Section 7.08.010, Subsection (A) be repealed from the Stockbridge Municipal Code, City of Stockbridge, Georgia.

SECTION 3. Intention of the Governing Body. It is the intention of the governing body, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances, City of Stockbridge, Georgia, and the sections of the ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention.

SECTION 4. Approval of Execution. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. Attestation. The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this ordinance, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

SECTION 6. Codification and Severability.

(a) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are and were upon their enactment believed by the City Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

(b) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that to the greatest extent allowed by law each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the City Council that to the greatest extent allowed by law no section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

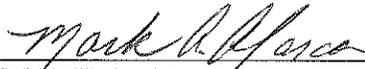
(c) In the event that any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the City Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of the ordinance and that to the greatest extent allowed by law all remaining Sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of the ordinance shall remain valid, constitutional, enforceable, and of full force and effect.

SECTION 7. Repeal of Conflicting Provision. Except as otherwise provided herein, all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the City Council and final approval as provided in Section 3.23 of the City's Charter.

[Signatures on following page.]

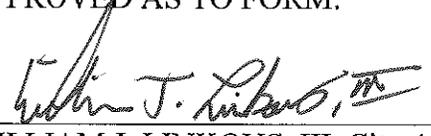
SO ORDAINED this 13th day of May, 2013.


MARK A. ALARCON, Mayor

ATTEST:


RHONDA A. BLACKMON, City Clerk (SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


WILLIAM J. LINKOUS, III, City Attorney
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