

BOROUGH OF SWARTHMORE

ORDINANCE NO. 1070

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF SWARTHMORE ESTABLISHING RULES AND GUIDELINES FOR USE OF PARK AND RECREATION AREAS IN THE BOROUGH OF SWARTHMORE

THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF SWARTHMORE HEREBY ENACTS AND ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Applicability. The following rules and regulations are applicable to all parks and recreation areas owned or operated by the Borough of Swarthmore.

Section 2: Hours. Parks and recreation areas shall be open from dawn until dusk throughout the year. Use at any other time shall be by written authorization of the Borough Manager.

Section 3: Use of parks and/or recreation areas.

- (a) No person, vendor or business entity shall sell their goods, wares, merchandise, food, drink, products, nor sell or render service, in or on Borough park or recreation property unless said business activity is a nonprofit organization, association or civic group authorized by the Borough Manger or the Borough Manager's designee to conduct community events, activities or sporting programs.
- (b) All groups or gatherings of 20 persons or more shall require a permit.

Section 4: Restricted Activities.

The following activities are prohibited:

- (a) Damaging, defacing, destroying or removing any property, vegetation, building, equipment or notices, except in accordance with the park maintenance plans.
- (b) Discarding of trash, garbage or other litter except into containers provided for that purpose.
- (c) Discharge of any type of firearm or air gun, or possession or discharge of any type of bows and arrows, slingshots or fireworks.
- (d) Possession or use of alcoholic beverages.
- (e) Fires, except in facilities especially provided for that purpose.
- (f) Boisterous, immoral or indecent actions or conduct annoying to other users of the park.

- (g) The operation of any type of motor vehicle, including as minibikes, snowmobiles, motorcycles or any vehicle with a motor attached.
- (h) Pets except when kept on a leash not exceeding six feet in length and attended at all times and only in conformity with all Borough ordinances relating to control of animals. No pets of any kind shall be permitted in Thatcher Park.
- (i) Hunting, trapping and golfing.
- (j) Posting of signs except as approved by the Borough.
- (k) Smoking.

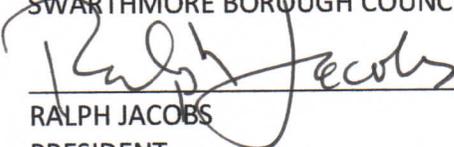
Section 5: Severability. The provisions of this ordinance are severable, and if any section, sentence, clause, part, or provision hereof shall be held illegal, invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision of the court shall not affect or impair the remaining sections, sentences, clauses, or parts of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to be the intent of the Borough Council that this Ordinance would have been adopted if such illegal, invalid, or unconstitutional sections, sentence, clause, part, or provision had not been included therein.

Section 6: Repealer. All resolutions or ordinances, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the inconsistency.

Section 7: Adoption. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its enactment as required by law.

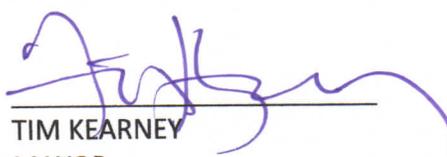
ENACTED AND ORDAINED THIS 8th DAY OF JUNE, 2015.

SWARTHMORE BOROUGH COUNCIL



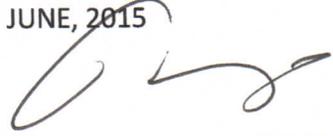
RALPH JACOBS
PRESIDENT

APPROVED THIS 8TH DAY OF
JUNE, 2015



TIM KEARNEY
MAYOR

ATTESTED THIS 8TH DAY OF
JUNE, 2015



JANE C. BILLINGS
BOROUGH MANAGER/SECRETARY