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SECTION 1: GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 1.1 Definitions

Unless otherwise expressly stated elsewhere in this Ordinance, for the purpose of this Ordinance, the following words, terms, and phrases shall have the meanings given herein.

“Alcoholic Liquor” – is defined as provided the Liquor Control Act of 1934 (235 ILCS 5/1-3.05) as amended thereafter.

“Board” – shall mean the Board of Commissioners of the Bolingbrook Park District.

“Camp” or “Camping” – shall include the erecting of a tent or shelter of natural or synthetic material, preparing a sleeping bag, hammock, or other bedding material for use, setting up any temporary or permanent camping equipment including without limitation food preparation equipment, parking of a motor vehicle, motor home or trailer, or mooring of a vessel, for the apparent purpose of overnight occupancy; and/or in connection therewith, the use of District property for living accommodation purposes such as sleeping activities, or making preparations for sleeping activities, or storing personal property, or making preparations to store personal property, or making a fire or using a device to provide heat other than as may be permitted as part of a District event or activity.

“Cannabis” – defined as provided in the Illinois Cannabis Control Act (720 ILCS 550/3(a)) as amended hereafter.

“Controlled Substance” – defined as provided in the Illinois Controlled Substances Act (720 ILCS 570/102(f), 204, 206, 208, 210 and 212) as amended hereafter.

“Executive Director” – shall mean the chief administrator of the Bolingbrook Park District.

“District” – shall mean the Bolingbrook Park District.

“District Property” – is all of the property, real and personal, of every kind and description located within the jurisdiction of, or owned, administered, leased or licensed by, or otherwise in the possession or under the control of the District including without limitation every building, shelter, street, sidewalk, trail, path, park, wilderness or open space, or other public place or Facility and all District Waters located on or adjacent to or flowing over property located within the jurisdiction of, owned, administered, leased or licensed by, or otherwise in the possession or under the control of the District.

“District Waters” – shall include all water located on, or adjacent to, or flowing over land owned, leased or generally administered or operated by the Bolingbrook Park District, including without limitation, all natural or man-made lakes, rivers, creeks, streams, ponds, lagoons, bays, and drainage ways.

“Drug Paraphernalia” – is defined as provided by the Drug Paraphernalia Control Act (720 ILCS 600/2(d)) as amended thereafter.

“Fish” or “Fishing” – means taking or attempting to take aquatic life in or from any District Waters by any method, and all other acts such as placing, setting, drawing or using any device commonly used for the taking of aquatic life whether resulting in such taking or not.

“Ordinance” – means the Conduct Ordinance of the Bolingbrook Park District.

“Organized Activities” – means any planned activity, which is advertised or otherwise promoted, or sponsored by any person, and conducted at a predetermined time and place at a District Facility.

“Refuse” – includes without limitation trash, garbage, rubbish, waste, papers, bottles or cans, debris, litter, oil, solvents, liquid waste, or other discarded material whether solid or liquid.

“Services” – shall include but not be limited to labor, professional services, transportation, leasing or renting any article, object, privilege, or service, giving of instruction or lessons, admission to exhibits, use of telephone or other utilities, or any act for which payment is customarily received.

“Smoke” or “Smoking” – means the carrying, burning, inhaling, or exhaling of any kind of lighted pipe, cigar, cigarette, hookah, weed, herbs, or other lighted equipment facilitating such. “Smoke” or “smoking” does not include smoking that is associated with a native recognized religious ceremony, ritual, or activity by American Indians that is in accordance with the federal American Indian Religious Freedom Act, 42 U.S.C. 1996 and 1996a.

Sec. 1.2 Construction and Scope

- (a) In the interpretation of this Ordinance, its provisions shall be construed as follows: (1) Where the context permits, words in the masculine gender shall include the feminine and neuter genders and words in the singular number shall include the plural number; (2) The word “shall” is always mandatory and not merely directory; (3) The word “may” is always permissive and upon the discretion of the District; (4) This Ordinance is in addition to and supplemental to all applicable state, federal, local, and District laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations including without limitation for the Park District Code (70 ILCS 1205/1-1 *et seq.*); (5) The meaning of any term, phrase, or word not otherwise defined in this Ordinance shall be construed and interpreted in such applicable federal, state, local, or District laws, ordinances, rules, or regulations; (6) The meaning of any term, phrase, or word not otherwise defined in this Ordinance or in such applicable federal, state, local, or District laws, ordinances, rules, or regulations shall retain its ordinary and properly understood meaning.

Sec. 1.3 Repeal of Ordinance

Neither the adoption of this Ordinance nor the repeal hereby of any ordinance of the District shall in any manner affect the prosecution for violations of such ordinance, which violations were committed prior to the effective date hereof, nor be construed as affecting any of the provisions of such ordinance relating to the collection of any such license or penalty or the penal provisions applicable to any violation thereof, nor to affect the validity of any bond or cash deposit in lieu thereof, required to be posted, filed or deposited pursuant to any ordinance, and all rights and obligations thereof appertaining shall continue in full force and effect.

Whenever any ordinance repealing a former ordinance, clause or provisions is repealed, such repeal shall not be construed as reviving such former ordinance, clause or provision, unless expressly provided therein.

Sec. 1.4 Conflicting Provisions

If the provisions of different sections of this Ordinance conflict with or contravene each other, the provision of each section shall prevail as to all matters and questions growing out of the subject matter of that section.

If clearly conflicting provisions are found in different sections, the provisions of the section last enacted shall prevail unless the construction is inconsistent with the meaning of that chapter.

Sec. 1.5 Severability

Invalidation of any of the provisions contained in this Ordinance, or of the application thereof to any Person by judgement or court order shall in no way affect any of the provisions thereof or the application thereof to any Person and the same shall remain in full force and effect.

Sec. 1.6 District Stance on Prosecution / Ordinance Violation

Vandals shall be prosecuted and required to reimburse the District for replacement and/or repair of damage.

Where applicable, the District may pursue all of its rights and remedies available under the Illinois Parental Responsibility Law, 740 ILCS 115/1 *et seq.*

SECTION 2: PROTECTION & USE OF DISTRICT PROPERTY

Sec. 2.1 Park Hours of Operation

No person shall be allowed on park property between sunset each day until sunrise the following day unless otherwise posted or authorized by the Executive Director or when attending an authorized meeting or activity being held in a park building or facility.

No person shall be allowed at any time for any reason on any park site or property that is declared closed by the Executive Director. **EXCEPTION:** Persons and vehicles may pass through such parks without stopping on the most direct walk or driveways leading from their point of entrance to the exit nearest to their point of destination.

No person shall be allowed at any time in any part of any park, which is fenced in and locked.

Sec. 2.2 Nursery Vandalism

No unauthorized Person shall damage, cut, carve, uproot or injure any tree, shrub or flower in any park; nor shall any person attach any rope, wire or other contrivance to any tree, shrub or flower.

Sec. 2.3 Nursery Theft

No Person shall remove any soil, rock, stone, tree, shrub, plant, timber or other wood or material from any District property, nor make any excavation by tool, equipment, blasting, or other means or agency, within any park, except as authorized by the Executive Director.

Sec. 2.4 Encroachment

No Person shall encroach upon District property by constructing fences, play apparatus, or any structure, or planting gardens or shrubs, or by assuming District Property for personal use.

Sec. 2.5 Special Use Permit(s)

No Person over an age posted shall use park areas or playground equipment designed specifically for the use of a particular age group.

Sec. 2.6 Posted Regulations

No Person shall violate rules controlling the use of District Property as posted and/or published.

Sec. 2.7 Installation of Plants / Shrubs / Trees on District Property

No Person shall bring into or upon District property any tree, shrub, or plant, or portion thereof, with the intent to install, except by the written authorization of the Executive Director.

Sec. 2.8 Use of District Property for Financial Gain

No Person or organization shall utilize District property for financial gain without prior written approval of the

Executive Director, which may include but not limited to the exchange of services (i.e. admission fees) or other means as determined by the Executive Director.

This also includes the distribution of Services, including without limitation the giving of instruction or lessons for a fee, upon District property unless he/she has received a Permit, license, contract or permission from the Executive Director.

Sec. 2.9 Concession / Point of Sales on District Property

No Person or outside organization shall use District Property to sell any concessionary items and/or sales on District Property without prior written approval of the Executive Director.

Sec. 2.10 Charging Admission / Parking Fees on District Property

No Person or outside organization shall use District Property to charge admission or parking fees on District Property without prior written approval of the Executive Director.

This also includes the distribution of services, including without limitation the giving of instruction or lessons for a fee, upon District property unless he/she has received a Permit, license, contract or permission from the Executive Director.

Sec. 2.11 Soccer Goal Safety & Education

Pursuant to the Illinois Movable Soccer Goal Act ("Zach's Law"), no person shall install, move, or alter District owned soccer goals as secured by District staff. Failure to comply may result in fines or inability to use District Property.

Sec. 2.12 Lightning Detection

Lightning is the most consistent and significant weather hazard that may affect athletic events, swimming participation and other outdoor activities. As a commitment to the safety of staff and the public while at our outdoor parks and facilities, Bolingbrook Park District has installed the Strike Guard Lightning Detection System that provides early warning of lightning.

The Strike Guard Early Warning System detects, and tracks lightning strikes then provides warning when lightning strikes within a 10-mile radius of the location of the alarm. The early warning system when active consists of the following:

- A combination of a siren/horn and a visual strobe light.
- When lightning strikes have been detected, one long (15-second) siren will sound along with a flashing strobe light.
- This warning will remain active for 30 minutes after the last detected lightning strike.
- While the siren will not continue to sound, the strobe will continue to flash during the 30-minute warning time-period.
- Once the 30-minute warning time has elapsed without detection of a lightning strike, an all-clear will be given by a three, five-second siren blasts and the strobe light will go off.
- When this occurs, it is safe to resume activities in the park.

The warning system will be active from 8:00am to 10:30pm. The system will not activate even if storms are in the area in non-active detection times or over the winter months.

Current Parks covered include Central Park (ACC), Indian Boundary Park, Lily Cache Sports Fields (East), Bulldog Park, Remington Park and Volunteer Park (Pelican Harbor / BRAC).

All Park District and affiliate lead programs as well as non-district activities shall cease and/or be canceled when an alarm activates.

If an alarm activates, park users shall seek shelter immediately. If members of the public in a park or outdoor facility choose to remain outside and ignore the warning, they do so at their own risk.

Sec. 2.13 Community Gardens

These gardens are paid, rentable spaces by individuals to the Park District. With that, no Person, other than the intended user may remove or alter an individual's space without written permission. No Person shall modify in any manner or erect any type of structure on District property without prior written approval from the Executive Director. This includes, but not limited to, cameras, tents, hammocks, or any type of athletic structure.

The Bolingbrook Park District is not responsible for lost or stolen items, along with vandalism to an area.

Sec. 2.14 Construction Permanent / Temporary Structures on District Property

No person shall modify in any manner or erect any type of structure on District property without the written approval from the Executive Director. This includes, but is not limited to, tents, hammocks, or any type of athletic structure, including but not limited to volleyball/badminton nets, soccer goals, etc.

Sec. 2.15 Smoke Free Environment

In accordance with the Smoke Free Illinois Act, smoking is prohibited in indoor spaces under the jurisdiction of the Park District and within 15 feet from entrances, exits, windows that open, and ventilation intakes to ensure that smoke does not enter the area through entrances, exits, open windows, or other means.

SECTION 3: ANIMALS

Sec. 3.1 Animals and Pets

- (a) No Person shall bring or release onto District Property any Wildlife including without limitation any animal the capture or killing which is authorized by the fish and game laws of the State of Illinois, or any other animal, except for service animals (as defined by the American with Disabilities Act) and domesticated dogs or cats, subject to the restrictions contained in this section. Provided, however, that the District may bring or release, or permit another Person to bring or release such proscribed animals onto District Property in conjunction with an activity (e.g., falconry) or event conducted or sponsored or permitted by the District or in conjunction with a zoo, museum, nature center, or similar facility controlled, permitted or licensed maintained by the District.
- (b) No Person shall feed any Wildlife on District Property.
- (c) Except as authorized by the American with Disabilities Act, no owner or agent of the owner having control of any domesticated dog, cat, or any other domesticated animal shall cause or permit such animal to be on District property unless the pet is on a leash which shall not exceed ten (10) feet in length and such Person has in his immediate possession a device for removal, and a depository for the transportation of, animal excrement from such Property.
- (d) All owners or agents of the owner having control of any domesticated dog, cat or other domesticated animal, shall remove any excrement from District property left by such animal.
- (e) No Person shall bring a domesticated dog, cat, or any other animal onto or permit any animal to remain on any portion of District property where the presences of animals is prohibited, except (i) in conjunction with an activity or event conducted or sponsored by the District, and (ii) Service Animals as authorized by the American with Disabilities Act that are specially trained to assist Persons with disabilities when they are accompanying the Person with disabilities for purposes of providing such assistance.
- (f) Any animal found on District property in violation of subsections (a) or (e) may be apprehended, removed to an animal shelter, public pound, or other place provided for that purpose, and disposed of pursuant to applicable laws or ordinances of Dupage County or Will County. The owner or Person responsible for such animal shall be responsible for all costs and expenses incurred or encumbered in the removal and housing of such animal and such charge shall be in addition to and not in lieu of any other penalties provided for in this Ordinance and any other applicable federal, state, local or District laws, ordinances, rules or regulations.
- (g) No Person shall allow an animal, under their control, to chase, harass, wound or kill any domesticated or wild animal.

Sec. 3.2 Protection of Animals

- (a) No Person shall hunt, pursue, hurt, molest, wound, kill, trap, catch, poison, abuse, chase, shoot, touch, throw or propel objects at, endanger in any way, remove or cause to be removed, have in his possession, or release or cause to be released, any Wildlife on or upon District Property unless they obtain permission from the Chief of Police (Village of Bolingbrook) or a Park District Police Officer.
- (b) No Person shall give or offer to any Wildlife any harmful, poisonous, or noxious substance on or upon District Property.
- (c) No Person shall touch, tease, frighten, disturb, or otherwise intentionally interfere with any Wildlife while feeding, nesting, breeding, sleeping, resting, flying or otherwise moving, conducting or participating in any activity on or upon District Property except as directed by the District.

- (d) No Person shall molest, touch, throw or propel object at, destroy, dig up, crush, shake, or in any way tamper with or damage the nest, lair, den, burrow, or home of any Wildlife found on or upon District Property except as directed by the District.

SECTION 4: PERSONAL CONDUCT & BEHAVIOR

Sec. 4.1 Program Code of Conduct

The Bolingbrook Park District is committed to providing a safe, clean and fun environment for all participants and guests. By doing so, patrons are required to act appropriately and are to always be respectful of others when using Bolingbrook Park District parks and facilities.

People using Bolingbrook Park District facilities are expected to behave in a mature and responsible manner. The Bolingbrook Park District Code of Conduct does not permit language or any action that may hurt or frighten another person or that falls below a generally accepted standard of conduct. Directions issued by Park District staff must be always followed.

All participants are expected to always exhibit appropriate behavior. The following guidelines have been developed to help make our programs safe and enjoyable for all participants. Additional rules may be developed for specific programs as deemed necessary by the Bolingbrook Park District.

The Bolingbrook Park District insists that all patrons, participants and spectators comply with the following Code of Conduct. All patrons, participants and spectators shall:

- Only use District property for their intended use.
- Show respect to all participants, staff and volunteers.
- Show respect for equipment, supplies and all District property.
- Refrain from using abusive or foul language.
- Refrain from threatening or causing bodily harm to self, others, staff or volunteers.
- Report any inappropriate or illegal conduct to District staff or Police.

Sec. 4.2 Parks Code of Conduct

The Bolingbrook Park District is committed to providing a safe, clean and fun environment for all participants and guests. By doing so, patrons are required to act appropriately and are to always be respectful of others when using Bolingbrook Park District parks and facilities.

People using Bolingbrook Park District facilities are expected to behave in a mature and responsible manner. The Bolingbrook Park District Code of Conduct does not permit language or any action that may hurt or frighten another person or that falls below a generally accepted standard of conduct. Directions issued by Park District staff must be always followed.

The Bolingbrook Park District insists that all patrons, participants and spectators comply with the following Code of Conduct. No patrons, participants and spectators shall:

- Willfully assault another in the park system or be engaged in, and or abet in any fight, quarrel or other disturbance on District property.
- Make, aid, countenance or assist in making any purpose to the annoyance, obstruction or disturbance breach of peace within the park system.
- Fail to disperse after being ordered to do so by a person with Police authority.

- Enter upon any part of the park system, which is in an unfinished state, under construction, closed to the public, or over or upon any golf course except in the use of thereof in the course for regular play.
- Enter upon any portion of the park system where people are prohibited from going, as indicated by sign or notice.
- Engage in any fraudulent scheme, device or trick to obtain money or other valuable thing in any place in the park system.
- No person shall climb any tree nor climb, walk, stand or sit upon any wall, building, fountain, fence, or railing.
- No person shall remove, injure, or misuse any guard or device placed or intended to protect any tree, plant or shrub growing in any public way within District property.

Sec. 4.3 After-Hours Parking Lot

No person shall park any vehicle in any park, driveway, or parking area of a park except during daylight hours, unless they attend an authorized meeting or other activity at a District property.

Sec. 4.4 Sound Amplification

No person shall play or operate any sound amplification devices, including public address systems, musical instruments and the like, or operate any other energy amplification device or musical instrument without a permit from the District, and no such permit shall be issued or maintained where sound produced by such devices is judged by the Executive Director to be a public annoyance.

No person shall make or cause to be made any excessively loud or unreasonable noise which disturbs the peace. For purposes of this subsection, excessively loud or unreasonable noise is defined as noise inconsistent with or not reasonably attendant to appropriate and customary park and recreational activities, considering the nature and purpose of the actor's conduct, location, time of day or night, and other factors that would govern the conduct of a reasonably prudent person under the circumstances. This section shall include, without limitation, the loud of amplified playing of any type of audio equipment, radio or stereo, noisemaker, musical instrument, or sound equipment. This section shall not apply to the playing of any musical instrument, public speaking, or the amplification thereof, in conjunction with activities conducted, sponsored, licensed or otherwise permitted by the District.

Sec. 4.5 Criminal Trespass of District Property

No person shall:

- Enter or remain in any building or portion of District property where people are prohibited by the District from entering by sign or other notice.
- Enter or remain in any District property when it is closed to the public.
- Climb, walk, or sit upon any sign, wall or fence under the control of the District unauthorized when not supervised by staff.
- Go upon any lawn, grass plot, planted area, tree, shrub, monument fountain, sculpture or structure where access is prohibited by signs or other notice or where access is restricted by fence or other physical barrier
- Enter any District property that is reserved, scheduled or permitted for a specific group or activity, unless such person is invited by the individual or group responsible for such activity unless such person has paid applicable admission and/or registration fees.

Sec. 4.6 Criminal Damage of District Property

- (a) No Person shall mark, carve, bend, cut, paint, deface, affix any sticker or sign to, break down, destroy, damage, alter, change, sever, uproot, dig, excavate or otherwise remove, or attach or suspend any rope, wire, or other material or contrivance to, on, or from, District Property or anything or object on or upon District Property, or otherwise take, damage or destroy such Property, thing or object unless a Permit, license or contract therefor has first been obtained from the District.
- (b) No Person shall climb upon, walk on, hang from or stand or sit on, any plant, fence, structure, or other District Property of any kind except such benches or other property designated or customarily used for such purposes, or recreational equipment installed for such purposes.
- (c) No Person shall bring into, throw, cast, drop, deposit, or otherwise leave or lay down any smoke bomb, stink bomb, or other offensive smelling compound on District Property.
- (d) No Person shall bring any plant or portion of a plant or product onto District Property, except as part of a program, activity or class conducted or sponsored by the District, or as otherwise permitted by the District.
- (e) No Person shall operate or drive any motor car, automobile or vehicle of any kind in, or on, District Property in places other than designated roadways, drives, parking spaces, loading spaces, or aisles, or in such a manner as to cause the same to collide with, run against, strike or cause to strike, injure, deface or damage any District Property or appurtenance of any kind.

Sec. 4.7 Dumping / Polluting / Littering

No unauthorized person shall deposit, dump, throw, drain, or place any coal, ashes, grass clippings, tree or shrub trimmings, paper rubbish, manure or waste substance of any kind in or upon any part of District property, except that the waste or refuse from material consumed in the park.

All trash shall be placed in appropriate trash receptacles placed throughout District property. No trash should be left outside of trash receptacles.

Sec. 4.8 Utilities

No person shall use any District utilities for personal use while on District property unless previously approved by the Executive Director or his/her designee. District utilities are not permitted to be connected by any means to aid in personal use.

Sec. 4.9 Sleeping in Parks / Vagrancy / Tents

No person shall sleep on benches, sidewalks, parking lots, picnic grounds or tables, playgrounds or playground equipment, stairways or doorways of District buildings or other District Property so as to unreasonably obstruct or hinder the movement of other Persons or the use of facilities.

Sec. 4.10 Camping

- (a) No Person shall place, erect, or use any hammock, swing, tent, shelter, or any other type of temporary or permanent, housing or camping equipment on District Property, nor otherwise camp in any manner on District Property, other than as a participant in a program, activity or special event conducted, sponsored or permitted by the District.

- (b) Any Person who violates any provision of this Section shall be subject to a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for a first or second offence within a 12-month period, and a fine of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for a third or subsequent offense within a 12-month period. Each day that a violation of this Section continues shall be considered a separate and distinct offense.
- (c) Any Person who violates any provision of this Section, and who continues to violate any provision of this Section, may be subject to an injunction to enforce this Section.

Sec. 4.11 Public Gatherings (Demonstrations / Parades / Assemblies)

No group shall, in the park system

- Hold or attempt to hold any meeting, assembly, demonstration, celebration, parade, rally, religious worship, or any sponsored entertainment, social, recreational, or athletic event without first obtaining a written permit from the Executive Director, which said permit shall be issued in a non-discriminatory manner.
- Use any portion of the Park District for mechanical or electronic amplification without first securing a permit.
- Use any portion of the park where a permit has been issued to another individual for the same use.
- Enter upon any portion of the park system where individuals are prohibited from going as indicated by a sign or notice.
- Enter upon any part of the park system, which is in an unfinished state or under construction, or over or upon any golf course except in the use thereof in the course of regular play.

This section shall not apply to students going to and from school classes or participating in educational activities under the immediate direction and supervision of school authorities or their agents, a governmental agency acting within the scope of its functions, or normal or scheduled District programs or activities.

Sec. 4.12 Free Speech Zones

Shall any groups form on District property, District staff (or requested Law enforcement) shall move groups to a designated 'Free Speech Zones' as provided by the District. This zone will be set aside on District property for the right to peacefully assemble and petition the Government for a redress of grievances. District reserves the right to request any event to be moved off property if event violates any District Ordinances.

Sec. 4.13 Charitable, Religious, Political, or Non-Profit Activities

- (a) For purposes of this section, charitable, religious, political, or non-profit activities shall include, without limitation, solicitating contributions, the sale or distribution of merchandise, soliciting votes or circulating petitions for or against any candidate for election to public office or with respect to any referendum or other public question.
- (b) Solicitating contributions for charitable, religious, political, or non-profit organizations is permitted for District Property, provided that a Free Speech Permit therefore has been first obtained from the District.
- (c) The sale or distribution of merchandise by charitable, religious, political, or non-profit organizations is permitted on District Property, provided that a Free Speech Permit therefor has been first obtained from the District.
- (d) Solicitating votes and circulating petitions for or against candidates for election to public office or with respect to any referendum or other public question is permitted on District Property in areas open to the

general public, without a Free Speech Permit, subject to the limitations set forth in paragraphs (e) and (f) of this Section.

- (e) No Person shall engage in activity described in subsections (a) through (d) of this Section, in District buildings (including lobbies, entrances, hallways or rooms), or on District athletic fields, or in any other Facility when to do so will interfere with any program, activity, class, function, rental or special event.
- (f) No Person engaged in the activities described in subsections (a) through (d) of this Section shall obstruct or impede pedestrians or vehicles, harass park visitors with physical contact or persistent demands, misrepresent the affiliations of those engaged in such activities, misrepresent what the solicited funds will be used for or whether the merchandise is available without cost or donation, or interfere, interrupt, or engaged in conduct incompatible with the purpose of, any program, activity, function, and/or special event conducted or sponsored by the District.

Sec. 4.14 Loitering

No person shall loiter or remain on District property either alone or in consort with other persons in such a manner that: (1) unreasonably obstructs the usual use of entrances, hallways, corridors, stairways, or rooms designated for specific purposes; (2) impedes or disrupts the performance of official duties by District employees; (3) prevents the general public from obtaining the administrative or recreational services provided on District property in a timely manner; (4) restrict vehicular or pedestrian traffic or restrict free ingress to and egress from District property; after being requested to leave, move, or disperse by any employee of the District, of where the District has posted a sign or signs that prohibit loitering.

Sec. 4.15 Use of Restrooms / Washrooms / Locker Rooms

Every person shall cooperate in maintaining restrooms, washrooms and locker rooms in a neat and sanitary condition.

No person shall deposit objects of any kind other than toilet paper in the toilets or plumbing fixtures of a restroom, washroom facility or locker room.

No person shall use any camera, video recorder or other recording device or transmit visual image(s) in or from any restroom, washroom or locker room of the District.

Sec. 4.16 Public Intoxication on District Property

- (a) No Person under the influence of Alcoholic Liquor, shall enter into, be, or remain on District Property. For purposes of this Section, "under the influence" means affected by Alcoholic Liquor, in any determinable manner. A determination of being "under the influence" can be established by a professional opinion, a scientifically valid test, a law person's opinion, or the statement of a witness.
- (b) No Person, other than the District or its agent, shall sell or deliver any Alcoholic Liquor on District Property, unless said Person has first obtained a permit, license, or contract therefore from the District in accordance with this Section.
- (c) No Person shall distribute, provide or allow any person under 21 years old to possess or consume Alcoholic Liquor on District Property. No person under the age of 21 years old shall possess or consume Alcoholic Liquor on District Property.
- (d) No Person shall bring into, possess, consume, take, use, sell, deliver or transfer any Alcoholic Liquor on District Property without having first obtained a Permit from the District in accordance with this Section,

unless he is in or on District Property where the possession, consumption, use, or transfer of Alcoholic Liquor is permitted, or unless the Alcoholic Liquor is legally possessed in an unopened container stored in the trunk of a motor vehicle.

- (e) Every Person possessing, using, consuming, or transferring Alcoholic Liquor pursuant to this section, shall be subject to and shall comply with the Liquor Control Act of 1934 and all other federal, state, local, and District laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations regarding the possession, use, consumption, or transfer of Alcoholic Liquor.
- (f) Any Person who is at least twenty-one (21) years of age may apply for a special permit in accordance with this Section to bring into, possess, consume, take, use or deliver Alcoholic Liquor on a temporary, short-term basis within the confines of the District on such days, at such times, and under such conditions as the Board or Executive Director, in the reasonable exercise of its sole discretion, may deem appropriate for such use.
- (g) The Board may adopt and maintain from time to time such fee schedules, policies, rules and regulations for the implementation and observance of this Ordinance as it may deem necessary and appropriate in the reasonable exercise of its sole discretion.

Sec. 4.17 Drugs / Cannabis / Controlled Substances on District Property

- (a) Except in connection with a valid prescription, no Person under the influence of any Controlled Substance or Cannabis shall enter into, be, or remain on District Property unless they are following the Illinois State Statutes regarding marijuana and/or cannabis. Possession of cannabis is prohibited in a vehicle unless the cannabis is in a sealed, odor proof, child resistant cannabis container and reasonably inaccessible while the vehicle is moving.
- (b) Underage possession: No person under the age of twenty-one (21) shall purchase, possess, consumer or transport cannabis on Park District Property.
- (c) Except in connection with a valid prescription or except when legally permitted under the Illinois Cannabis Act., no person shall bring into, possess, consume, take, use, sell, or transfer any Controlled Substance or Cannabis on District Property.
- (d) Except in connection with a valid prescription, no Person shall possess, bring into or use Drug paraphernalia, except when legally permitted under the Illinois Cannabis Control Act., on or in connection with any District Property, with the intent to use it in ingesting, inhaling or otherwise introducing cannabis or a controlled substance into the human body, or in preparing Cannabis or a controlled substance for that use.
- (e) Every person possessing Cannabis pursuant to this section, shall be subject to and shall comply with the Illinois state law legalizing recreational cannabis and its limits under the Illinois Cannabis Control Act., and all other state local, and District laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations regarding the possession, use, consumption, or transfer of cannabis.

Sec. 4.18 Fires

No authorized person shall construct, light or make use of any fire on District property, except small, contained fires used for the sole purpose of grilling food when located in designated picnic areas. Bonfires shall be strictly prohibited, unless authorized by the Executive Director, any accompanied by written permits.

Sec. 4.19 Firearms / Fireworks / Weapons

No unauthorized person shall carry or discharge any gun, firearm or weapon, or discharge any rocket, firecracker, torpedo, squib, or other fireworks or objects containing any substance of an explosive nature on District premises

without first obtaining a permit from the Executive Director and providing appropriate liability insurance naming the Bolingbrook Park District as additionally insured.

No person shall carry or discharge a bow and arrow, slingshot, or any type of gun (BB gun, pellet gun, Orbeez gun), or other weapon or instrument used for hunting or target practice.

No person shall throw or cast any stone or missile on District premises.

No unauthorized person shall bring onto park property any trapping device, any incendiary bomb or material, any smoke or stink bomb, any acid or caustic substance, tear gas, any disabling chemical agent, or any inflammable liquid, except charcoal lighter fluid, fuel contained in an appropriately approved fuel container, fuel tank of a motor vehicle, watercraft, lantern, camp stove or camp heater.

Sec. 4.20 Injurious Substances / Missiles

No person shall discharge any injurious substance in the water, air, or upon the ground, or property of any kind in a park.

Sec. 4.21 Vandalism of District Property

No person shall cut, break, climb on, write on, or in any way injure or deface any tree, shrub, plant, turf, surface, or any part of a building, fence, bridge, lamp, post, play or sport apparatus, sign or other structure or property of District premises.

Vandals shall be prosecuted and required to reimburse the District for replacement and/or repair of damage.

Parents of minors shall be held responsible for any financial reimbursement.

Sec. 4.22 Games & Sports

No person shall engage in any sport, game, or amusement on District property where prohibited by the District. Nor shall any person walk, remain, or go upon any portion of District property designated for any particular game, sport, or amusement in such a way as to interfere with the use of that portion of District property by people who

are using the game for the particular sport, game or amusement which has been designated. No person shall engage in any permitted activity in a rough or reckless manner to endanger, injure, or damage any person or property in any way.

No person shall use a golf club, baseball bat, tennis racket, or other device to strike, hit, propel or otherwise throw any object, such as balls or rocks, on District property, except in designated areas, and only as such device is intended to be used.

Sec. 4.23 Golf in Parks

No person shall upon or in connection with any property of the District shall possess, swing, or make use of any golf club to hit golf balls within or into any District property in such a manner as to put those people who are occupying any District property at risk of injury.

Sec. 4.24 Unauthorized Swimming

No person shall bathe, swim, wade, float, splash, or otherwise enter District waters other than at a designated swimming area. Users of designated swimming areas shall comply with all policies, rules and regulations as the District may designate for such activities, including those pertaining to swimming pools.

Sec. 4.25 Boating

No unauthorized individual shall bring into, attempt to launch, use or navigate any boat, yacht, canoe, raft, kayak or other watercraft upon, and exit the watercraft to swim in the waters of any lake or pond located within any property owned or controlled by the District except places as designated by the Executive Director.

Sec. 4.26 Fishing

No person shall fish or bathe in any of the waters of the District except such portions thereof as may be designated for such purposes and under such regulations as may be described by the District.

Ice fishing is not permitted on any District owned property due to safety.

Every Person fishing in District waters shall comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations of the State of Illinois as administered by the Department of Natural Resources and comply with any rule or regulation or restriction posted by the District in controlling the size, species and number of fish that can be taken from a designated body of water. Each fish possessed by an offender in excess of the fishing limit shall constitute a separate violation.

Sec. 4.27 Ice Skating

Ice-skating or crossing a frozen pond or stream is prohibited. Ice-skating is only allowed on any designated ice-rink.

Sec. 4.28 Sledding / Snowboarding

No person shall ice skate, sled, toboggan, inner tube, ski, snowboard, slide, or engage in similar activities on District property except at such times and places as the District may engage for such purposes.

No person shall engage in any such activity in a reckless manner that endangers that person or others, or at a speed greater than safe and proper under the circumstances.

No person shall tow, push, pull, or otherwise propel another person on skis, sled, or other sliding device by use of any vehicle on District property.

Sec. 4.29 Skateboarding / Roller Skating

No person using roller-skates, in-line skates, skateboards, roller skis, coasting vehicles, or similar devices on District property shall interfere with pedestrian use of sidewalks or use of the streets by vehicles, or otherwise act negligently, recklessly or without due caution or in any way manner so as to endanger any person or property. No person shall use such devices on any District property including playgrounds, ballfields, sport courts or where such use has been posted as prohibited. Skating is approved in designated spaces as designed.

Sec. 4.30 Aircraft / Model Aircraft / Drones

The Bolingbrook Park District ("Park District") welcomes all individuals to use resources made available to the community. This Unmanned Aircraft Policy ("Policy") is designed to protect the rights of individuals who are in the park or use park materials or services, to protect the rights of staff members to conduct park business without interference, and to preserve and protect park materials and facilities.

Use of Park District property is governed by the policies established by the Park Commissioners and any applicable rules or regulations adopted by the Park District Board. The Executive Director as the executor of the policy for the Board of Park Commissioners may exercise discretion in determining what use is "in the best interest of the Park" and is authorized to act accordingly, including limiting the use of the park by individuals and/or organizations whose activities interfere with Park operations, adversely affect public safety, or cause public disturbances. The Board of Park Commissioners may modify, amend or supplement this Policy as it deems necessary and appropriate.

Scope

This Policy applies to all visitors to any facility of the Park District and its surrounding properties.

Provisions

As used in this Policy, "unmanned aircraft" means a device used or intended to be used for flight in the air that is operated without the possibility of direct human intervention within or on the device including, without limitation, drones, model aircraft, and model rocketry.

Residents are welcomed to use their unmanned aircraft on Park District property. In order to provide a secure and comfortable environment for all park patrons and staff, the Park District hereby implements the following regulations:

- (a) The Park District asserts jurisdiction over its properties, including the first 200 feet above ground level. The Executive Director may grant, upon due application no less than fifteen (15) days in advance, a permit for use of unmanned aircraft subject to FAA Part 101 for special events, instruction classes, or other functions on a case-by-case basis. A permit shall only be denied to prevent conflicts with other users of Park District property or where such activity would be contrary to the guidelines or regulations of the FAA.
- (b) In no case shall any Person operate an unmanned aircraft:
 - (1) In violation of the FAA rules, regulations and safety guidelines governing such flight;
 - (2) Over or within fifty (50) horizontal feet of the property line of playgrounds, athletic courts or fields, aquatic facility, or any other recreational facility;
 - (3) Directly over any person, group of people or occupied space;
 - (4) For the purpose of conducting surveillance (which is defined as the gathering of images, sounds, data or other information in a manner that intrudes upon the solitude, privacy or seclusion of a person or their private affairs or concerns), unless expressly permitted by law;
 - (5) That is equipped with a firearm or other weapon or with the intent to use the Unmanned Aircraft or anything attached to the Unmanned Aircraft to cause harm to persons or property;

- (6) Whenever weather conditions would impair the operator's ability to do so safely; or
- (7) In a reckless or careless manner.

To the extent that this Policy conflicts with the regulations promulgated by the Illinois Department of Transportation, said regulations shall supersede this Policy.

Administration

Enforcement of the Unmanned Aircraft Policy will be conducted fairly and reasonably. Park privileges encompass access to property, services, and materials.

1. A person who violates this Policy will be informed of the rules and asked to cease the behavior. Generally, except in cases of unlawful conduct or conduct which is immediately threatening to the safety of patrons or staff, a staff member will give a person whose behavior violates any of these rules one warning, and will advise him or her of the course of action to be taken by the Park District should the behavior continue. A copy of this Policy will be available on request.
2. Subsequent offenses, refusing to comply with staff instructions, unlawful conduct, or conduct which is immediately threatening to the safety of patrons or staff may result in the person having his or her park privileges limited or suspended for a period of up to one year or longer, depending on the severity of the offense. Persons whose privileges are limited or suspended in this manner will be required to meet with park staff before their privileges are reinstated.

APPEAL AND REVIEW

A person who feels his or her park privileges have been wrongly limited or suspended may appeal the decision in writing to the Executive Director within 30 days of receiving notification. The decision of the Executive Director will be final.

The Board of Park Commissioners of the Park District will review the policies and regulations periodically and reserves the right to amend them at any time. The Board authorizes the Executive Director to waive regulations under appropriate circumstances. The Executive Director is the chief person empowered to make decisions regarding the availability and use of the park. The Executive Director may delegate authority.

Any appeals for changes to, or exceptions to, any portion of this Policy will be considered. An individual wishing to file an appeal shall submit it to the Executive Director in writing. The Executive Director will respond in writing.

Sec. 4.31 Abandoned Property (non-vehicle)

It is unlawful for any person to abandon any personal property on District property, including, but not limited to, boats, appliances, garbage, furniture, or refuse. In addition to all fines and other penalties for violation of this section, the District may remove and destroy such property and assess the costs for such removal to the person abandoning the property.

Sec. 4.32 Advertisements & Posters

No unauthorized person shall display any placard or advertisement of any kind on District premises; nor shall any

person distribute, cast, or place any handbill, pamphlet, circular, advertisement or notice of any kind, nor post, stencil, or otherwise affix any notice, bills, advertisements or other papers upon any structure, apparatus, or thing in or about District premises except as authorized by the Executive Director in a nondiscriminatory manner.

However, according to the Illinois States Attorney, on Election Day, *and Election Day only*, political signs may be placed on public property (park district property) as long as 1) the location is being used as a polling place and 2) the signs are placed at least 100 feet from the entrance to the building, designated as a “Free Speech Zone”.

Upon approval of the Executive Director, outside organizations may utilize the outdoor “Free Speech Zone” (100 feet from entrance of facility) for placement of materials on a non-permanent basis. Specific dates, times, and locations will be agreed upon between the Executive Director and a representative of the group.

Sec. 4.33 Commercial Photography

No person shall take or cause to be taken any still or motion pictures (including video tapes), make sketches or paintings for commercial purposes or for use in commercial advertising, without first obtaining a permit from the Executive Director. This includes any videos or images uploaded to social media.

Sec. 4.34 Obscene or Indecent Books / Pamphlets

No person shall exhibit, sell, give away or offer give away, or have in his/her possession, in the park system, any obscene or indecent book, pamphlet, paper, drawing, lithograph, engraving, picture, photograph, stereoscopic picture, model, cast, instrument or any article for indecent or immoral use.

Sec. 4.35 Solicitation (Begging / Panhandling)

No unauthorized person shall offer or exchange for sale any article or activity, or establish any type of concession, or do any hawking, peddling, soliciting, or begging, or buy or offer to buy any article or activity, or take up any

collection, solicit or receive contributions or money or anything of value upon District premises. In the circumstance of a special event, outside vendors may be allowed if the following criteria is met:

- The Vendor must sell items related to the purpose of the special event.
- Copy of Insurance naming the Park District as additionally insured with sufficient coverage to protect the Park District.
- Approved written approval from the Executive Director has been obtained.

Sec. 4.36 Gambling / Fortune Telling

No unauthorized person shall play games of chance or use any gambling device on District premises without prior approval from the Executive Director.

Sec. 4.37 Truancy

On school days when school is in session, school aged children are not allowed in District facilities unless accompanied by a parent/guardian or involved in an approved home-schooled environment.

Sec. 4.38 Use of Metal Detectors on District Property

No person shall upon or in connection with any property of the District, bring into or use any device or instrument used to detect metallic objects without prior written permission of the Executive Director.

Sec. 4.39 Indecent Conduct

No person shall commit any indecent, lewd or lascivious act on District property, or utter any lewd or offensive words within the hearing of another person.

No person shall appear on District property in a state of nudity or make any indecent exposure of his/her person or be guilty of any other lewd or indecent act or behavior.

Sec. 4.40 Pools Code of Conduct

The Bolingbrook Park District is committed to providing a safe, clean and fun environment for all participants and guests. By doing so, patrons are required to act appropriately and are to always be respectful of others when using Bolingbrook Park District parks and facilities.

People using Bolingbrook Park District facilities are expected to behave in a mature and responsible manner. The Bolingbrook Park District Code of Conduct does not permit language or any action that may hurt or frighten another person or that falls below a generally accepted standard of conduct. Directions issued by Park District staff must be always followed.

The Bolingbrook Park District insists that all patrons, participants and spectators comply with the following Code of Conduct. All patrons, participants and spectators shall:

- Bathing suits are required in the pool area. Un-lined shorts, cut-off shorts, or leotards are not allowed. Infants must wear a swimsuit over their diaper and rubber pants.
- Please do not run, jump, or participate in rough play.
- All people must take a soap shower before entering the facility.
- Glass, soap, or other material that might create hazardous conditions or interfere with efficient operation of the pools shall not be permitted.
- The only diving allowed is in the diving pool off the diving board. Diving in any other area is not allowed.
- Parents or guardians are responsible for the supervision of their children. Pelican Harbor staff members are on duty to enforce rules and to respond in the event of an emergency. Children under 10 years of age must be accompanied by an adult 18 years of age and over.
- Eating and drinking will only be allowed in concession and turf areas.
- Smoking (of any sort) is not permitted at Pelican Harbor.
- People with open sores, skin infections, adhesive bandages or suffering from an infectious condition will not be allowed in the water.
- The Bolingbrook Park District is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- The Bolingbrook Park District reserves the right to revoke season passes or suspend daily admissions without refunds of individuals for violation of facility rules.
- Personal Flotation Devices (arm floats, flotation bathing suits, etc.) will not be permitted unless they are US Coast Guard approved.

Sec. 4.41 Outside Food at Pools

Food and beverages may be brought into Pelican Harbor, no glass containers or alcohol will be allowed into the aquatic park. Food purchased at or brought into Pelican Harbor may be eaten only in designated areas.

SECTION 5: REGULATION OF MOTORIZED VEHICLES / PARKING / TRAFFIC CONTROL

Sec. 5.1 Electric Personal Mobility Devices

The Bolingbrook Park District shall permit individuals with mobility disabilities to use Electric Personal Mobility Devices (EPMD) in any District property open to the general public, subject to the following restrictions:

- The operator of the EPMD must be an individual with a mobility disability and, upon request by an employee must provide credible assurance that the EPMD is required due to the individuals' disability.
- The EPMD must be operated in a manner that does not compromise the safety of the individual user, other individuals or employees using District property, or cause damage to District property.
- EPMD devices powered by fuel or internal combustion engines are prohibited from all indoor facilities.

If the EPMD is operated at an outdoor District property, the user must comply with the following:

- Keep pace with other property users and must not operate at speeds exceeding 6 mph (miles per hour).
- Operate between authorized District property hours, unless the EPMD is equipped with manufacturer installed headlights visible at a minimum of 300 feet.
- Be driven on the side of the intended direction of travel of any path or circulation route.
- Not to be used in wet or ecologically sensitive areas where pedestrians are prohibited.
- Not to be used in any manner inconsistent with the manufacturer's specifications for safe and stable operation, including the number of individuals transported or the manner of transportation.

If the EPMD is operated at an indoor District property, the user must comply with the following:

- Keep pace with other pedestrians and must not operate at speeds exceeding 4 mph (miles per hour).
- Be driven on the right side of any hallway or circulation route. (where possible)
- Use caution when passing doors and other areas of ingress or egress.
- Not to be used in any manner inconsistent with the manufacturer's specifications for safe and stable operation, including the number of individuals transported or the manner of transportation.

The District accepts no liability for damage to the EPMD, or injury to the operating individual, whether caused by the individual, another user of District property, or any other circumstance, and the District accepts no liability for damage caused by the individual operating the EPMD, or for injury to others caused by the individual operating the EPMD.

The use of EPMD devices by individuals without mobility disabilities, unless otherwise permitted by medical personnel is prohibited.

Sec. 5.2 Use of Vehicles in Parks

No unauthorized person shall bring or use any unauthorized vehicle upon District property, other than designated parking areas or roadways. A vehicle shall be defined as any motorized object including, but not limited to, automobiles, jeeps, vans, buses, trucks, motorcycles, mopeds, dirt bikes, or snowmobiles. Exceptions shall include wheelchairs and authorized Park District and Police vehicles and maintenance equipment.

In areas marked with lines, lanes, or stalls, no vehicle shall be parked or stand except within said marked lines, lanes, or stalls.

No vehicle shall be driven in the park system at a greater speed than posted or five (5) miles per hour where unposted and in any event no vehicle shall be driven at a greater speed than is reasonable and proper, having due regard for the traffic, pedestrians, activities, conditions of the way and area where said driving is being done.

Sec. 5.3 Loading Permit

A loading permit allows vehicles to be driven into authorized parks for the purpose of loading and unloading supplies. The vehicle must immediately be returned to the road or parking lot after loading or unloading. A maximum of three (3) loading permits per year per qualifying organization will be issued. This also applies to authorized, approved park rentals.

Sec. 5.4 Vehicles (Impounding / Liability / Tickets / Towing)

Every vehicle abandoned or parked in violation of this article is hereby declared to be a nuisance which may be abated by any police officer by removing and conveying such vehicle to the vehicle pound. Before the owner or person entitled shall be permitted to remove the same, he or she shall furnish evidence of ownership or right to possession and shall pay for the cost of towing or removal to the vehicle pound, and the cost of storage for each day or fraction thereof in said pound.

Whenever any vehicle shall have been parked in violation of any provisions of this article prohibiting or restricting parking, the person in whose name such vehicle is registered shall be prima facie responsible for such violation and subject to penalty, therefore.

Any unattended vehicle in violation of any provision of any approved Ordinances may be towed at owner's expense at the discretion of the Village of Bolingbrook Police.

Sec. 5.5 E-Bikes / Bicycles

The BOLINGBROOK PARK DISTRICT ("Park District") welcomes all individuals to use resources made available to the community. This Micromobility Device Policy ("Policy") is designed to protect the rights of individuals who are in the park or use park materials or services, to protect the rights of staff members to conduct park business without interference, and to preserve and protect park materials and facilities.

Use of Park District property is governed by the policies established by the Park Commissioners and any applicable rules or regulations adopted by the Park District Board. The Executive Director as the executor of the policy for the Board of Park Commissioners may exercise discretion in determining what use is "in the best interest of the Park" and is authorized to act accordingly, including limiting the use of the park by individuals and/or organizations whose activities interfere with Park operations, adversely affect public safety, or cause public disturbances. The Board of Park Commissioners may modify, amend or supplement this Policy as it deems necessary and appropriate.

Scope

This Policy applies to all visitors to any facility of the Park District and its surrounding properties.

Definitions

The following words, terms, and phrases shall have the meanings given herein:

- “Electric Cycle” means any device with a seat and two or three wheels that may achieve locomotion through human power (pedals), and which has an electric motor to assist with locomotion. “Electric Cycle” does not include a device assisting or accommodating a person with a disability. An Electric Cycle must also meet the following criteria:
 - It must be low speed (an electric motor of less than 750 watts).
 - It must have a maximum speed of less than 20 miles per hour.
 - It must have functional pedals.
 - The rider must be at least 16 years of age.
- “Micromobility Devices” refers to a range of small, lightweight vehicles operating at speeds typically below 20 mph and driven by users personally with no more than two passengers. Micromobility Devices include unicycles, bicycles, tricycles, shared cycles, Electric Cycles (as defined herein), scooters, skateboards, electric scooters, and electric skateboards.

Rules and Regulations

In order to provide a secure and comfortable environment for all park patrons and staff, the Park District hereby implements the following regulations:

- (c) **Protection of Pedestrians.** No person using Micromobility Devices on Park District property shall interfere with pedestrian use of sidewalks or streets, no vehicle use of the streets, nor otherwise act negligently, recklessly or without due caution, or in any manner so as to endanger any person or property, nor use same where such use of Micromobility Devices has been posted as prohibited.

(d) **Micromobility Devices.**

- a. When two (2) or more persons in a group are operating Micromobility Devices on Park District Property, they shall not ride abreast, but shall ride in a single file.
- b. No person operating a Micromobility Device on Park District Property shall cling or attach themselves or their Micromobility Device to any other moving vehicle.
- c. No person shall operate a Micromobility Device on Park District playgrounds, athletic fields, athletic courts, or sidewalks except that children under the age of four (4) years old riding three- or more-wheeled cycles may operate such cycles on sidewalks while under the supervision and control of an adult.
- d. Micromobility Devices shall not, at any time, in any place, be indiscriminately parked on Park District property in such a manner as to interfere with pedestrian or vehicular traffic, or with persons getting into or out of vehicles. No Person shall leave a Micromobility Device on Park District property lying on the ground or paving or set against trees or otherwise in a place other than a bicycle rack when such is provided and there is space available. No person shall move or in any manner interfere with, any Micromobility Device which is properly parked on Park District

property, nor shall any person interfere with, or, in any manner, hinder any person from properly parking a Micromobility Device.

- e. All Micromobility Devices, when operated on District roadways, shall be kept to the right and shall be operated as nearly as practicable to the right-hand edge of the roadway.
- f. No Person shall operate a Micromobility Device on District Property at a speed faster than is reasonable and proper under the circumstances, and every Micromobility Device shall be operated with reasonable regard for the safety of the rider and of other persons and property.
- g. Every Person operating a Micromobility Device on District Property shall obey all federal, state, local, and Park District traffic laws, rules, and regulations applicable to motor vehicles, except those provisions which by their nature can have no application to the operation of a Micromobility Device and except as otherwise provided by this section.
- h. Only Class 1 and Class 2 electric cycles are allowed on Park District trails. By federal standards, an electric cycle is considered a "cycle" (not a motorized vehicle) as long as it meets the following criteria:
 - i. It must be low speed (an electric motor of less than 750 watts).
 - ii. It must have a maximum speed of less than 20 miles per hour.
 - iii. It must have functional pedals.
 - iv. The rider must be at least 16 years of age.

If the person making the request meets all four of the above criteria, then they are allowed to use this cycle on Park District trails. No permit is required. However, that person must follow all posted speed limits and other rules and regulations set forth in the Park District's Code of Conduct.

Administration

Enforcement of the Micromobility Device Policy will be conducted fairly and reasonably. Park privileges encompass access to property, services, and materials.

- 3. A person who violates this Policy will be informed of the rules and asked to cease the behavior. Generally, except in cases of unlawful conduct or conduct which is immediately threatening to the safety of patrons or staff, a staff member will give a person whose behavior violates any of these rules one warning, and will advise him or her of the course of action to be taken by the Park District should the behavior continue. A copy of this Policy will be available on request.
- 4. If the behavior continues, a staff member may require the person to leave the premises. Staff will notify the Police Department if an individual fails to heed staff requests.
- 5. Subsequent offenses, refusing to comply with staff instructions, unlawful conduct, or conduct which is immediately threatening to the safety of patrons or staff may result in the person having his or her park privileges limited or suspended for a period of up to one year or longer, depending on the severity of the offense. Persons whose privileges are limited or suspended in this manner will be required to meet with park staff before their privileges are reinstated.

6. A person who violates this Policy may be asked to provide identification. Refusing to provide identification or giving false information may result in being required to leave the premises or in having his or her park privileges limited or suspended.

APPEAL AND REVIEW

A person who feels his or her park privileges have been wrongly limited or suspended may appeal the decision in writing to the Executive Director within 30 days of receiving notification. The decision of the Executive Director will be final.

The Board of Park Commissioners of the Park District will review the policies and regulations periodically and reserves the right to amend them at any time. The Board authorizes the Executive Director to waive regulations under appropriate circumstances. The Executive Director is the chief person empowered to make decisions regarding the availability and use of the park. The Executive Director may delegate authority.

Any appeals for changes to, or exceptions to, any portion of this Policy will be considered. An individual wishing to file an appeal shall submit it to the Executive Director in writing. The Executive Director will respond in writing.

Sec. 5.6 ATV's / Off-Highway Motorcycles

No person shall drive or operate any ATV or off-highway motorcycle on District property, except under the following circumstances:

- In such areas and at such times as are specifically designated by the District.
- When such vehicles are used by law enforcement officers or District employees or agents for law enforcement or District purposes.
- In case of an emergency.

Sec. 5.7 Drag Racing

For purposes of this section, "drag racing" means the act of two or more individuals competing or racing on District property in a situation in which one of the motor vehicles is beside or to the rear of another motor vehicle operated by a competing driver and the one driver attempts to prevent the competing driver from passing or

overtaking him/her, either by acceleration or maneuver, or one of more individuals competing in a race against time on any street or roadway on District property is strictly prohibited.

Village of Bolingbrook Ordinances and State of Illinois laws reserves the right to deem otherwise where permitted.

Sec. 5.8 Towing

Any unattended vehicle in violation of any provision of any approved Ordinances may be towed at owner's expense at the discretion of the Village of Bolingbrook Police.

SECTION 6: DISTRICT FACILITY USE & SCHEDULING (PARKS & FACILITIES)

- A) Groups and organizations wanting to use District property must apply for a facility / park permit. Permit / facility rental agreements are available at any of the District recreation centers.
- B) TERMS AND CONDITIONS
- a. All District use permits are subject to all Bolingbrook Park District Ordinances.
 - b. A refundable deposit shall be required upon submitting a request for permitted use.
 - c. The Bolingbrook Park District reserves the right to have a designated employee visit any approved facility / park permit for the purpose of supervision at any time.
 - d. The Bolingbrook Park District is not responsible for any accident or loss of property during any approved facility / park permit.
 - e. All fees owed for any approved permit must be paid at least two weeks in advance. Failure to pay by the designated deadline may result in cancellation. No rentals may be accepted or permitted if within two weeks of rental date without written approval by the appropriate staff member.
 - f. Any rentals outside of regular business or District facility hours shall be approved by the appropriate District staff member and paid in full. Additional supervisory fees may be charged.
 - g. The individual requesting the permit, must be 21 years of age and is fully responsible for the conduct of the group and any or all damages incurred during the rental.
 - h. The individual requesting the permit must be present during the entire rental period.
 - i. Requests for equipment use (including but not limited to, chairs, tables) must be made at the time of permit request. Any requests outside of this time may result in additional fees if equipment is available.
 - j. Time used by permitted rental beyond approved permitted time, will be assessed at one and half times the hourly rate, charged by the quarter of the hour. All park permits are charged by day, not hour.
 - k. If the renter does not show on day of rental, renter constitutes a forfeiture of the full rental fee. Any deposits paid will be returned.
 - l. A District current Resident ID is required to receive the resident rate.
 - m. District will provide a full refund of rental fee and all deposits if a “refund request form” is submitted 10-business days prior to the rental date.
 - n. Public Liability Insurance may be required, along with a Certificate of Insurance (COI) naming the Bolingbrook Park District “as additionally insured” with at minimum \$1 million in general liability coverage to protect the Bolingbrook Park District. Proof of insurance shall be submitted prior to final permit approval. The District does not waive any rights to coverage if proof of insurance is not provided. Additional coverage may be required, as requested by a District staff member, for other aspects of the rental.
- C) All District permits will be granted on a first come, first served basis based seasonally on the District’s brochure schedule.
- D) Permit approvals are submitted to the appropriate District staff member for final approval. Approval is at the discretion of the appropriate staff member.

SECTION 7: PARK POLICE SERVICES / ENFORCEMENT

Sec. 7.1 District Stance on Prosecution / Ordinance Violation

Vandals shall be prosecuted and required to reimburse the District for replacement and/or repair of damage per any District approved policies.

Parents of minors shall be held responsible for any financial reimbursement.

Sec. 7.2 Park District / Village of Bolingbrook Police Agreement

The Village of Bolingbrook provides the Bolingbrook Park District with two (2) sworn Village Police Officers to serve as Park and Community Outreach Police Officers to assist the Bolingbrook Park District.

Sec. 7.3 Impersonation of Police or Park Personnel

No person shall falsely represent or impersonate any police officer or park personnel.

Sec. 7.4 Resisting / Interfering with Police or Employee(s)

No person shall resist any police officer or employee in the discharge of his/her duty or fail or refuse to obey any lawful command of any such officer or employee or in any way interfere with or hinder or prevent any officer or employee from discharging his/her duty, or in any manner assist or give aid to any person in the custody of a police officer in attempting to escape from such custody, or rescue or attempt to rescue any person when in such custody.

Sec. 7.5 Fines / Penalties

Any person found guilty of a violation of any Park District Ordinance shall be fined at the discretion of the Village of Bolingbrook Police Department and Village of Bolingbrook fines.

In addition to the fine / penalty provided, any person found guilty of any violation shall be liable to the Park District for the amount of any and all damages incurred by the Park District, including but not limited to attorney fees, court fees, etc.

Revocation of Privileges; Fine

Any Person violating or disobeying any section or part of this Ordinance, or any other District ordinance, policy, rule, or regulation, may be forthwith evicted from District Property, may have his admission rights to District Property terminated, revoked, forfeited or suspended for up to one (1) year, and/or may be fined by local state, or county police in accordance with local, state or county or federal regulations.

Restitution

Any Person violating or disobeying any section or part of this Ordinance, or any other federal, state, local, or District law, rule, or regulation, shall be required to make restitution to the District for damage resulting from such violation(s). The provisions of the Illinois Parental Responsibility Law (740 ILCS 115/1, *et seq.*) are specifically incorporated in this Ordinance by reference for purposes of this Section.

Seizure/Removal/Impoundment of Property

Any property, substance, or thing brought into, utilized, placed, or left on District Property in violation of this Ordinance, or any other District ordinance, rule, or regulation may be removed, seized, and destroyed in the case of property and substances referred to in this Ordinance, or seized and impounded in the case of any other property, substance or thing (including without limitation to Vehicles and bicycles). Any motor Vehicles towed and/or impounded shall be disposed of according to the applicable laws of the State of Illinois.

Non-Exclusivity of Penalties

The penalties provided for are in addition to and not exclusive of any other remedies available to the District as provided by applicable law. The penalties provided for in Ordinance may be imposed or assessed in addition to and not necessarily in lieu of the penalties provided for in Ordinance, and vice versa.