

TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON  
COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

**ORDINANCE NO. 304**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON AMENDING, IN PART, ORDINANCE NO. 226, IN PART, PRESCRIBING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC OF PARKS AND RECREATION GROUNDS AND FACILITIES WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP AND ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED** by the Board of Supervisors of Washington Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same:

- 1) Section 1: Ordinance No. 226 which was enacted on September 24, 2003, is hereby amended by repealing Section 1 of said Ordinance No. 226 with the following section:

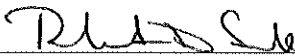
“Section 1. For the Purpose of this Ordinance, the Township of Washington establishes the following rules and regulations:

- a) Recreation facility, including all fields, shall be open from Dawn to Dusk only.
- b) Absolutely no drugs will be permitted on the premises.
- c) Use of alcohol shall not be permitted without the express approval of the Board of Supervisors, unless a waiver has been obtained, a Pavilion Rental Contract will act as said waiver.
- d) No Littering, No Vandalism, No Fighting, No Loitering, No climbing of fences
- e) No pets shall be permitted on the playing fields or ball fields, owner shall always remain responsible for pets
- f) Pets must be always leashed and under owners' complete control
- g) Owners must clean up and dispose of pet solid waste in the appropriate waste receptacles
- h) No golf shall be permitted on the ball fields or playing fields
- i) No abusive language shall be permitted anywhere on the recreational facilities
- j) Use of motor vehicles shall be restricted to designated areas and shall be governed pursuant to provisions of applicable Township ordinances and the provisions of the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code, as amended
- k) No recreational vehicles shall be permitted on the facilities grounds. Such vehicles include but are not limited to; go-carts, minibikes, four wheelers, snowmobiles, or unlicensed motor bikes
- l) All emergencies arising on the premises shall be reported to the Northampton County Communications Center by dialing 911

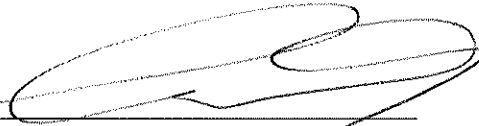
- m) Any child under the age of twelve (12) years old on the premises must be accompanied by a responsible adult, parent, coach, supervisor, or guardian.
  - n) Young Lungs at Play Policy is enacted throughout the entire park grounds; smoking is not permitted on the premises
- 2) Section 2: All other sections and provisions contained in Ordinance No 226, enacted in September 2003, shall remain in full force and effect.
- 3) Section 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, to the extent of such conflict of provisions.
- 4) Section 4: This ordinance shall be placed into effect immediately upon enactment hereof.

**ORDAINED AND ENACTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Washington, County of Northampton, and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, into an Ordinance this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 2023.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

By: 

Robert Smith, Chairman

By: 

Carl Tolino, Vice Chairman

By: ABSENT

Justin Huratiak

ATTEST:

By: 

Kathleen Purdue, Secretary