

**TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON
FRANKLIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 604

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THIS
TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR
CONDUCT IN AND THE USE OF THE SHEFFIELD MANOR
AND MILLWOOD VILLAGE PLAY AREAS**

WHEREAS, the Township of Washington, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, is the owner of a certain play areas known as the Sheffield Manor and Millwood Village play areas in the Township of Washington, Franklin County, Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, Section 232-3 of the Code of the Township of Washington provides for the creation of Rules and Regulations for these 2 play areas; and

WHEREAS, said play areas were acquired by the Township of Washington, for the benefit and pleasure of the residents of the Township of Washington, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, and all persons who might use the same; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Washington, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, and such other persons who shall use the play areas to benefit and have pleasure in the use and enjoyment of the play areas deem it necessary to establish certain rules and regulations applicable to the Sheffield Manor and Millwood Village play areas.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, that the following rules and regulations shall be established for the Sheffield Manor and Millwood Village play areas.

SECTION 1. ACTS AND CONDUCT PROHIBITED

The following acts and conduct shall be prohibited:

- (A) Being in the park from sunset to sunrise, except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board or his representative.
- (B) Disorderly or immoral acts or practices.
- (C) Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages or the use or possession of illegal drugs, or being in the play areas under the influence of illegal drugs or alcohol.
- (D) The use of cigarettes, e-cigarettes, or other tobacco products.
- (E) The throwing of stones or similar missiles.
- (F) The use of profane, offensive, or indecent language.
- (G) Gambling or playing games of chance for money, unless specifically authorized in writing by the Board of Supervisors or their representative and provided that the gambling is in compliance with all state laws.

- (H) Begging and soliciting subscriptions.
- (I) Littering, throwing or depositing of papers, refuse and any offensive substances, except in receptacles provided therefore. The disposal of personal household trash in the play areas receptacles is prohibited.
- (J) Sleeping within the play areas from sundown until sunrise, except at such places or times as may be designated in writing by the Board of Supervisors or their representative.
- (K) Pulling, injuring, breaking or digging of any flowers, fruits, plants, trees, grasses or turfs.
- (L) Breaking or defacing any bench, athletic equipment, fencing, water fixture, trees, playground equipment, sanitary equipment, fixtures, monuments, buildings, pavilions, gazebos, or other structures
- (M) Discharging any firearms, air rifle, air pistol, sling shot, bows, fireworks, or other weapons, except police officers and except such times as may be designated in writing by the Board of Supervisors or their representative.
- (N) Hunting or trapping live animals or reptiles in the play areas, except at times and places set forth by the Board of Supervisors or their representative.
- (O) Driving any motor vehicle in the play areas.
- (P) Operating any unlicensed, uninspected motor vehicle in the play areas, including snowmobiles, all-terrain vehicles, dirt bikes, go-carts and other similar vehicles.
- (Q) Bringing any animals, except dogs or household pets, into the play areas. Dogs and household pets must be on a leash at all times.
- (R) Dog or household pet defecation, unless such dog or household pet owner shall immediately remove and dispose of, in a sanitary manner, all feces deposited by such dog or household pet.
- (S) Defacing and mutilating or otherwise damaging any notices or signs posted by the Township.
- (T) Offering anything for sale, except by written permission of the Board of Supervisors or their representative.
- (U) Post or distribute any banners or posters of a commercial or political nature unless authorized in writing by the Board of Supervisors or their representative.
- (V) Build any fire, except at places provided therefore.
- (W) Capturing, harassment, injuring or killing of wildlife in the play areas unless authorized in writing by the Board of Supervisors or their representative.

- (X) Parking of vehicles in other than designated areas, including motor vehicles of any type or description, as well as bicycles and tricycles operated by human power. No vehicles other than private, non-commercial/non-public vehicles may be parked in the play areas unless authorized by Township Supervisors or their representatives in writing, except vehicles owned by Washington Township.
- (Y) Any dangerous practices and or acts endangering the safety of others or self.
- (Z) The hitting of golf balls and the playing of golf.
- (AA) Any unlawful act.
- (BB) The climbing of any building or fencing.
- (CC) Any mechanical, electrical, etc. system that amplifies sound in any manner; unless authorized by the Township Supervisors or their representatives in writing.
- (DD) Metal detecting and relic hunting except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.

SECTION 2. RESCINDING OF PREVIOUS RESOLUTION

The previous rules and regulations as established by Resolution Number 585 are hereby rescinded by this resolution.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE

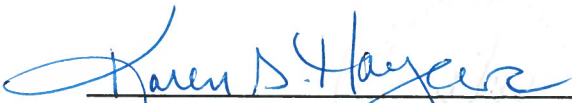
This resolution shall take effect immediately.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these rules and regulations may and shall be enforced under the authority of the Code of the Township of Washington, Section 232-5 and under such other ordinances and laws as may, from time to time, be ordained by the Supervisors or enacted by the Commonwealth, respectively.

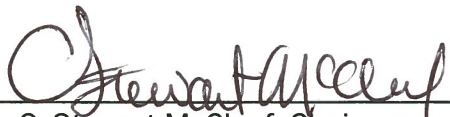
DULY RESOLVED this 9th day of September, 2015 by the Board of Supervisors of Washington Township, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, in lawful session duly assembled.

**WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP
FRANKLIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

ATTEST:



Karen S. Hargrave, Secretary

By 

C. Stewart McCleaf, Chairman

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