

**TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON  
FRANKLIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 649**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
THIS TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHING RULES AND  
REGULATIONS FOR CONDUCT IN AND THE USE OF THE  
ROUZERVILLE COMMUNITY CENTER**

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Washington, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, is the owner of a certain recreational area known as the Rouzerville Community Center in the Township of Washington, Franklin County, Pennsylvania; and

**WHEREAS**, the Rouzerville Community Center was 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 building and grounds to benefit and have pleasure in the use and enjoyment of the facility deem it necessary to establish certain rules and regulations applicable to the Rouzerville Community Center.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**, that the following rules and regulations shall be established for the Rouzerville Community Center.

**SECTION 1. ACTS AND CONDUCT PROHIBITED**

The following acts and conduct shall be prohibited:

- (A) Disorderly or immoral acts or practices.
- (B) Possession, consumption, or sale of alcoholic beverages, unless specifically authorized in writing by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative and in compliance with Pennsylvania Liquor Control Laws.
- (C) Being on the premises or in the building in the state of intoxication due to the use of alcohol.
- (D) The possession or use of illegal drugs, or being on the premises or in the building under the influence of illegal drugs.
- (E) The use of cigarettes, e-cigarettes, or other tobacco products on the premises or in the building under.
- (F) The throwing of stones or similar missiles.
- (G) The use of profane, offensive, or indecent language.
- (H) Gambling or playing games of chance for money, unless specifically authorized in writing by the Chairman Board of Supervisors or his representative and provided that the gambling is in compliance with all

state laws

- (I) Begging and soliciting subscriptions.
- (J) Littering, throwing or depositing of papers, refuse and any offensive substances, except in receptacles provided therefore. The disposal of personal household trash in the recreational area receptacles is prohibited.
- (K) Sleeping on the premises or in the building after hours, except at such places or times as may be designated in writing by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.
- (L) Pulling, injuring, breaking or digging of any flowers, fruits, plants, trees, grasses or turfs.
- (M) Breaking or defacing any bench, athletic equipment, fencing, water fixture, trees, playground equipment, sanitary equipment, fixtures, monuments, buildings, pavilions, gazebos, or other structures
- (N) Discharging any firearms, air rifle, air pistol, sling shot, bows, fireworks, or other weapons, except such times as may be designated in writing by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.
- (O) Hunting or trapping live animals or reptiles on the premises, except at times and places set forth by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.
- (P) Driving any motor vehicle in the recreational area to a speed in excess of five (5) miles per hour, or other than on the roadway provided for such purposes.
- (Q) Operating any unlicensed, uninspected motor vehicle in the recreational area, including snowmobiles, all-terrain vehicles, dirt bikes, go-carts and other similar vehicles.
- (R) Bringing any animals, except dogs or household pets, into the recreational area. Dogs and household pets must be on a leash at all times. No dogs or other pets are permitted on the athletic fields and are not permitted to run loose or after any wild animals.
- (S) Dog or household pet defecation, shall immediately be remove and dispose of, in a sanitary manner by the pet owner,
- (T) Defacing and mutilating or otherwise damaging any notices or signs posted by the Township.
- (U) Offering anything for sale, except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.
- (V) Post or distribute any banners or posters of a commercial or political nature unless authorized in writing by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.

- (W) Build any fire.
- (X) Capturing, harassment, injuring or killing of wildlife in the recreational area unless authorized in writing by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.
- (Y) 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 recreation area or on the premises after hours unless authorized by Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representatives in writing, except vehicles owned by Washington Township.
- (Z) Any dangerous practices and or acts endangering the safety of others or self.
- (AA) The hitting of golf balls and the playing of golf.
- (BB) Any unlawful act.
- (CC) Climbing on any building, the ball field fencing, or onto the roofs of any structure.
- (DD) Any mechanical, electrical, etc. system that amplifies sound in any manner; except inside the building and league games at ball fields. In the case of individuals renting the building, the sound system must be located in the building and the noise from the sound system shall not disrupt the health, safety and comfort of Township residents in the vicinity of the facility. In the case of league games, the sound system must face toward the infield and/or away from residential dwellings and shall not disrupt the health, safety and comfort of Township residents in the vicinity of the facility.
- (EE) Metal detecting and relic hunting except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors or his representative.

## **SECTION 2. FACILITY RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

- (A) The Rouzerville Community Center building and kitchen shall be available for rent. Reservations for these facilities shall be made at the Washington Township office, 13013 Welty Road, 762-3128, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- (B) Rouzerville Community Center athletic fields and related grounds shall be closed to all visitors from sunset to sunrise, except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board Supervisors or his representative.
- (C) The building and parking area shall be closed to all visitors from sunset to sunrise except when the building is in use at which time the property shall be vacated ½ hour after the ending of the event, except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board Supervisors or his

representative.

- (D) All events shall end no later than midnight except by written permission of the Chairman of the Board Supervisors or his representative.
- (E) Noise shall not disrupt the health, safety and comfort of Township residents in the vicinity of the facility.
- (F) Outside park area and the pavilion may be used by all patrons except on days they are reserved or being used by the PMYL.
- (G) Patrons using the premises or the building shall remove their trash and recyclables at the completion of your event.

**SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE**

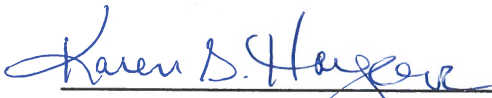
This resolution shall take effect immediately.

**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 232-13 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 17th day of May, 2017 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:**

  
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Karen S. Hargrave, Secretary

By   
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C. Stewart McCleaf, Chairman