

ORDINANCE NUMBER O17-001

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAFFORD, GRAHAM COUNTY, ARIZONA AMENDING THE CITY OF SAFFORD MUNICIPAL CODE, CHAPTER 20.01.020 – PROHIBITED USES AND ACTIVITIES OF TITLE 20 – PUBLIC PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES.

WHEREAS, *Chapter 20.01.020, Prohibited Uses and Activities*, defines activities that are prohibited in City Parks and facilities; and,

WHEREAS, certain provisions of **Title 20, Public Parks and Recreational Facilities**, require further clarification and modification; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Safford, Graham County, Arizona that Chapter 20.01.020 (M) of the City of Safford Municipal Code as contained in Title 20 (M) be amended as stated below and a new Subsection HH be added after Subsection GG:

- M. Consuming/Possession of Any Alcoholic Beverages, Including Beer, In Parks, Facilities and Parklands Operated by the City. Signs shall be posted and notices shall be placed on bulletin boards in the parks, stating substantially as follows Class 1 Misdemeanor (C1M):

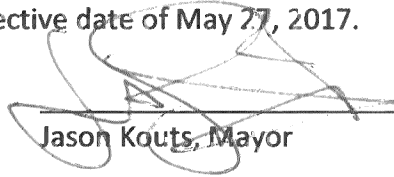
NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE OR BEER MAY BE BROUGHT INTO THIS PARK OR CONSUMED IN THIS PARK. CITY ORDINANCE ENFORCED.

The signs shall be placed in locations to be visible on entering the park.

Any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this section shall be fined not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00), nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each offense, and a separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs or continues. Violations of Subsection M shall be punishable as Class 1 Misdemeanor (C1M) and Subsection HH shall be punishable as a Class 2 Misdemeanor (C2M) both per City of Safford Municipal Code 1.12.010


HH. Smoking. It is unlawful for any person to smoke in any City of Safford Park, or Recreation Facility. For the purposes of this subsection, the term smoking shall include inhaling, exhaling, burning or carrying any lighted cigar, cigarette, pipe, or other lighted or vaporized substance in any manner or form. (C2M)
(Ord. No. 15-003 4-27-15)

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL of the City of Safford, this 24th day of April, 2017 with an effective date of May 27, 2017.




Jason Kouts, Mayor

ATTEST:



Georgia Luster, MMC
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:




William J. Sims, III
City Attorney

CERTIFICATION

STATE OF ARIZONA)
) ss
County of Graham)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing Ordinance Number O17-001 was duly passed and adopted by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Safford, Graham County, Arizona, at a regular council meeting held April 24, 2017 with an effective date of May 24, 2017. A quorum of the Council was present at the meeting.

April 24, 2017
Date:



Georgia Luster, MMC, City Clerk