Town Property Ordinance

Town of Naples

Adopted: June 5, 2013

TOWN PROPERTY ORDINANCE

I. PURPOSE

To govern the use of Town owned properties to assure reasonable use and access by all citizens and to provide for the enforcement of said rules and regulations.

II. APPLICABLE LOCATIONS:

Unless otherwise excluded, these rules and regulations shall apply to all Town owned properties.

III. RULES AND REGULATIONS:

All Town of Naples residents, landowners, and other guests shall obey and follow all posted rules and regulations as well as the provisions of this ordinance.

1. Only a resident or taxpaying landowner in the town, their immediate family and guests, will be allowed to use any of the "Naples Town Beach", picnicking, beach or other facilities, including access to and from Long Lake from ice out to ice in. All persons, including non-residents, shall be allowed access to Long Lake at a designated point from ice in to ice out.

2. All Town properties and all associated parking areas will be closed from sunset until sunrise except designated access routes to Long Lake and Trickey Pond from ice in to ice out and for Town approved meetings or events. The use of Town property for sleeping or camping is prohibited unless approved by the Town.

3. Pets, except for service dogs, are not allowed on the Town beach, Town playgrounds or Town owned buildings. Pets shall be allowed on other Town property only if secured in a vehicle or by leash no longer than eight feet so long as they are under the control of the owner as defined in the current Naples Dog Ordinance. All dog owners shall be responsible for the immediate removal of excrement on all Town properties, including the Naples Bay Bridge Project also known as the "Causeway".

4. Any children under the age of 12 must be supervised.

5. No person shall have in his or her possession any open container of alcoholic beverage on Town property, unless approved by the Town.

6. The use of tobacco products and illegal drugs on Town property is prohibited.

7. No person shall engage in any disorderly conduct or behavior on Town property.

8. There shall be no open fires on Town property unless on Town approved grills and any events as approved by the Town.

9. There shall be no glass containers allowed on the Town beach and boat landing. The disposal of diapers, bottles, cans, garbage of any kind is prohibited on all Town property except in containers specifically designated by the Town for such purposes.

10. No body or hair washing, including the use of soap, shampoo or other cleaning agent shall be permitted on the Town Beach or any Town Boat landing.

11. Watercraft and/or trailers shall be stored in designated areas only.

12. Water skiing, water tubing, or wakeboarding are prohibited from the Town beach or landings.

13. On all rights-of-ways leading to the Town beach and Boat Landings, the maximum speed limit shall be 10 miles per hour.

IV. ENFORCEMENT AND PENALITIES:

This Ordinance shall be enforced by the Town Manager, the Recreation Director or any other designated person authorized by the Selectboard.

Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance and any person who aids, abets, or assists therein shall be punished by a civil fine of not less than $100.00 (one hundred dollars) nor more than $500.00 (five hundred dollars), in addition to actual attorney's fees incurred by the Town and costs. Each individual occurrence or infraction shall be considered a separate violation of this Ordinance.

V. EFFECTIVE DATE:

This Ordinance shall take effect upon adoption by the Town and shall amend and supercede any conflicting Town Ordinances.