General Park System Rules:

1. It is unlawful for any person, in any park or recreation area, to remain between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. without written permission from the City Council. No privately-owned vehicle shall remain during these same hours without a written permit. Any vehicle remaining after 10:00 p.m. without authorization shall be towed at the owner’s expense.

2. Littering and dumping of any garbage, trash, refuse, or waste, except in receptacles designed and placed in the parks for such purpose, is prohibited.

3. Barbecuing/fire ignition is prohibited, except in designated areas.

4. While on park premises pets must be on a leash except in designated areas, and must not pose a safety risk to others. Pet waste must be removed by the pet’s owner.

5. Vandalism and destruction of property on park premises is prohibited.

6. Cutting, picking, or destruction of plant life on park premises is prohibited.

7. Powered model aircraft that interferes with sport games or any other park activities is prohibited.

8. While on park premises, motorized vehicles are not permitted off roadways and are to park in designated areas only.

9. Bicycle and skateboard use on park premises, is restricted to roadways, parking lots, and designated areas only.

10. No person shall peddle, solicit, sell or engage in any commercial activity, except as permitted.

11. Playing games that interfere with appropriate use of rinks or sledding areas, and the use of hockey sticks or pucks in areas not designated for hockey play is prohibited.

12. Loitering in park areas and in park buildings is prohibited.
13. Unruly behavior that disrupts others’ enjoyment of the park or recreation area is prohibited.

14. No person shall possess, carry, use, or dispose of any glass containers on park premises.

15. Unless a permit is obtained, beer and malt liquor are the only permitted alcoholic beverages in City Parks. Glass containers for alcoholic beverages are prohibited.

16. Consumption, sale, use, or possession of any controlled substances on park premises is prohibited.

17. Swimming is prohibited outside of designated areas.

18. Golfing is prohibited.

19. Possession or discharge of any firearms is prohibited, except authorized bows and arrows may be permitted in designated archery areas.

20. Fireworks are prohibited, except by permit.

21. Hunting or trapping of any wildlife is prohibited, except that fishing is permitted in designated areas.