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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 9, CHAPTER 5, SECTION 21 OF THE
MUNICIPAL CODE, ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES AND RULES GOVERNING
CAMPING IN CITY PARKS; REPEALING EXISTING TITLE, CHAPTER AND
SECTION.
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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GARNETT,
KANSAS:

SECTION 1. Title 9, Chapter 5, Section 21 of the Municipal
Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

9-5-21: **CAMPING IN CITY PARKS:**

- (A) Camping shall be permitted only in designated areas, and camping in any other area is declared to be a misdemeanor. The City Commission may, upon written request, permit camping in other locations upon such terms and conditions as shall be specified by the Commission, either in a written resolution approving the same or in a written contract. Anyone camping under the authority of such a resolution or contract shall have a copy of that document in their possession at all times and shall display such copy to any City police officer or park ranger.
- (B) Payment of Fees: Payment of the fees required for each camping unit by the following sub-section shall be made to the City in any manner established by the City Manager and may include a system of self-pay at the area of the camping sites. The receipt provided by the City for such fee shall be displayed at the campsite, either in the camping unit or in any space provided by the City at the site. In any event, such receipt shall be displayed in such a way as to be readily visible.
- (C) The following fees shall be paid for each camping unit as hereinafter defined:

Overnight camping (per unit/per night)
without services (Wilderness)

Garnett resident	\$ 5.00
Anderson County resident	7.00
All others	9.00

Overnight camping (per unit/per night)
with electric hookup

Garnett resident	10.00
Anderson County resident	12.00
All others	14.00

Overnight camping (per unit/per night)
with electric hookup and water

Garnett resident	12.00
Anderson County resident	14.00
All others	16.00

(D) All vehicles, camper registrants and the general public alike, shall observe a 10 MPH speed limit on all access roads leading to or running from any camp sites or within any campgrounds.

(E) All persons camping shall observe the following rules:

1. No camping permit shall be issued to any person under eighteen (18) years of age, nor shall any camping unit be permitted to remain at a ~~campsite unless some person eighteen (18) years of~~ age or older is available and responsible for it.

2. No camping unit shall stay at one campsite for more than seven (7) consecutive days, and upon completion of any camping period in excess of five (5) days, the camping unit shall not be re-admitted to that park until five (5) additional days shall have elapsed following its departure.

3. No camping unit nor any camping equipment shall be left unattended for a period exceeding twenty four (24) hours.

4. Pets are allowed but must be on a leash, not longer than 6 feet. Pets shall never be left unattended and shall be kept inside the camping unit after 11:00 p.m. All dogs and cats must have current rabies vaccination and display current collar tags. Campers are required to clean up after his or her pet. Feces must be removed for park cleanliness and health concerns. Any pet creating a nuisance, and in the case of a dog which is noisy and/or barks continuously, will be asked to leave.

5. Radios, TVs and music players/systems; power tools and equipment, including generators; and general conversation, etc. must be kept at a level

that is not offensive to camping neighbors. Quiet time shall be observed from 11:00 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. the following day.

6. All generally applicable park rules and regulations shall be observed by all campers.

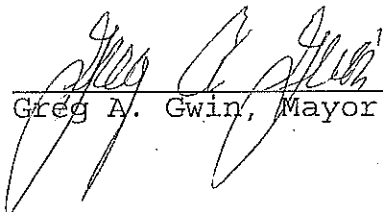
(F) For purposes of this section, the term "camping unit" may include more than one vehicle, tent, device, or other structure, provided such do not together occupy more than one campsite space; and, provided further, that such multiple components shall be occupied by a group of people who live together in the same residence and have the same residential address.

(G) Any camper or member of the camper's party or their guest failing to observe any provision of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished as provided in the general penalty provisions of the Municipal Code. In addition or as an alternative to prosecution in municipal court, he or she shall be subject to eviction from the camping area. Any camping registrant who is asked to leave for a violation hereof and who fails to do so shall commit a violation of this section and each day he or she remains at the site in defiance thereof and shall be a separate violation.

SECTION 2. Title 9, Chapter 5, Section 21 of the Municipal Code as the same presently exists is hereby repealed.

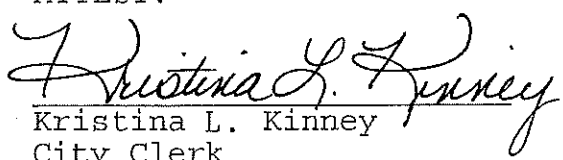
SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and its publication in an official newspaper of the City of Garnett, Kansas.

PASSED this 12th day of June, 2012.



Greg A. Gwin, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kristina L. Kinney
City Clerk

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE IX, CHAPTER 5, SECTION 21(B)
PROVIDING FOR CAMPING FEE REFUNDS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES;
AND TITLE IX, CHAPTER 5, SECTION 21(E) (2), REVISING LENGTH OF
STAY RULES FOR CAMPING; REPEALING EXISTING SECTIONS OF SAID TITLE
AND CHAPTER.
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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GARNETT,
KANSAS:

SECTION 1. Title IX, Chapter 5, Section 21(B) of the
Municipal Code, City of Garnett, Kansas is hereby amended to read
as follows:

9-5-21: CAMPING IN CITY PARKS:

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- (B) Payment of Fees: Payment of the fees required for
each camping unit established in the following
subsection shall be made to the city in any manner
established by the city manager and may include a
system of self-pay at the area of the camping
sites. The receipt provided by the city for such
fee shall be displayed at the campsite, either in
the camping unit or in any space provided by the
city at the site. In any event, such receipt
shall be displayed in such a way as to be readily
visible. In event of prepayment to reserve a
site, the camping fee may be refunded in full if
at least 15 days prior to the first reserved date
the city is notified by the campsite registrant.
If notice is received less than 15 days in
advance, one night's camping fee shall be
forfeited and the balance, if any, refunded.

SECTION 2. Title IX, Chapter 5, Section 21(E) (2) of the
Municipal Code, City of Garnett, Kansas is hereby amended to read
as follows:

9-5-21: CAMPING IN CITY PARKS:

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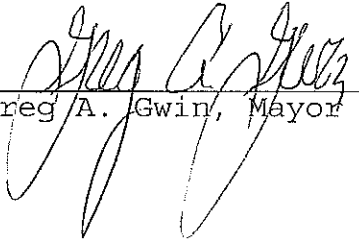
2. No camping unit shall stay at the same campsite in
any of the City's parks for more than 7 consecutive
nights. Upon departure from any site, after a period
exceeding 5 consecutive nights, the camping unit shall
not be readmitted to any other site in the same City
park until 5 additional nights shall have elapsed. The
unit may however relocate to another site in any other
City park, unless the City Manager shall determine that

the occupant or occupants of the said camping unit are attempting to occupy City campsites as a permanent residence. It is the stated policy of the City of Garnett, that City park campsites shall NOT be utilized as permanent residences.

SECTION 3. Title IX, Chapter 5, Section 21(B) and Title IX, Chapter 5, Section 21(E) (2) of the Municipal Code as the same presently exist are hereby repealed.


SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and its publication in an official newspaper of the City of Garnett, Kansas.

PASSED this 27th day of August, 2013.



Greg A. Gwin, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kristina L. Kinney
City Clerk
