

ORDINANCE NO. 18-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PURCELL AMENDING CHAPTER 74 (PARKS AND RECREATION); SECTION 74-3 (CITY LAKE; FISHING, BOATING, SWIMMING, CAMPING, PICNICS) SUBSECTIONS G (WADING PROHIBITED) AND H (SWIMMING PROHIBITED); PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PURCELL, OKLAHOMA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. SECTION 74-3. CITY LAKE; FISHING, BOATING, SWIMMING, CAMPING, PICNICS.

Chapter 74 (Parks and Recreation), Section 74-3 (City Lake; fishing, boating, swimming, camping, picnics), Subsections G (Wading prohibited) and H (Swimming prohibited) shall be amended by deleting the current Subsections of G and H and replacing them with the following, to-wit:

G. Wading prohibited. No wading shall be permitted in the City Lake at any time, other than in areas designated for and clearly marked as swimming areas except those who are fishing in areas designated for fishing.

H. Swimming prohibited. No swimming shall be permitted in the City Lake at any time, other than in areas designated for and clearly marked as swimming areas and those who swim shall adhere to the following regulations, to-wit:

1.

Proper swim attire is required. Infants must have approved swim diapers or rubber pants with tight fitting legs.

2. Persons under age 13 must wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved personal flotation device of proper size and fit when in the water.
3. No pets are allowed on beach property except service dogs.
4. Swim beaches will close at sunset and re-open at sunrise.
5. Fishing in the swimming area is prohibited.
6. No alcoholic beverages are allowed on city property.
7. Glass containers are prohibited.
8. Swimming is strictly at your own risk as there is no lifeguard on duty at any time.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY.

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, said portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. REPEALER.

All ordinance or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 2nd DAY OF APRIL, 2018.

ATTEST:

Dorothy Kennedy
Dorothy Kennedy, City Clerk
(SEAL)



Ted Cox
Ted Cox, Mayor

Approved as to form this 2nd day of April, 2018.

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