

City of Grant
Ordinance No. 59
Smoking and Vaping Prohibited

THE CITY OF GRANT ORDAINS:

Section I. Purpose

An Ordinance "Smoking and Vaping Prohibited" for the purpose of protecting the public health and to encourage healthy behaviors of the citizens of Grant, Michigan and for the purpose of providing for the violation thereof,

Section II. Definitions

- a. "Smoking or Vaping" means possessing a cigarette, e-cigarette, cigar, or pipe that contains tobacco or any other product this is lighted or burning; lighting a cigarette, e-cigarette, cigar, or pipe that contains tobacco or any other burning product that is contained in a pipe, cigar, cigarette and e-cigarette.
- b. "City building" means any building or structure owned, managed, operated, and/or leased by the City of Grant.

Section III. Smoking prohibited locations

- a. A person shall not smoke or use tobacco products in any city-owned park, outdoor athletic complex, linear park, trail, pathway, cemetery, or beach unless specific areas are designated as allowed by resolution
- b. A person shall not smoke or use tobacco products in any city owned parking lots when used for community events unless specific areas are designated as allowed by resolution
- c. No person shall smoke in any City building

Section IV. Signs

Signs may be posted where smoking and the use of tobacco products are prohibited, but the absence of posted signs does not invalidate this ordinance

Section V. Violations and penalties

A person who violates or fails to comply with this Article shall be subject to any one or more of the following:

1. Being asked to stop smoking or using tobacco products;
2. Being asked to leave the premises;
3. Being responsible for a civil infraction punishable by a fine of \$50.00 for the first offense, \$100.00 for the second offense and thereafter.

Section VI. Severability

This Ordinance and the various sections, paragraphs, and clauses thereof, are hereby declared to be severable. If any section, paragraph, or clause is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, the remainder of the Ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

Section VII. Repeal

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section VIII. Effective Date

This ordinance shall take effect after its summary publication in a newspaper of general circulation, but no less than twenty (20) days from the date of its adoption as provided by the Grant City Charter.

CERTIFICATION

Commissioner Pickard moved the adoption of the foregoing ordinance, which was seconded by Commissioner Sanchez, and thereupon adopted by the City of Grant at a regular meeting held this 18th day of November, 2019.

As the duly appointed and acting city clerk, I certify this is a true and complete copy of an ordinance adopted by the City Commission of the City of Grant in accordance with the City Charter of the City of Grant at a duly noticed meeting held on November 18, 2019.

Introduced: October 21, 2019

Adopted: November 18, 2019

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Effective Date: January 1, 2020