

ORDINANCE NO. 1989

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 6.46.020 OF THE SELAH MUNICIPAL CODE, “CITY PARKS – INFRACTIONS AND PENALTIES” TO PERMIT ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION IN CITY PARKS AND FACILITIES FOR CITY SPONSORED EVENTS; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to amend the provisions of Selah Municipal Code section 6.46.020 “City Parks – Infractions and Penalties” to permit alcohol consumption at City parks and facilities for City sponsored events where proper permits have been obtained.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SELAH, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN as follows:

Section 1. Selah Municipal Code Section 6.46.020, City Parks – Infractions and Penalties, Amended.

Selah Municipal Code section 6.46.020 is amended as follows:

6.46.020 - City parks—Infractions and penalties.

(a) It is unlawful and constitutes a civil nontraffic infraction to do any of the following activities in any city of Selah park:

(1) Possess or allow a dog to be in a Selah City park. The penalty shall be fifty dollars.

(2) Possess liquor of any type in a Selah City park. The penalty shall be seventy-five dollars; **provided, however, that alcoholic beverages and liquor may be possessed and consumed within City parks and other facilities, if possessed and consumed in a confined and designated arer in conjunction with a City sponsored and sanctioned event as established by City Council Resolution where all necessary permits for the alcohol have been obtained and only where the alcohol possessed and consumed is acquired at the event and not brought in from an outside source.**

(3) Ride a skateboard in a Selah City park. The penalty shall be twenty-five dollars.

(4) Ride or allow a horse to be in a Selah City park. The penalty shall be twenty-five dollars.

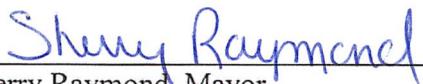
(5) Drive or park an automobile in a Selah City park other than in a designated parking area. The penalty shall be seventy-five dollars.

(b) None of the above activities shall constitute a civil infraction if the activity is authorized, either by permit or otherwise, by the city of Selah.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

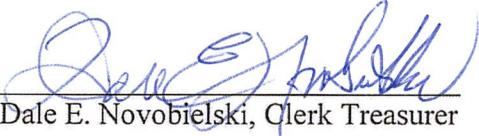
Section 3. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity of constitutionality of any other section, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.

ORDAINED this 8th day of March, 2015.



Sherry Raymond, Mayor

ATTEST:



Dale E. Novobielski, Clerk Treasurer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Robert F. Noe, City Attorney

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