

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR USE AND ADMISSION TO PARK DISTRICT FACILITIES FOR THE PARK COMMISSIONERS OF PRINCETON PARK DISTRICT, BUREAU COUNTY, ILLINIOS

WHEREAS, the Princeton Park District is a duly organized unit of local government organized and operating under the Constitution and laws of the State of Illinois;

WHEREAS, the Park District derives its rights, power, and authority from the various sections of the Park District Code;

WHEREAS, under the Code the District has the power, among other things, through the Board of Commissioners, to "manage and control all...property of such district..."and to "plan, establish and maintain recreational programs" and services;

WHEREAS, the Park Board of Commissioners finds it necessary to assist themselves in exercising their duty to "manage and control all...property of the district..."and to "plan, establish, and maintain recreational programs" by directly observing and participating in the District's facilities and programs;

WHEREAS, the Park Board of Commissioners finds it necessary to assist themselves in exercising the aforesaid duties by receiving direct feedback from the residents of the District and patrons of the District's facilities and programs to obtain an array of perspectives and respond to the various demands of the District's residents;

WHEREAS, the Park Board of Commissioners finds it in the best interest of the District and its residents to allow the Commissioners a waiver of fees while exercising their duty to manage and control all of the District's property and to plan, establish and maintain recreational programs; and

WHEREAS, the Park Board of Commissioners further finds that because it is necessary for the faithful execution of their duties to attend, participate in and get feedback from the users and patrons of the District's facilities and programs, that the Commissioners shall be granted fee waiver for the fees charged for attendance at and participation in such activities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Commissioners of the Princeton Park District, Bureau County, Illinois as follows:

SECTION 1: The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference as substantive provisions hereof.

SECTION 2: The Park Board of Commissioners declares that it is necessary and convenient to provide to the Commissioners free attendance to and participation in the District's facilities, property and programs to assist them in exercising their duty to manage and control all of the District's property and to plan, establish and maintain recreational programs for the District's residents.

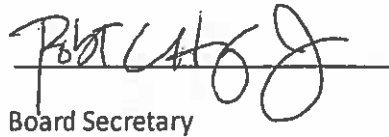
SECTION 3: If any provision of this Ordinance shall be found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be ultra vires or unconstitutional, such provision shall be considered excised herefrom and shall not affect the enforceability or validity of the remaining provisions herein.

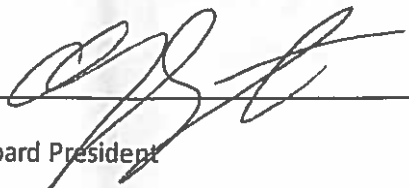
SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall be effective upon adoption and approval by the Park Board of Commissioners as provided by law.

PASSED this 17 day of August, 2015.

PRINCETON PARK DISTRICT

ATTEST:


Board Secretary

By 
Board President

512:1 Use of Facilities, Programs and Equipment

Policy:

It is the policy of the District to encourage employees to participate in athletic, exercise and recreational programs and to allow its employees to use District facilities.

Comment:

- (1) Participation in District athletic and recreational programs is open to all employees, is voluntary and should take place outside of working time. When approved by the Executive Director, participation may be extended to employee families, retired employees and guests.
- (2) Employees participating in District sponsored athletic and recreational programs are required to notify their immediate supervisor of any known limitations affecting their ability to participate safely in the programs. Participating employees will be required to sign waiver of liability forms.
- (3) Staff passes will be issued to all full-time regular employees and their dependents that are living at home or are full-time students who reside with them. No staff passes will be issued without a signed liability waiver from the employee and/or his/her dependents.
- (4) Staff passes will not be issued to part-time and seasonal employees. Part-time and season employees may be allowed to participate in District programs or have limited use of District facilities. If an employee's name appears on the current payroll list, privileges will be granted. See your immediate supervisor as some restrictions may apply. All part-time and seasonal employees must sign in before participation can begin with any program or before use of any facility will be granted.
- (5) Staff passes provide free use of various District facilities and free participation in various District facilities and free participation in various District programs. Certain restrictions apply. Please see your immediate supervisor for the latest information.
- (6) Full-time and part-time employees may participate in programs free unless the class is full with paying participants. Participation in classes or programs by employees is only appropriate if openings are available. Inclusion in a class or program is guaranteed only if the employee pays and signs up in advance.
- (7) Participation in any program or activity must occur before or after normal working hours.
- (8) Employees, full-time and part-time, may not use the facility, programs, and equipment for personal financial gain.