

ORDINANCE NO. 2924

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK BANNING THE USE OR OPERATION OF ANY SKATEBOARD, SCOOTER, ROLLERBLADES OR ANY LIKE EQUIPMENT WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET (100') OF THE CITY'S FACILITIES LISTED BELOW; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

I.

No person shall use or operate any skateboard, scooter, rollerblades or any like equipment, within one hundred feet (100') of the City's facilities listed below:

- 1) Deer Park Public Library – 3009 Center Street
- 2) Battle Ground At Deer Park Golf Course and Club House – 1600 Georgia Avenue
- 3) Deer Park City Hall – 710 E. San Augustine Street
- 4) Deer Park Community Center – 610 E. San Augustine Street
- 5) Kingsdale Recreation Center – 2218 Kingsdale Street
- 6) E.M. Maxwell Adult Center – 1201 Center Street
- 7) Claude Burgess Recreation Center – 4200 Kalwick Street
- 8) Municipal Courts and Theater Building – 1302 Center Street
- 9) Avon Recreation Center – 601 W. 8th Street
- 10) Golf Course Driving Range – 1061 Georgia Avenue

II.

Any person who violates this Ordinance shall be guilty of a Class C Misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar (\$1.00), nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

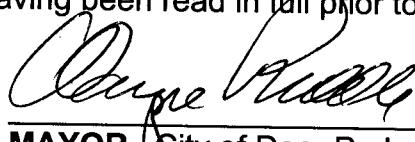
III.

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance is adopted was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given; all as required by Chapter 551 Of The Government Code Of The State of Texas.

IV.

The City Council finds that this Ordinance relates to the immediate preservation of the public peace, safety and welfare, in that it is necessary that the above Ordinance be immediately put into effect to provide protection for persons and property from skateboards, scooters, rollerblades or any like equipment at the City's above referenced facilities, thereby creating an emergency, on account of which the Charter requirements providing for the reading of Ordinances on three (3) several days should be dispensed with, and this Ordinance be passed finally on its introduction; and accordingly, such requirement is dispensed with, and this Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on first and final reading this 21 day of October, 2003, by a vote of 7 "ayes" and 0 "noes", this Ordinance having been read in full prior to such vote.



MAYOR, City of Deer Park, Texas

ATTEST:

Dandra Watkins
City Secretary

APPROVED:

Jim D. Johnson
City Attorney