

certification by the Clerk and collection along with current taxes the following year or in annual installments, not exceeding ten, as the Council may determine in each case.

**Subd. 7. Owner Care.** Property owners may undertake improvements to adjacent public property only after submitting a proposal to the Public Works Director who shall recommend approval or rejection to the Council who in turn shall approve or reject the proposed improvement.

## **SECTION 303.01 PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS.**

**Subd. 1. Purpose.** The City parks and playgrounds shall be available for all of the people in the area for organized sports and activities, recreation, relaxation and picnics.

### **Subd. 2. Regulations.**

- A. Overnight Use. The City parks, playgrounds, grandstand, and picnic shelters shall not be used or occupied between one-half hour after dusk and one-half hour before dawn. Except by special permit, overnight camping and parking is prohibited. The Council may allow extended time or special use and occupancy by permit granted upon such reasonable conditions relating to health, safety, and welfare as the Council shall determine. Violation of such conditions shall be a misdemeanor, and shall be cause for refusal to use or occupy on subsequent occasions. Use of trail systems within the City shall not be subject to the time restrictions described in this Subdivision.
- B. Vandalism. No person shall remove, break, destroy, injure, mutilate, deface or damage in any way any structure, monument, statue, facade, fountain, bleacher, backstop, playing field portion of the grandstand, fence, railing, flag pole, vehicle, bench, tree, shrub, fern, plant, flower, fireplace, or other property in the City parks and playgrounds.
- C. Noise. Noise or obnoxious behavior tending to annoy other persons within or throughout the City parks and playgrounds is prohibited.
- D. Beverage and Food Containers. Glass, plastic, metal and any food and beverage containers of any kind shall be disposed of promptly in refuse receptacles. No alcoholic beverages shall be consumed in City parks or playgrounds without a permit.
- E. Open Burning Restricted. It shall be unlawful to light or maintain an open fire, in any City park or playground, except that a charcoal grill may be used in an area designated therefor.
- F. Traffic and Parking. It shall be unlawful for any motorized vehicle or equipment to be parked or operated in any City park or recreation area other than on established roadways and designated parking areas.

G. Additional Regulations. The Council may, by ordinance, adopt additional rules and regulations for the use of public parks and playgrounds, and post signs stating such rules and regulations within those parks, playgrounds, recreational areas or athletic fields where such rules and regulations apply, and it shall be unlawful for any person to violate the same when such rules and regulations are so posted.

## **SECTION 304.01 PUBLIC WATERS.**

Swimming and fishing are prohibited from all bridges within the City and in the Crow River from the bridge and river areas at the following places: the Bridge Avenue and River Street intersection; the Highway 12 intersection; and the railroad trestle on River Street. The Council may further specify prohibited areas by posting.