

ORDINANCE NO.: 275 – Adopted October 14, 2008

PLAQUEMINE CITY PARK WATER SPRAY PARK REGULATIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of Plaquemine Code of Ordinances Section 14-50, et seq.

I. HOURS OF OPERATION/CHILDREN

- (A) Plaquemine City Park shall be open from dawn to dusk, except for certain recreational areas which are lighted for night use or overnight camping areas;
- (B) Plaquemine City Park may be closed, in whole or in part, for the use of persons and/or organizations events. You can obtain information of scheduled Park events from IPRD.
- (C) Plaquemine City Park may be opened for additional hours for special events permitted by IPRD.
- (D) All persons under the age of seventeen (17) years must be accompanied by an adult to enter and use City Park. Plaquemine City Park patrons and guest are responsible for the behavior of minors using City Park. Children must be chaperoned at all times and not allowed to roam around City Park without supervision.

B. Water Spray Park Area

Water Spray Park Area is a participatory aquatic play area with a shaded structure which incorporates water spray features on a surface designed for drainage. Water Spray equipment has an on/off sensor so kids activate an array of play and spray features on their own. State-of-the-art water treatment and filtration systems ensure safe water play and optimum water conservation. The system uses potable water that is treated, filtered and re-circulated just like a swimming pool. As with all public park installations, Plaquemine's Water Spray equipment is engineered to be vandal-resistant, safe, durable, and will keep children entertained for long periods, rather than just a one-time visit. Water Spray Park Area is wheelchair accessible.

- 1. The Water Spray Park Area is unsupervised; therefore IPRD and/or the City will not be held responsible for accidents.
- 2. Users under the age of twelve (12) must be accompanied by an adult or a person above the age of sixteen (16)
- 3. Adult supervisors are requested to responsible for all messes made by children.
- 4. Appropriate clean swimwear must be worn at all times. Aqua socks, sandals and water shoes recommended as water pad may be hot.
- 5. Swim diapers required for children under age of age four (4).
- 6. Children who are not toilet trained must wear tightly fitting plastic pants over a swim diaper.
- 7. For safety reasons, admittance to the Water Spray Park Area will be limited to the established maximum capacity.
- 8. Water Spray Park caters to children of all abilities, aged two (2) to twelve (12) years.
- 9. Operating season will vary
- 10. Water Spray Park cannot be reserved for parties. It is a first-come, first serve basis
- 11. Users must clear or exit the area when conditions for thunder or lightening are possible
- 12. Small beach toys and balls are acceptable if used in a safe manner

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PLAQUEMINE CITY PARK SKATEBOARD AND WATER SPRAY PARK REGULATIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of Plaquemine Code of Ordinances Section 14-50, et seq.

RESTRICTIONS in the Water Spray Park Area:

The following is not allowed:

1. Profanity or foul language and boisterous behavior
2. Gum chewing, tobacco, alcohol, or drugs
3. Food and/or beverages, glass bottles
4. Horseplay, fighting, running, rough play, littering
5. All forms of graffiti, tagging, stickers or vandalism
6. No activity permitted when surface is icy
7. Unauthorized equipment or obstacles
8. No spectators allowed in the Water Spray Park Area unless supervising a user
9. No skateboarding, in-line skating, bicycles, scooters, cycles, motorized vehicles or animal of any kind and other device. This prohibition shall not apply to a person with a disability, who uses wheeled equipment in order to be ambulatory.
10. Water balloons, water noodles, baby strollers or carriers
11. Footballs, baseballs, tennis balls, hockey pucks, and other hard objects
12. Hanging, climbing, swinging or pulling or throwing objects at water spray equipment
13. Disposable diapers, soap, shampoos, conditioners, lotions, or body washes
14. Do not use the spray activities if you have an infectious or communicable disease. Be aware that open cuts, blisters, or wounds may become infected.
15. All rules and regulations cited in City of Plaquemine Code of Ordinance will apply.
16. Users are to report any discovered safety hazards to the Iberville Parish Parks & Recreation District Management

X. PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES

The following activities shall not be permitted within City Park:

- a. Firearms;
- b. Soliciting or Merchandise sales, unless a concession contract or permit is obtained;
- c. Skateboarding, rollerblading, motorized vehicles or bicycles on sidewalks, streets, parking lots;
- d. Removal of landscape vegetation or materials.

These regulations are in addition to the provisions of Plaquemine Code of Ordinances Section 14-50 through 14-79.