




**Resolution Banning the Possession and Consumption of
Alcoholic Beverages in Designated City Parks**

- Because, Traverse City Code of Ordinances Section 1064.09 provides that no person may possess any alcoholic beverage, other than beer and wine in any city park, and that the City Commission may, by resolution, ban the consumption and possession of beer and wine in any park or designated portion of a park; and
- Because, the City Commission has determined it to be in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare, to ban the possession and consumption of beer and wine, except when authorized by a permit from the City, in the Jay Smith Walkway, American Legion Park, Clinch Park Beach, F&M Park, Hannah Park, Hickory Hills, Lay Park, Hull Park, the trail immediately west of Hull Park to the bridge within Hull Park, the Men's Trail and the Women's Trail (including Grand Traverse Commons, Veterans Memorial Park and Meijer's Silverbrook Acres); now therefore be it,
- Resolved, that as provided by Traverse City Code of Ordinances, Section 1064.09, the possession and consumption of beer and wine is prohibited, except when authorized by a permit from the City, in the Jay Smith Walkway, American Legion Park, Clinch Park Beach, F&M Park, Hannah Park, Hickory Hills, Lay Park, Hull Park, the trail immediately west of Hull Park to the bridge within Hull Park, the Men's Trail and the Women's Trail (including Grand Traverse Commons, Veterans Memorial Park and Meijer's Silverbrook Acres); further be it
- Resolved, that notice of the ban of all alcoholic beverages except when authorized by a permit from the City, in designated parks shall be posted at such points within or at the perimeter of the area where the ban is in effect as the City Manager shall direct.

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Traverse City City Commission at its regular meeting held on July 17, 2023, in the Commission Chambers of the Governmental Center, 400 Boardman, Traverse City, Michigan.



Benjamin Marentette, MMC, City Clerk