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Pembroke Pines Code of Ordinances

## CHAPTER 97: PARKS AND RECREATION

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### Section

97.01 Park closing time; exception

97.02 Alcoholic beverages in public parks

### ***Cross-reference:***

*Use of public parks by day-care facilities, see Chapter 118*

### **§ 97.01 PARK CLOSING TIME; EXCEPTION.**

(A) The set closing time for all parks within the city limits shall be 11:00 p.m.

(B) An exception shall be provided for those events taking place past 11:00 p.m. which have received official city approval.

(‘69 Code, § 12-151) Penalty, see § 10.99

### **§ 97.02 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN PUBLIC PARKS.**

(A) For the purpose of this section the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

(1) **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.** All beverages containing 3.2% or more of alcohol by weight.

(2) **BEER.** All brewed beverage containing malt, including those using the words “malt beverage.”

(3) **INTOXICATING LIQUORS.** All liquors, wines, or beer containing more than 3.2% of alcohol by weight shall be deemed and held to be intoxicating liquors, wines, and beer and subject to the provisions of this section.

(4) **LIQUOR.** All spirituous beverages created by distillation and by mixture of distilled beverages by what is commonly termed “bleeding.” This shall also include the words “distilled sprits.”

(5) **PUBLIC PARK.** A tract of ground kept more or less in its natural state or embellished by the planting of additional trees and flowers and devoted to the purposes of pleasure, recreation, and amusement, including physical and aesthetic recreation and mental and cultural entertainment as well.

(6) ***SOCIAL ACTIVITY.*** Any activity whereby a group of persons assemble to partake in some structured form of entertainment, celebration, and the like to enjoy each other's company, including but not exclusive of dances, parties, weddings, barbecues, and picnics.

(7) ***WINE.*** The product of the normal alcoholic fermentation of the juices of fresh, sound, ripe fruit, with the usual cellar treatment and necessary additions to correct defects due to climatic and seasonal conditions, including champagne, sparkling and fortified with an alcoholic content not to exceed 24% by volume. No other products shall be called ***WINE*** unless designated by appropriate prefixes descriptive of the fruit or other products from which they were predominantly produced or as artificial or imitation ***WINE***.

(B) No alcoholic beverages of any kind or nature, including but not exclusive of wine, beer, or liquor, shall be brought, possessed, or consumed by any person or group of persons on the grounds of any public park located within the municipal limits of the city for any purpose except when approved in advance by the Recreation Department for structured social activities, and the like.

('69 Code, § 3-28) (Ord. 487, passed 1-22-79) Penalty, see § 10.99

***Statutory reference:***

*Authority to enact alcohol regulations, see F.S. § 562.45(2)*