

Article 9: City Sports Facility

Division 3: Ballpark District

(“Ballpark District” added 2-9-2004 by O-19262 N.S.)

§59.0301 Purpose and Intent

This division designates the *Ballpark District* a *special event venue* and regulates and prohibits certain activities, for the purpose of protecting the public health, welfare, and safety of those businesses, residents, and visitors within the *Ballpark District* during specified *events* therein.

(“Purpose and Intent” added 2-9-2004 by O-19262 N.S.)

§59.0302 Designation of the Ballpark District

The *Ballpark District* is designated a *special event venue*, pursuant to Chapter 2, Article 2, Division 40 of this Code, beginning three hours before the scheduled start time of any *Padres games and events* or *City event* permitted at *PETCO Park*. The designation shall conclude one hour after the conclusion of an *event*. All regulations and prohibitions set forth in Chapter 2, Article 2, Division 40, and Chapter 5, Article 9, Division 3, of this Code apply during the designation as a *special event venue*.

(“Designation of the Ballpark District” added 2-9-2004 by O-19262 N.S.)

§59.0303 Activities Prohibited within the Ballpark District

In addition to those regulations and prohibitions contained in Chapter 2, Article 2, Division 40 of this Code, it is unlawful for any person to engage in the following conduct upon the public lands and rights-of-way within the *Ballpark District*:

- (a) Tailgate.
- (b) Litter, throw, or deposit on the ground, or post or affix to any publicly owned or maintained tree, fence, or structure within the *Ballpark District* any handbill, circular, pamphlet, tract, dodger, paper, *sticker*, or advertisement.
- (c) Bring, leave, turn loose or allow to go free any animal, fowl, or bird of any kind, except a trained guide, signal, or service animal that is in actual use.
- (d) Consume from any container made of glass, except in locations where such containers are permitted under the terms of a lease, operating agreement, or permit.
- (e) Leave or scatter any boxes, empty or otherwise, waster paper, remains of meals, newspaper or rubbish of any kind, except that such material and matter may be deposited in receptacles provided for such purpose.

- (f) Set up, maintain, or give any exhibition, show, performance, lecture, concert, place of amusement, or concert hall without the written consent of the City Manager.
- (g) Play any game of ball or engage in any sport except at such places and at such times as shall be designated for such purpose by the City Manager.
- (h) Enter the clearly marked and designated restroom facilities of the opposite sex, except that this section 59.0303(i) does not apply to children under ten years of age accompanied by a parent or guardian.
- (i) Ride a bicycle except (1) where posted to authorize bicycle riding; or (2) on any designated bikeway; or (3) on any road designated and established for automotive traffic. Motorcycles or any other motorized *vehicles* are prohibited except on roads designated and established for automotive traffic.
- (j) Obstruct the free travel of any *vehicle* or pedestrian over any of the walks, roads, or avenues of the *Ballpark District*.
- (k) Open or close any valves or switches pertaining to the water or electric services in the *Ballpark District*, except when performed by authorized public utility personnel.
- (l) Throw, discharge, launch, or spill any solid object (including footballs, baseballs, frisbees, and other such devices) or liquid substance, or otherwise cause such object or substance to be thrown, discharged, launched, spilled, or to become airborne.
- (m) Explode, set-off, discharge, or otherwise release or cause to be released, any smoke bomb, fireworks, stink bomb, or other substance which is physically harmful or otherwise irritating, offensive, repugnant, or disgusting to the eyes or sense of smell.
- (n) Cause or permit the engine of any privately owned *motor coach* to idle while parked, standing or stopped, upon any public way for more than fifteen minutes, provided however, if a privately owned *motor coach* is making a temporary stop for the sole purpose of loading or unloading passengers, such motor coach shall not be permitted to idle for longer than is reasonably necessary to load or unload passengers.

(“Activities Prohibited within the Ballpark District” added 2-9-2004 by O-19262 N.S.)

(Amended 10-14-2009 by O-19900 N.S; effective 11-13-2009.)

§59.0304 Activities Prohibited on PETCO Park Perimeter Sidewalk

During the *Ballpark District* designation set forth in section 59.0302, and in addition to those prohibitions set forth in section 59.0303, it is unlawful for any person to engage in any of the following on the perimeter sidewalks, walkways, or promenades immediately adjacent to *PETCO Park* during *City events* or *Padres games and events*:

- (a) Intentionally throw, discharge, launch, or spill any solid object (including footballs, baseballs, beach balls, frisbees, or other such devices) or liquid substance, or otherwise cause such object or substance to be thrown, discharged, launched, spilled or to become airborne.
- (b) Bring onto or possess any can, bottle, thermos, vacuum bottle, canteen, or other similar container, unless expressly authorized in writing by the City Manager.
- (c) Bring onto or possess any noise making device, including, but not necessarily limited to, air horns, powered megaphones, bugles, drums, tambourines, or other musical instruments, unless expressly authorized in writing by the City Manager.
- (d) Lead, conduct, or otherwise bring or allow to remain any animal, bird, fish, or reptile, except for a trained guide, signal, or service animal that is in actual use.
- (e) Ride any skateboard, roller blade, roller skate, coaster, scooter, or similar type device.
- (f) Bring, possess, or place tables, barbeques, chairs, umbrellas, or other objects unless expressly authorized in writing by the City Manager.

(“*Activities Prohibited on PETCO Park Perimeter Sidewalk*” added 2-9-2004 by O-19262 N.S.)

FIGURE 1

