PARK RULES AND REGULATIONS

288.06 PRESERVATION OF PROPERTY AND NATURAL FEATURES.

(a) No person shall injure, deface or disturb any part of the Park nor any building, sign, equipment or other property found therein; nor shall any tree, flower, shrub, rock, mineral, or any artifact or item with historical significance be removed, injured or destroyed.

(b) No person shall introduce wildlife, domesticated or wild, or plant species, specifically any of those which have been deemed to be invasive, to any park land.

(c) Mowing of parkland is not permitted without written permit from the City Manager or his designee.

288.07 GARBAGE REFUSE, GRASS CLIPPINGS, ASHES, SEWAGE AND NOXIOUS MATERIAL.

No person shall deposit, permit or suffer to be deposited, in any part of the Park, any garbage, ashes, grass clippings, pet waste, leaves, sewage, refuse, waste, or other noxious material. Trash created within the Parks in a lawful manner should be deposited in the appropriate waste receptacles. No person shall dump any earth within the park, or store or install any personal property within Park boundaries, without written permit from the City Manager or his designee.

288.08 HUNTING AND MOLESTING WILDLIFE.

No person shall hunt, pursue with dogs, trap, or in any other way molest any wild bird or animal found within the confines of the Park, or therein rob or molest any bird nest or take the eggs of any bird, unless authorized by written permit of the City Manager or his designee.

288.09 FIRES.

Grills are provided in many parks for cooking purposes. No person shall start a fire outside of the grills without written permit from the City Manager or his designee. All fires shall be personally supervised and extinguished by the permittee.

288.10 FIREARMS.

No person, except authorized personnel of the Park, shall carry or use firearms of any description, or air rifle, sling-shot, or missile throwing device, within the Park, or discharge any firearms, fireworks or explosive substances, or air rifle therein without written permit from the City Manager or his designee.

288.11 CAMPS.

No person shall establish or maintain any camp or other temporary lodging place without specific written permit from the City Manager or his designee.

288.12 DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

No person shall, either by word, or act, indulge in any noisy, boisterous, disorderly or indecent conduct; or in any manner disturb the peace or good order of the community within the Park; nor shall any person engage in any active game endangering other persons in the Park; nor shall any person play at games of chance, except as permitted by city ordinance on public land, drink intoxicating liquor, or be drunk or be under the influence of controlled substances, or do any indecent, lascivious, lewd or improper act.

288.13 BEER, INTOXICATING BEVERAGES AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.

No person shall bring into, have, keep, carry, serve or drink beer, or any intoxicating beverage or controlled substance within the Park.

288.14 TRAFFIC.

(a) No person shall drive or propel, or cause to be driven or propelled, along or over any road within the park, any street licensed motor vehicle at a greater rate of speed than fifteen (15) miles per hour.

(b) No person shall drive or propel, or cause to be driven or propelled along or over any road within the Park, any vehicle in any manner as to cause damage to the person or property of the City or any individual, or any truck having more than six (6) wheels.

(c) No person shall park any motor car or other motorized vehicle within the Park, except in places designated by the City Manager or his designee for such purpose. Trailers may be parked only in designated parking areas during the hours from sunrise to sunset, except with written permission from the City Manager or his designee.

(d) Other than is provided in subsection (a), no person shall park or operate any other motorized vehicle including, but not limited to mini-bikes and all terrain vehicles, within the park, without written permission from the City Manager or his designee.

(e) The State of Ohio laws relating to lights on vehicle shall apply to vehicles within the Park.

288.15 TRAILS.

Multi purpose trails established for visitor travel shall not be used for motorized vehicular travel. Bicycle traffic is permitted.

288.16 COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISE.

No person shall sell or offer for sale any article, thing, privilege or service within the Park without a permit from the City Manager or his designee, and no person shall do any begging, hawking, peddling, or soliciting therein.

288.17 SIGNS.

No person shall expose, distribute or place any sign, advertisement, circular, notice or statement or display any banner, emblem, or design within the Park without a permit from the City Manager or his designee.

288.18 **PETS, HORSES.**

No pets are permitted in any of the parks, unless such animals are controlled at all times on a leash, in a cage, or are in areas designated specifically by the Hudson Parks with signs permitting animals to be off leash in "run" areas. Horses are not permitted in the Parks.

288.19 USE OF WATER.

(a) Boating. Non-powered sail, canoe, or row boats are permitted. No gasoline motors will be permitted on the lakes; electric trolling motors only. All boats shall be operated in a safe and cautious manner. Each occupant of a boat on the lake shall have a U.S. Coast Guard approved flotation device. All boats shall be docked and stored in designated areas and only with written permission of the City Manager or his designee.

(b) Fishing. State of Ohio fishing licenses are required by Ohio Law. Non-resident fishing is by season permit or daily charge for all persons requiring an Ohio fishing license. Limits are posted. Residents of Hudson will be permitted to fish at no charge

(c) Swimming. No swimming is permitted.

288.20 USE OF SKATEBOARD PARK.

Proper equipment is required to use the skateboard park. Proper equipment includes a helmet, wrist pads, knee pads, and elbow pads. Only skateboards and roller blades are permitted on the skateboard park. Bicycles will not be permitted. Users will be skating at their own risk.

288.21 PERMITS AND FEES.

The following permits and fees are available through the park office at a price determined by the City Manager or his designee with advice from the Park Board.

Non-resident season fishing permit
Non-resident daily fishing permit
Boat/Canoe Storage Annual Fee

288.22 TERMS.

As used in this Chapter, the following definitions shall apply:

(a) The term "Park" as used herein, means any land owned, operated and maintained by the City and supervised by the Hudson Park Board.

(b) The term "Board" means the Hudson Park Board.

(c) The term "Person" includes persons and corporations.

288.23 HOURS OF OPERATION.

Parks are open daily from dawn until dusk.

288.99 PENALTY.

A violation of the foregoing rules and regulations in Section 288.06, *et seq*., shall, unless otherwise provided, be a misdemeanor of the fourth degree upon conviction of the first offense and a misdemeanor of the first degree upon conviction of a second or any subsequent offense.