ORDINANCE NO. 2007-03-18

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 8, PARKS AND RECREATION ARTICLE 2, SECTION 3 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Sandy Springs are charged with promoting and protecting the health, safety and welfare of the citizens and property owners of the City of Sandy Springs; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council wish to promote the quality of life for the citizens of Sandy Springs; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council feel it is important to study and research the recreation and park needs of the citizens of Sandy Springs, and to create and manage a comprehensive recreation and park system of programs and facilities to meet those needs; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council with to cooperate with state, federal, commercial and voluntary agencies in the management of the recreation and parks system; and

NOW, THEREFORE, to accomplish the foregoing, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, pursuant to their authority, do hereby adopt the following Ordinance:

1.

Chapter 8, Parks and Recreation, Article 2, Section 3 of the City of Sandy Springs Code of Ordinances is hereby amended, to read as follows:

Section 3: Permitted Park Activities.

(a) The City Manager may recommend a permit application procedure to the Mayor and City Council.

(b) The City Manager shall establish guidelines regarding permitted uses of municipal parks.

(c) The Recreation and Parks Director shall implement those guidelines.

(d) The Sandy Springs Recreation and Parks Department shall schedule the use of all city parks for organized activities, programs, assemblages, gatherings or games.

(e) No individual or group shall erect any booth or stand or sell any article within the limits of any city park without the written consent of the director of recreation and parks or his authorized representative.
2.

All ordinances, parts of ordinances, or regulations in conflict herewith are repealed.

3.

Severability. Should any court of competent jurisdiction declare any section of this Ordinance invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, which is not specifically declared to be invalid or unconstitutional.

4.

Repeal of Conflicting Provisions. It is the intention of the Mayor and Council, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances, City of Sandy Springs, Georgia and the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention.

5.

This Ordinance is effective March 6, 2007; and

ORDAINED this the 6th day of March, 2007.

Approved:

Eva Galambos, Mayor

Attest:
Christina Rowland, City Clerk

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