

**ORDINANCE NO. 2015-O-014**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE JACKSONVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE,  
CHAPTER 20 PARKS, SECTION 20-7**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, MORGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

WHEREAS, Resolution 2010-R-103 established regulations and fees for the City of Jacksonville Lakes; and

WHEREAS, the Recreational Facilities Director, at the direction of the Park and Lakes Committee, has prepared an updated list of regulations for the use of public campgrounds at Lake Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, a copy of said Rules and Regulations are attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein; and

WHEREAS, the Parks and Lakes Committee has approved said Rules and Regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED as follows:

**SECTION 1:**

1. Resolution No. 2010-R-103 is repealed in its entirety.
2. The Rules and Regulations attached as Exhibit A hereto and incorporated herein are hereby adopted and approved.
3. Notice of any violation of said regulation may be issued by any member of the Jacksonville Police Department, or by the Recreational Facilities Director or his designee.
4. Anyone violating any of said regulations shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$500.00. Multiple or repeated violations may result in termination of camping privileges. Each day a violation occurs or continues shall constitute a separate violation.

**SECTION 2:** That all ordinances, parts of ordinances, and amendments to ordinances in conflict with any provision of this ordinance are repealed as of the effective date hereof.

**SECTION 3:** That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as required by law.

SECTION 4: That the City Clerk is hereby instructed to publish this ordinance in pamphlet form.

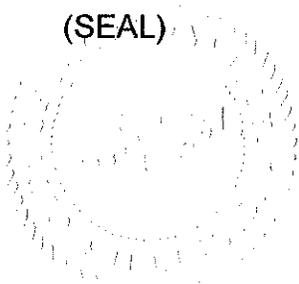
PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Jacksonville, Morgan County, Illinois this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2015.

  
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Andy Ezard, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Skip Bradshaw, City Clerk

(SEAL)



**VOTES DESIGNATED:**

Alderman Cook	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Hopkins	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Oldenettel	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Patterson	<u>A</u>
Alderman Richardson	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Scott	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Tomhave	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Wankel	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Warmowski	<u>Y</u>
Alderman Williams	<u>A</u>

## EXHIBIT A

1. Campers must pay their camping fee before placing camper on site.
2. Camping fees will not be refunded.
3. No sub-letting of seasonal camping permits is allowed.
4. No trailer exceeding 40 feet in length will be permitted at Lake Jacksonville
5. Only vehicles originally manufactured as recreational vehicles may be used on the campsite, except for vehicles owned by the camper prior to May 1, 1988, and used at the lake prior to that date.
6. Campers will be assigned a Point and a specific lot on that Point.
7. Campers must display a camping permit in a window or door.
8. All campers must be at least a minimum of 20 feet from water.
9. No wastewater may be dumped on to the ground or into pits.
10. Mini-bikes, dune buggies, snowmobiles and other of the road vehicles are not permitted.
11. No loud music will be permitted after midnight.
12. No cutting of trees without permission of Lake Officials.
13. Guns are prohibited at ALL times including BB and pellet guns. Offenders will be prosecuted.
14. An outbuilding or shed (limit 1) on any camp site may be no larger than 288 cubic feet (example 6'x6'x8') and must be manufactured, not homemade.
15. No coverings are to be nailed, tacked, and stapled etc. to city picnic tables. No burning on tables is permitted.
16. No glass beverage bottles are allowed in campground.
17. Campers left at Lake Jacksonville after the close of the camping season will be charged a \$50.00 fee.
18. Lake gates will be closed and locked at the end of the camping season. (To be determined prior to the opening of the camping season.)

19. Persons who fail to pay their winter storage fee will be fined \$100.00, plus the \$50.00 storage fee.
20. Any campsite with grass or weeds over a height of six (6) inches will be cut by City personnel, at a charge to the campsite permit holder of \$75.00 per mowing.
21. Fire wood must be stacked in a neat and orderly fashion. New state regulations also require it to be placed off the bare ground (on a pallet)
22. Do not place campers or boats that are "For Sale" on parking lot.
23. No double parking of tents or trailers on private lots.
24. No private Porta-Potties.
25. No parking of boats and/or boat trailers on private lots.
26. Limit of one outdoor refrigerator or freezer per camp site.
27. Limit of two outdoor grills per camp site.
28. Limit of two lawn mowers per camp site.
29. No modification of the electrical box on camp site.
30. No fences at the camp site.
31. No burning of trash at the camp site.
32. No trash is to be hauled in from outside the camp site. Trash must be in a container with a proper fitting lid.
33. No burning of treated or painted wood at the camp site. All firewood must be of log or plank type. Camp site wood is limited to one cord (8'x4'x4'); wood must be stacked neatly a minimum of four inches off of the ground.
34. No person shall keep or harbor any dog or other animal shut up to tied up in any yard, enclosure or any premises which, by barking, howling, bawling or by other noises, shall disturb the peace and quiet of any family, individual or neighborhood.
35. All campers will be inspected before a camping permit is issued.

36. All campers are to mark their name and lot number on their boat dock.
37. A request for construction form must be completed and approved along with a paid deposit for all roof overs, awnings and decks.
38. Deposits shall be 500.00 dollars for roof overs, 200.00 dollars for awnings and 100.00 dollars for decks, payable at the boat dock. Deposits will be refunded after complete removal of camper and constructed materials within two weeks of departure or termination from lot, or acceptable arrangements have been made with the next lot holder. If the departure is at the beginning of the year, the two week time limit shall begin after new lot assignments. Lake Management approval is mandatory before deposit is refunded.
39. All roof overs shall be no larger than 24 x 38 total outside dimension, and shall be constructed of new treated lumber or prefabricated metal with metal or shingle roofs. They shall be no higher than 4 feet from camper roof height and have gutters with downspouts installed upon completion of the roof. A minimum 3 feet setback is required from adjoining property line. Lake management can vary with extenuating circumstances.
40. All awnings shall be no larger than 12 x 38 total outside dimension and shall be constructed of new treated lumber or prefabricated metal with metal or shingle roof. (Accepting camper original equipment.)
41. All decks shall be no larger than 12 x 38 total outside dimension and constructed of new treated lumber. Decks over 2 feet high shall have guard rails and handrails at steps.
42. All construction new and existing shall be maintained in a safe and presentable condition.
43. All existing roof overs, awnings, decks and sheds that are in acceptable condition based on Lake Management observation, are grandfathered and may remain.
44. Any camper who intends NOT to return for the next camping season must remove ALL items from their camp lot. Failure to remove all items will be considered a violation and subject to a 200.00 dollar clean up fee.
45. Parking at each lot shall be restricted to two vehicles. Guests shall park at the entrance to each point and not on roads, lanes or cut-de-sacs.
46. The City retains the right to terminate camping privileges and ban anyone from Lake Jacksonville and its campgrounds for any dangerous or unsafe conduct.