

# Franklin Parks Rules & Regulations

**Parks are open 30 minutes before sunrise and close 30 minutes after sunset, seven days a week, except for outdoor athletic facilities**

Vehicles left in parks after closing will be subject to towing at the owner's expense.

**The Franklin Greenways Trail is open dawn to dusk, 365 days a year**

Look both ways and cross streets, drives and parking lots with extreme care.

**Do not disturb animals or vegetation in the parks**

Please be respectful of wildlife and vegetation in their natural setting.

**The use of and distribution of alcoholic beverages or drugs is prohibited in parks**

If you see suspicious activity in parks, please call 911.

**Clean Up Your Litter**

Please keep parks and trails clean for other users to enjoy. Dispose of glass, paper, cans or other debris in provided receptacles.

**Park Etiquette for Dog Owners**

All park users should bear to the right to allow passing, but dog owners should be especially mindful of this with respect to leash extension. Please keep control of your dog. If your dog must relieve itself, please move off-trail if possible. On grass, or pavement, please pick up and dispose of your pet's solid waste. If provided, use "pet stations" for plastic bags and trash receptacle, or bring your own materials.

**Prohibited Uses of the Park**

Motorized vehicles, including cars, motorcycles, golf carts, snowmobiles and ATV's are prohibited on turf areas of the park or trails. Motorized wheelchairs, mobility scooters and children's play cars are allowed. Unauthorized vehicles should be reported to the police.

**Show Respect**

Respect the privacy of adjacent landowners and do not enter their property. Those responsible for defacing or damaging park property will be prosecuted. Loitering in parking lots is prohibited.

**No Overnight Camping / No Open Campfires**

Overnight camping and overnight parking are **NOT** permitted in Franklin Parks. No open campfires are permitted in parks.



**Please report any vandalism or unsafe conditions to:  
Franklin Parks and Recreation Department, 317-736-3689**