

BOROUGH OF NEPTUNE CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2020-08

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 62, ENTITLED "FEES" OF THE "REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF NEPTUNE CITY, NEW JERSEY" ADDING NEW SECTIONS ESTABLISHING CERTAIN RECREATION FEES

WHEREAS, Chapter 62, Article II of the Code of the Borough of Neptune City, which is currently entitled "Neptune City Community Center" establishes fees for use of the Neptune City Community Center by residents and nonresidents; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council of the Borough of Neptune City desires to establish a schedule of fees for use of Memorial Park and Adams Field and certain equipment which may be located thereon; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council for the Borough of Neptune City, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey as follows:

Section I.

Chapter 62, Article II of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Neptune City is hereby amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE II Neptune City Community Center and Recreational Facilities

§ 62-4. Registration and Rental Fees.

- A. An annual registration fee of ten dollars (\$10.) for adult residents between the ages of 18 and 59 shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for the use of the Neptune City Community Center. There shall be no registration fee for residents under the age of 18.
- B. Nonresidents of the Borough of Neptune City may utilize the Community Center in connection with their attendance at a registered program or group event.
- C. A Neptune City based organization having members that are residents of Neptune City and which has been designated as a nonprofit corporation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code shall be exempt from having to pay a rental fee for the use of the Neptune City Community Center. There shall be a maximum of twelve (12) exemptions per year per nonprofit organization.
- D. A rental fee of sixty dollars (\$60.) per hour for residents and one hundred dollars (\$100.) per hour for nonresidents shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for the use of the multi-purpose room of the Neptune City Community Center when the Center is open.
- E. A rental fee of sixty dollars (\$60.) per hour for residents and one hundred dollars (\$100.) per hour for nonresidents shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for the use of the gym of the Neptune City Community Center when the Center is open.
- F. A rental fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.) per hour for residents and one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.) per hour for nonresidents shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for

the use of the multipurpose room of the Neptune City Community Center when the Center is closed.

- G. A rental fee of eighty dollars (\$80.) per hour for residents and one hundred twenty dollars (\$120.) per hour for nonresidents shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for the use of the gym of the Neptune City Community Center when the Center is closed.
- H. A rental fee of one hundred eighty dollars (\$180.) per hour for residents and two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.) an hour shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for the use of all of the above rooms of the Neptune City Community Center when the Center is closed.
- I. A security deposit of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.) in addition to the above fees shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City for the use of the Neptune Community Center.
- J. A twenty-five percent (25%) discount shall apply for all rentals by an individual after that same individual has paid for six (6) rentals, in accordance with this Article, within a calendar year.
- K. Each Program Instructor that charges a fee for their program, shall pay to the Borough of Neptune City twenty percent (20%) of their receipts for their program. In the event the program is free, there will be no fee to the Borough of Neptune City.
- L. Rentals of Recreational Facilities –

(1) Memorial Park –

- i) Borough residents shall pay a rental fee of one hundred dollars (\$100) for use of Memorial Park with a one hundred dollar (\$100) refundable deposit.
- ii) Nonresidents of the Borough shall pay a rental fee of two hundred dollars (\$200) for use of Memorial Park with a one hundred dollar (\$100) refundable deposit.

(2) Memorial Park Kayak Racks –

- i) Borough residents shall pay an annual rental fee of one hundred dollars (\$100) to rent a space on the kayak rack. Registration shall open to Borough residents immediately upon passage of this ordinance and thereafter shall open on March 1st of each year;
- ii) Nonresidents of the Borough shall pay an annual rental fee of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) to rent a space on the kayak rack. Registration shall open to nonresidents of the Borough forty-five calendar days following the passage of this ordinance and thereafter shall open on April 15th of each year;

(3) Memorial Park Gazebo

- i) Rental of Gazebo will include a refundable deposit of twenty-five dollar (\$25) and a twenty-five dollar (\$25) permit fee for a two-hour rental shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City;

(3) Adams Field –

- i) A rental fee of fifty dollars (\$50) per game, per field shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City;
- ii) A rental fee of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City to rent a ballfield for one day;
- iii) A rental fee of seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750) shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City to rent a ballfield for ten days, with a limit of two games per day being played on the field;
- iv) A rental fee of fifteen percent (15%) of the gross registration fees collected by the hosting person or entity, or three hundred dollars (\$300), whichever is greater, shall be paid to the Borough of Neptune City to rent a ballfield for a tournament lasting two consecutive days.

(4) No fee shall be charged for use of any recreation facility or equipment for programs run by the Borough of Neptune City or the Neptune City Recreation Committee.

Section II.

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section III

If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this ordinance is held to be invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance which shall remain in effect.

Section IV.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication according to law.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Ordinance published herewith was introduced and approved at a meeting of the Borough of Neptune City, held on May 11, 2020. The Ordinance will be further considered for final passage after a public hearing thereon before the Borough Council of the Borough of Neptune City, during a meeting to be held on May 26, 2020 at the Municipal Complex, 106 West Sylvania Avenue, Neptune City, New Jersey at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be reached, or at any meeting to which that meeting may be adjourned, at which time any and all persons who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard. The proposed Ordinance in its entirety is on file in the Municipal Clerk's office and copies may be obtained without charge between the hours 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Tamara Brown, Clerk