

**RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY
OF THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES
OF THE FORT BERTHOLD INDIAN RESERVATION**

Resolution Title: Four Bears Park/Little Shell Celebration Ordinance

WHEREAS, This nation having accepted the Indian reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 and authority under said Act; and

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes generally authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities on behalf of and the interest of the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof; and

WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 3 and Section 5(i) of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes specifically grants to the Tribal Business Council all necessary sovereign authority to regulate and manage Tribal lands; and

WHEREAS, The Tribal Business Council desires to establish an ordinance to regulate the Four Bears Park area effective one week prior through one week after the Little Shell Celebration which is held on the second week in August of every year; and

WHEREAS, The Tribal Business Council has reviewed and fully considered the proposed ordinance for the Four Bears Park and the Little Shell Celebration and desires to enact the same; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes, hereby authorizes and approves the Ordinance to be known as the Four Bears Park/Little Shell Celebration Ordinance, a photostatic copy of which is attached.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of 7 members of whom 5 constitute a quorum. 5 were present at a Regular Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on 14th day of July, 2003; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such Meeting by the affirmative vote of 5 members, 0 opposed, 0 members abstained, 0 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated this 14th day of July, 2003.
Chairman voting [] not voting

Randy Phelan
Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:

Tom H. Hall

Chairman, Tribal Business Council

FOUR BEARS PARK/LITTLE SHELL CELEBRATION ORDINANCE
(IN EFFECT ONE WEEK PRIOR AND ONE AFTER CELEBRATION
WHICH IS HELD THE SECOND WEEKEND IN AUGUST)

The following Rules and Regulations have been adopted to conform to the needs of the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara Nation and all its entities to include and not limited to the Four Bears Park and Recreational Area.

These park use rules apply in all those areas which are under the control of or are operated by the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation.

RULES ENFORCEMENT POLICY

All rules of the Three Affiliated Tribes will be enforced within the park boundaries. Individuals violating these rules may receive a verbal or written warning, or may be cited and subject to a civil fine, or removed from the Park.

PUBLIC BEHAVIOR

1. At the time of the Little Shell Celebration(the Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday of the Second Weekend in August), No alcohol will be allowed in the Four Bears Park and Recreational Area.
2. The hours between one-half hour after sunset and sunrise are designated as quiet hours in the Park except during the Little Shell Celebration.
3. At the time of the Little Shell Celebration (the Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday of the Second Weekend in August), Frisbee Golf will not be allowed.
4. At the time of the Little Shell Celebration(the Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday of the Second Weekend in August), picture taking, filming, and recording in the arbor or camping area will not be allowed, unless permission has been granted by those participating and/or Little Shell Celebration Committee.

LIMITATION OF OCCUPANCY

1. Children under the age of sixteen must be accompanied by an adult in order to occupy a campsite in the park.
2. No camping unit, other than the RV Park, may be left unattended for more than twenty-four hours without written permission from the park manager.

CAMPING AND CAMPING EQUIPMENT

1. A person may only camp in areas designated as campsites.
2. No person may take, or attempt to take, possession of a campsite when it is occupied or when informed that such site is an occupied campsite, or when the site is posted with a "Reserved" sign, issued by the park manager.
3. An area "Reserved" for a family for the Little Shell Celebration may not be held no more than one week prior to Celebration.
4. All structures must be temporary or portable in nature, no person may build any permanent structure like a shade, cook house, etc.
5. All non-reserved campsites are available on a first-come first-serve basis.
6. All camping sites are restricted to one camping unit per campsite unless designated as a multiple or group camping area.
7. All campsites for the Little Shell Celebration must be cleared no later than one week after the final day of the Celebration.

PARK ROADS, TRAILS AND VEHICLE USE

1. All traffic control rules and signs posted within the park, including those located at park entrance must be obeyed.
2. No person may operate any vehicle, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, minibikes, bicycles, mountain trail bikes, mopeds, motorcycles, trail bikes, snowmobiles, and all-terrain vehicles beyond the roads and trails built and maintained for the operation of vehicles.
3. No person may park any vehicle, camper or trailer in any area not specifically designated for parking, unless parking is adjacent to campsite.
4. Parking for non-campers attending the Celebration will be at the area known as the "Rodeo Grounds" near the Fish Cleaning Station.

SANITATION/PERSONAL HYGIENE

1. No person may dispose of any refuse or waste except in places or receptacles provided for disposal.
2. Bathing in the park is permitted only at facilities constructed for that purpose.
3. At the time of the Little Shell Celebration (the Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday of the Second Weekend in August), the showers in the "A-frame" at the RV Park will be open and available for use by the Celebration campers.

ANIMALS

1. Any person who is the owner or handler of any animal must keep the animals on a leash and under physical control at all times while within the park.
2. No person may keep a noisy, vicious, or dangerous dog or other such animals in the park except for animals used to assist the disabled.
3. Animals are not allowed on any designated swimming areas in the park except for animals used to assist the disabled.
4. No person may tie or hitch any animal to a tree or plant.

DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

1. No person may destroy, deface, or remove, in any manner, any native, wild, or domesticated trees, shrubs or flowers.
2. No person may destroy, deface, remove, or disturb, in any manner, any real, personal, or public property, including, but not limited to, geological formations or features, historical and cultural artifacts.

BUILDING FIRES

No person may build a fire outside of stoves, grills, fireplaces, or other such places provided for building a fire. All fires must be attended by a person eighteen years of age or older at all times. Upon abandonment of the fire, it must be completely extinguished.

FIREARMS, BOWS AND ARROWS, SLINGSHOTS, BB GUNS AND FIREWORKS.

1. No person, with the exception of a duly authorized peace officer and Tribal Fish and Game Wardens, may possess a firearm in a park unless it is contained in a gun case and unloaded both in barrel and magazine, or unless otherwise authorized by park officials.
2. No person may discharge or set off within a park any firearm, bow and arrow, slingshot, BB guns, or any form of fireworks, unless authorized by park officials.

FEE AND PERMITS

1. No person may evade or attempt to evade any fee or other charge that may be levied for admission to or use of the Four Bears Park and Recreational area or facility contained therein.
2. While in the park, Little Shell Celebration visitors must have their daily camping permits affixed to the lower left-hand corner of their vehicles or camping unit windshield to be considered validly registered for admission.
3. Camping permits must be placed on the campsite marker specifically provided for that purpose. If no campsite marker is provided, the permit must be conspicuously displayed on the camping unit or on a vehicle parked on the campsite.
4. All fees for areas with a permanent shade/picnic area will be waived during the four days of the celebration.

CLOSED AREAS AND CLOSING HOURS

1. No person may enter or use a campsite or other area which is closed to public use.
2. No person may be admitted or allowed to remain in the Four Bears Park and Recreational area after the designated closing hour except for the purpose of rental or camping, unless the person has prior written permission from a park official.

BOAT RAMPS, AND MARINAS

1. NO SWIMMING ALLOWED
2. It is unlawful to possess glass containers and or Beer Bottles anywhere in Park, all beverages must in plastic or metal can.
3. Any person that swims in the park shall do so at their own risk.
4. Any person using any designated beach, boat ramp, or marina shall obey all posted rules and instructions given by park officials.
5. All watercraft operating in the park marinas or near boat ramps must be restricted to idle speed (i.e., 5 miles per hour or less).
6. Absolutely no playing, wading, fishing or attempting to swim with 100 feet on either side of the dock areas.

DEFINITIONS

1. "Camping Unit" means any vehicle or shelter specifically used for sleeping in or upon a portion of park land or water designated as a campsite.
2. "Camp Site" means any area so designated by the park management for the express purpose of camping. A campsite will normally include the following items: parking pad, picnic table and fireplace.
3. "Park Management" means the Three Affiliated Tribal Business Council or its designated representative.
4. "Park Manager" means the designated representative of the Three Affiliated Tribes, i.e., Four Bears Casino and Lodge, responsible for the administration of the park.
5. "Occupied Campsite" means a campsite where a valid camping permit is affixed to the campsite marker and a camping unit is onsite. If a camping unit is not onsite, a campsite is not occupied unless specific permission for leaving the campsite has been given by park officials.
6. "Park Officials" means any individual actively employed by the Three Affiliated Tribes or the Four Bears Casino and Lodge specifically authorized to enforce this ordinance.
7. "Park" includes and embraces all land and water under the supervision of the Four Bears Casino and Lodge except for the Four Bears Marina and Four Bears RV Park.
8. "Swimming Area" means an area marked by buoys, ropes, floats, or other United States Coast

Guard approved devices, in which swimming is allowed.

9. "Quiet Hours" means a period of time when loud noise of any nature is prohibited.

SPECIFIC RULES, REGULATIONS and FEES

SPEED LIMIT:

The established speed limit for the entire Four Bears Peninsula will be 15 mph. Park Officials will make visual inspections of the entire park area. All violations will be immediately reported to Law Enforcement.

ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES:

Are prohibited to travel anywhere other than on the pre-established graveled or hard surface trail.

FISHING CODE:

All park visitors are subject to the Three Affiliated Tribes Fishing Guide and Proclamation which governs the fishing rules and regulations within the exterior boundaries of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation.

CAMP FIRES:

All primitive campfires must have a three foot fire break surrounded by stones. The fire must be completely extinguished before leaving the premises.

LITTERING:

Absolutely no littering. Prior to leaving any site all refuse must be properly disposed of. Any person caught littering, or a site left with refuse will be fined a \$100.00 littering fee.

PICNIC AREA:

Park visitors must register at the Lodge Office for renting or reserving a picnic shelter. The fee for renting for one day will be \$5.00. We have six (6) flat roof shelters and three (3) "A" frame type shelters with two (2) picnic tables per site. The renting period will expired at 12 noon the following day. Security will strickly enforce the one day rental policy.

NOISE/PUBLIC DISTURBANCE:

Absolutely no loud noise or music during quiet hours.

CAMPING:

Camping in designated areas will be free for the first week. A fee of \$50.00 will be charged for the second week.

NO SWIMMING:

The Four Bears Park currently has no designated swimming area. Any person who is water playing, wading or attempting to swim will be doing so at their own risk. Any children, under the age of sixteen, who are left unattended will cause the Casino to notify the proper authorities.

PUBLIC FACILITIES:

The tenants of the RV Park have first preference at utilizing the Laundromat and shower facilities. In accordance with our pledge in making the Four Bears Park and Recreational area a safe and enjoyable environment, the Park Officials will be patrolling the area and issuing verbal warnings to visitors who are violating park rules and regulations. Any incident which calls for a second warning by the Casino Security or Official, the local peace officers or Fish and Game Wardens will be contacted.

ENFORCEMENT

Park Officials, and Law Enforcement, are authorized to enforce these rules and regulations and issue citations for any violation hereto.