

Upon introduction and motion by Councilman Robert Schmittlein and seconded by Councilwoman Mandy Simons, the following Resolution and Order was passed and adopted:

**CITY OF ELKO  
RESOLUTION NO. 16-16**

**A RESOLUTION AMENDING AND RESTATING RESOLUTION NO. 36-99 WHICH  
ESTABLISHED RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USE OF THE CITY OF  
ELKO PARK LANDS AND FACILITIES FOR SPECIAL EVENTS AND PERSONAL  
USE BY ADDING HOURS OF OPERATION FOR CITY PARKS**

WHEREAS, the Elko City Charter Article 2.250(2) empowers the City Council to regulate the use of public parks, buildings, grounds, and rights-of-way and prevent unlawful use thereof, and:

WHEREAS, the City Council has deemed it necessary to establish hours of operations for city parks within the City of Elko.

NOW IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the following amended rules and regulations shall govern the use of the City of Elko park lands and facilities for special events or personal use:

**PROVISIONS**

It is to be the policy of the City of Elko to extend the use of the City park lands and facilities to its citizens in every reasonable way. It has been recognized that these parks can enhance the quality of life for all residents of the City when utilized appropriately. To secure the highest quality and availability the City must commit enormous resources into the maintenance and up keep of its parks and facilities.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

All plans, set-ups, and displays must be submitted and pre-approved through the "Special Event" process at the Parks Department.

To hold a "Special Event" within the park area, all license requirements must be complied with through the City Clerk's office.

One support team and/or security team will be required per event.

The event sponsor will be responsible for any and all repairs needed as a result of the event.

**CAMPING**

Tents and sleeping bags will be allowed only upon approval by the City Council, not to exceed two (2) nights, in an approved area set by the Parks Department.

**One** RV/Camper which is associated with a "Special Event" will be allowed per event and only in a designated area set by the Parks Department. At no time will septage dumping be allowed within the parks.

**VEHICLES**

The only vehicles allowed on landscaped and turf areas at any one time are:

- Park maintenance and improvement vehicles.
- Emergency vehicles.
- Approved "Special Events" that are vehicle oriented.  
(can be reviewed for denial by the Board of Supervisors)
- Temporary loading and unloading for "Special Events" to be removed immediately upon completion of task (less than 10,000 GVWR)

**CARNIVALS**

No carnivals will be allowed within the public park area or associated rights-of-way.

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

No alcoholic beverages are allowed within the public park area except in designated areas.

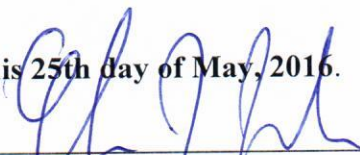
**PARK HOURS OF OPERATION**

All parks within the city limits of Elko shall open at 6:00 a.m. and close at 12:00 a.m. with the following exceptions:

- **Angel Park: April – October = Open 6:00 a.m. and close at 9:00 p.m.  
November – March = Open 6:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m.**
- **Extended hours approved through the Parks Department.**
- **Closures due to maintenance.**

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption of this Resolution 36-99 by the City Council, it shall be signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk and shall be in full force upon date of adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of May, 2016.**




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**CHRIS JOHNSON, MAYOR**

**ATTEST:**




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**SHANELL OWEN, CITY CLERK**

**VOTE:**

- AYES: Mayor Chris Johnson, Councilwoman Mandy Simons, Councilmen: John Rice, Reece Keener, Robert Schmidlein**
- NAYES: None**
- ABSENT: None**
- ABSTAIN: None**