

ORDINANCE 2023-16

TOWN OF LADY LAKE, FLORIDA

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF LADY LAKE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE VI, DIVISION 2 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE TOWN OF LADY LAKE, FLORIDA, SETTING FORTH PROCEDURES FOR THE USE OF TOWN PARKS AND FACILITIES AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE USE OF TOWN PARKS AND FACILITIES, INCLUDING PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Lady Lake opened Snooky Park in 2023, a 2,000 foot walking trail winding through shade covered paths. Amenities include picnic shelters, water fountains and restrooms. The Town of Lady Lake dedicated the park in honor of U.S. Navy veteran Atticus “Snooky” Blanton, who was lost on the USS Arizona in the attack on Pearl Harbor in 1941; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Lady Lake has elected to amend Chapter 2, Article VI, Division 2 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Lady Lake to establish procedures for the use of Snooky Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Commission of the Town of Lady Lake, Florida :

Section 1. Amendment. Chapter 2, Article VI, Division 2 of the Code of Ordinances for the Town of Lady Lake, Florida is hereby amended as follows.

Sec. 2-200.17 Snooky Park.

Hours of Operation are from sunrise to sunset.

General regulations regarding security deposits and liability (see Sec. 2-200.6 Security Deposit and Liability of Applicant for Damage to Town Facility)

General regulations governing use of all town park facilities apply (see Sec. 2-200.8 Regulations Governing use of all Town Facilities)

No motorized vehicles of any type are permitted in Snooky Park. This does not include accessibility scooters and chairs.

While dogs are permitted in Snooky Park, they must always be under control and cleaned up after.

Section 2. Conflicts.

All ordinances or part of ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. Severability.

If any section, sentence, phrase, word or portion of this Ordinance is determined to be invalid, unlawful or unconstitutional, said determination shall not be held to invalidate or impair the validity, force or effect of any other section, sentence, phrase, word or portion of this Ordinance not otherwise determined to be invalid, unlawful or unconstitutional.

Section 4. Codification.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be codified as and become part of the Codes of Ordinances, Town of Lady Lake. The sections of this Ordinance may be re-numbered or re-lettered to accomplish such intention and the word "Ordinance", or similar words, may be changed to "Section", "Article", or other appropriate word.

Section 5. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and adoption according to law.

PASSED AND ORDAINED this 20th day of November, 2023, in the regular session of the Town Commission of the Town of Lady Lake, Lake County, Florida, upon second and final reading.

Town of Lady Lake, Florida

Ed Freeman, Mayor

Attest:

Nancy Wilson, Town Clerk

Approved as to form:

Derek Schroth, Town Attorney