

STATE OF TEXAS X
COUNTY OF BEXAR X
CITY OF CONVERSE X

1st Reading: 11/16/2021
2nd Reading: 12/07/2021

ORDINANCE # 330-2021A

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF CONVERSE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 30 – PARKS AND RECREATION, ARTICLE III. RULES AND REGULATIONS, SECTION 30-64 APPLICABILITY, SECTION 30-65 HOURS OF OPERATION, SECTION 30-66 REGULATIONS, AND SECTION 30-67 FACILITY CHARGES AND USE REGULATIONS; SUPERCEDING ORDINANCES REGULATING THE ABOVE ISSUES; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Converse, Texas finds a need for guidelines concerning the use of public park facilities and recreational areas to be amended to regulate the reservation and fees for the use of the Anton Schumann Park facilities and recreational areas; and,

WHEREAS, the need to amend regulations exists to protect public safety and property, and to preserve the good government, order, and security of the municipality and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Converse, Texas, that Chapter 30. Parks and Recreation, Article III. Rules and Regulations, of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1 – AMENDMENTS

- 1) By amending Section 30-64 Applicability, by inserting (adding) Subsection (5) to Section 30-64, to read as follows:

Sec. 30-64. Applicability.

- (5) One, 18.05-acre plus tract of land located at 10565 Old Cimarron Trail, named the Anton Schumann Park.

- 2) By amending Section 30-64. Hours of Operation, by striking-through language to be removed from Subsection (2), to read as follows:

Sec. 30-65. – Hours of Operation.

- (2) For special activities, i.e., scouting groups or camping ~~, when approved by the city manager .~~

- 3) By amending Section 30-66. Regulations, by inserting (adding) language to Subsection (3) General Policies, to read as follows:

Sec. 30-66. Regulations.

- (3) *General Policies.*

- f. Dogs must be on a leash at all times.
- g. Dispose of dog waste in trash receptacles located within the park.

- 4) By amending Section 30-66. Regulations, by inserting (adding) Subsection (6) Anton Schumann Park, to read as follows:

Sec. 30-66. Regulations.

(6) Anton Schumann Park.

- a. Reservations for Special Events and Camping is permitted by registering the vehicles and persons at the Overnight Camping Rate.
- b. Smoking on premises is prohibited.
- c. Hunting on premises is prohibited.
- d. Horses on premises is prohibited.
- e. Do not disturb wildlife. Park is observation only, of any deer, coyotes, possums, raccoons, rabbits, bobcats, wild pigs, bats, birds, snakes or any other wild animal.
- f. Do not touch or remove any plants or fruits to include any berries or nuts.

- 5) By amending Section 30-67. Facility Charges and Use Regulations, by inserting (adding) language underlined to Table Item 7., to read as follows:

Sec. 30-67. Facility charges and use regulations.

Facility	Charges
7. Overnight Camping, park only	\$10.00 per vehicle per night for camping in North Park & City Park, <u>Anton Schumann Park.</u>

SECTION 2- SUPERCESSION

This Ordinance supersedes all previous versions in conflict with the purpose of this ordinance relating to Chapter 30, Parks and Recreation, Article III. Rules and Regulations, of the Code of Ordinances.

SECTION 3 - EFFECTIVE

This ordinance shall become effective after its publication in the newspaper as provided by the Charter of the City of Converse, Texas.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Converse, Texas
on this _____ day of _____, 2021

Al Suarez, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lisa Hernandez, City Secretary