EXCERPT LEELANAU COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS REGULAR SESSION – MAY 11, 1971

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The Roll was called and members were present as follows:

District #1	Thomas Lindquist
District #2	Otto Mork
District #3	Elmer Warner
District #4	Arthur Borsch
District #5	Constance Binsfeld

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LEELANAU COUNTY PARK REGULATION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USE AND MAINTENANCE OF OLD SETTLERS PICNIC GROUNDS, COUNTY PARKS, BATHING BEACHES, BOAT LAUNCHING RAMP, AND PLACES OF RECREATION, INCLUDING THE HOURS WHICH THE SAME SHALL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

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The County Board of Commissioners, Leelanau County, Michigan, Ordains:

Section 1. Name.

This ordinance shall be known and cited as the Leelanau County Park Regulation Ordinance.

Section 2. Power Boats.

- (a) No power boats shall be propelled by motors within 100 feet with that area designated as bathing beaches.
- (b) Boat trailers and motor vehicles shall be parked within that area designated for parking and under no circumstances shall be parked within places of recreation.

Section 3. Liquor Prohibition.

No beer, wine or intoxicating liquors, of whatsoever nature, shall be consumed within or about the County parks, picnic grounds, bathing beaches, and places of recreation.

Section 4. Tents and House Trailers.

No tents, housetrailers or campers shall be allowed within county parks, picnic grounds or places of recreation, either temporarily or otherwise.

Section 5. General Use of County Parks and Picnic Grounds.

- (a) Any fires for cooking must be made within the grills provided for the purpose or within other privately owned grills which are designed to retain the ashes and prevent their deposit upon the ground. No fires shall be built directly upon the ground.
- (b) All trash and debris must be deposited within the containers provided for the purpose and must not be allowed to remain upon the ground.

- Picnic tables must not be used by one family or one group for an unreasonable (c) length of time and must be allowed to be circulated among the occupants of the park, picnic grounds or place of recreation.
- County property shall not be damaged or destroyed and shall be treated with (d) respect for the next user.
- County parks, picnic grounds and places of recreation shall be open from 6:00 (e) a.m. until two (2) hours after sundown of each day and shall be closed to the public during the remainder of the day and night.
- No dogs or other animals shall be allowed within county parks, picnic grounds (f) and places of recreation unless the same are on a leash or kept within a secure container which prohibits their release.

Section 6. Penalties.

Any person, firm, or corporation, which violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed ninety (90) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. In addition to the foregoing, any person violating the provisions of this ordinance may be required to leave the county park or place of recreation by the supervisor in charge thereof, or any peace officer, as the case may be.

Section 7. Validity.

Should any section, clause, or provision of this ordinance be declared by courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

Section 8. Effective Date.

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This ordinance shall take effect pending signature of Governor Milliken.

A Motion was made by Commissioner Binsfeld and supported by Commissioner Mork that the above Ordinance be adopted. All Districts (5) Having Voted Yes.

MOTION CARRIED

(Recorded in Board of Supervisor's Record Liber 7, Pages 183-184.)