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Proposed Park Ordinance

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Sec. 30-5.5. - Closing hours.

It shall be unlawful for any person to go upon or remain upon the lands or premises of any park owned by the town, including any town-owned parking area appurtenant thereto, after dusk and before dawn, except as follows:

- (1) Public officials or employees in the performance of their duties;
- (2) Persons participating in or witnessing events where public authorities have given specific permission to exceed the above-stated time limits.

The town manager or their designee may issue permits for nighttime use of a town-owned park upon written application accompanied by reasonable demonstration that such use or activity is not at variance with the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare, with particular regard to lighting, noise control and sanitation, and that such use or activity shall comply with other applicable state statutes and rules and regulations and with other city ordinances and rules and regulations and accompanied by such other documentation as the governing body may reasonably require.