Purpose of the Green Book:

The Green Book is a resource to facilitate accessing the numerous ordinances which protect our parks and other public properties and is intended to aid in ensuring a safe healthy environment.

Mission Statement:

To Improve the quality of life, health and wellness of our community by providing socially equitable, community-driven programming and environmentally sound natural resource management.

The Green Book is a collaborative between the following agencies:

Kansas City, Missouri Parks and Recreation Department
Kansas City, Missouri Police Department
Kansas City, Missouri Prosecutors Office
Kansas City, Missouri Law Department

NOTE: For parks-related violations, where necessary, subpoena Terry Rynard, Deputy Director of Parks and Recreation at 4600 E. 63rd Street, KCMO and include a copy of the citation with the summons.
Primary Contact:

North Area Superintendent
Kevin Evans
816-513-8582 Office  816-885-9395 Cell

Central Area Superintendent
Louis Cummings
816-513-8554 Office  816-719-3176 Cell

South Area Superintendent
Colby Biswell
816-513-8930 Office  816-405-8148 Cell

Secondary Contact:

Deputy Director
Terry Rynard
816-513-7505 Office  816-226-3968 Cell

City of Kansas City, Missouri
Director of Security
David Severenuk
816-513-1409 Office  816-719-0175 Cell
816-247-7005 Pager

Administrative Offices:

Kansas City, Missouri Parks and Recreation
4600 East 63rd
Kansas City, MO  64130
816-513-7500
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ADVERTISEMENTS
Did (Erect a sign or Display or Display an unattended advertisement) along a (Boulevard, Street, Parkway, Park Road or elsewhere in a Park or Public Grounds under control and management of the Board of Parks and Recreation)
Penalty provision 1-17

ALL-TERRAIN AND OFF-ROAD VEHICLES
Did operate an all-terrain vehicle upon a street, park, sidewalk or other public property
Penalty provision 70-101

ANIMALS
Did (as owner, keeper, or harbore of a dog) allow the dog to run at large excluding any person permitting or allowing a dog to run at large within an “off-leash area” established on parks under the control and management of the Board of Parks and Recreation Commissioners
Penalty provision 14-51

ANIMALS (DISPOSAL OF DEAD ANIMALS)
Did possess a carcass of an animal not to be used for food upon any street, sidewalk, park, public ground, private lot unless placed for pickup after having given notice to the city.
Penalty provision 1-17

ARROWS
Did use bows and arrows within the city limits (on private property in a manner endangering the life, limb or property of another or on city park property without approval of the Parks and Recreation Department)
Penalty provision 1-17
50-196 BALL GAMES
DID PLAY OR PARTICIPATE IN ANY GAME OF BALL
UPON THE STREET, SIDEWALK, PUBLIC SQUARE OR
PUBLIC PARK IN AN AREA NOT DESIGNED FOR THAT
PURPOSE
Penalty provision 1-17

50-123 BICYCLE
DID OPERATE (VELOCIPEDE, BICYCLE, TRICYCLE,
WHEELBARROW, HANDCART OR OTHER VEHICLE)
UPON SIDEWALKS, CURBSTONES, GRASS PLOTS OR
PLANTING SPACE OF ANY PARK, BOULEVARD, PARK-
WAY, AVENUE, STREET OR PARK ROAD.
Penalty provision 1-17

64-10 BOTTLES AND GLASS
DID (TAKE, THROW, PLACE OR CAUSE TO BE TAKEN,
THROWN OR PLACED) GLASS BEVERAGE BOTTLES (IN
OR UPON ANY PARK, RECREATIONAL FACILITY, OR
PUBLIC GROUNDS)
Penalty provision 1-17

50-152 CONSUME ALCOHOL
DID CONSUME INTOXICATING LIQUOR ON A PUBLIC
(STREET, SIDEWALK, or PARK) WITHOUT APPROVAL
OF PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
Penalty provision 1-17

50-237 CURFEW
(a) FOR MINOR
DID (LOITER, WANDER, STROLL OR PLAY) IN OR
UPON (THE STREETS, HIGHWAYS, ROADS, ALLEYS,
PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS OR OTHER PUBLIC PLACES)
UNSUPERVISED BY AN ADULT HAVING THE LAWFUL
AUTHORITY TO BE AT SUCH PLACES, BETWEEN THE
HOURS OF 11 P.M.—6 A.M. (WEEKDAYS) AND
12 A.M.—6 A.M. (WEEKENDS)
Penalty provision 1-17

(b) FOR PARENT / GUARDIAN OF MINOR
DID ALLOW A MINOR UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE TO
(LOITER, WANDER, STROLL OR PLAY) IN OR UPON (THE
STREETS, HIGHWAY, ROADS, ALLEYS, PARKS,
PLAYGROUNDS OR OTHER PUBLIC PLACES)
UNSUPERVISED BY AN ADULT HAVING THE LAWFUL
AUTHORITY TO BE AT SUCH PLACES, BETWEEN THE
HOURS OF 11 P.M.—6 A.M. (WEEKDAYS) AND
12 A.M.—6 A.M. (WEEKENDS)
Penalty provision 50-237(b)

50-125 DEFACING PROPERTY WITH PAINT
(a) DID WILLFULLY (INJURE, DEFINE, DAMAGE) A
PUBLIC OWNED (BUILDING, FENCE, WALL,
DUMPSTER, TRASH RECEPTACLE, VEHICLE,
EMBARKMENT, HOUSE, SIGN, SHELTER, ENCLOSURE,
PAVED SURFACE) OWNED BY THE CITY OF KCMO
THROUGH APPLICATION OF AEROSOL PAINT
(b) DID AS MINOR, POSSESS AEROSOL PAINT
WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION

Penalty provision 50-125

70-235 DRIVING ON SIDEWALK
DID OPERATE A MOTORIZED VEHICLE UPON
(SIDEWALK, PARK, OR PUBLIC ROAD)
Penalty provision 70-101

62-89(a) DUMPING
DID DUMP, DEPOSIT, CAUSE TO BE DEPOSITED, OR PER-
MIT THE DUMPING OF ANY (GARBAGE, RUBBISH, LITTER
OR OTHER DISAGREEABLE THING, I.E. DOG WASTE) IN ANY
PUBLIC PLACE, PUBLIC BUILDING, OR SIDEWALK, STREET,
BOULEVARD, HIGHWAY, ALLEY, PARKWAY, OR PRIVATE
PROPERTY
Penalty provision 62-89 (a)

Note: The maximum fine on this violation is $1,000 or 180
days imprisonment or both. Note also if you find garbage but
not the person who dumped, 3 or more items traceable to
that individual is sufficient evidence to charge pursuant to
subsection (b) of the ordinance. Keep as evidence as many
pieces of mail (at least 3) addressed to the individual to be
charged and take photos at the scene showing where the
items were dumped. Bring evidence to court for trial.
EXCAVATION IN PARKS, PARKWAYS AND BOULEVARDS
DID EXCAVATE ON PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF KCMO UNDER CONTROL OF THE BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSIONERS WITHOUT A PERMIT.
Penalty provision 64-131

50-202
FOUNTAINS
DID ENTER (A FOUNTAIN UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT or BRUSH CREEK) FOR THE PURPOSE OF (SWIMMING, WADING)
Penalty provision 1-17

MISSILES (THROWING MISSILES)
DID THROW (STONES, MISSILES) IN A MANNER LIKELY TO INJURE PERSONS OR DAMAGE PROPERTY WITHIN OR NEAR ANY (PARK, BOULEVARD, AVENUE, STREET, PARKWAY)
Penalty provision 1-17

70-523
PARKING
DID UNLAWFULLY PARK THE ABOVE DESCRIBED VEHICLE WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS AND THEN AND THERE COMMIT THE FOLLOWING OFFENSE UPON A STREET OR HIGHWAY
Unattended Motor Vehicle, 70-521
Stopping, Standing, or Parking on Roadway, 70-521
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Signs Posted Prohibiting, 70-523 (A3B)
Penalty provision 70-101

50-163
SELLING ARTICLES
DID EXPOSE ITEM(S) FOR SALE IN A (PARK, STREET, ROAD, ETC.) WITHOUT PERMIT FROM THE APPROPRIATE BOARD (i.e. Parks & Recreation or the City)
Penalty provision 1-17

50-104(a)
SHELTERS
DID (OCCUPY, USE, OR ATTEMPT TO CONTROL THE USE OF) ANY SHELTER HOUSE (AFTER BEING NOTIFIED or HAVING KNOWLEDGE OF) A WRITTEN RESERVATION HAVING BEEN ISSUED
Penalty provision 50-104(b)
NOTE: Take possession of the notice that is posted or take a photograph of the notice shown at the shelter to be used as evidence

50-197
SKATING
DID SLIDE OR COAST UPON ANY SLED, WAGON, CART OR SKATES IN A PUBLIC SQUARE OR PARK IN AN AREA NOT DESIGNATED FOR THAT PURPOSE
Penalty provision 1-17

50-107
TENTS
DID (PUT, MAINTAIN OR OCCUPY) A TENT EITHER TEMPORARILY OR OTHERWISE UPON (A VACANT or AN UNENCLOSED LOT or GROUNDS) WITHIN THE CITY WITHOUT THE EXPRESS WRITTEN CONSENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
Penalty provision 1-17

50-271
TRAPPING
DID TRAP IN PATHS MADE OR USED BY PERSONS OR DOMESTIC ANIMALS IN A PUBLIC PARK OF THE CITY UNLESS EXPRESSLY PERMITTED BY THE BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION
NOTE: Violators shall be punished for the violation be a fine of not more than $1,000.00 or by imprisonment of not more than 180 days or by both such fine and imprisonment.
TRUCKS

DID ENTER UPON (A PARK, STREET, BOULEVARD OR PARK ROAD) WHERE TRUCKS ARE PROHIBITED

Penalty provision 70-101

TRIMMING

DID TREE TRIM ON STREETS, BOULEVARDS, PARKS OR PARKWAYS OF THE CITY WITHOUT THE AUTHORITY OR PERMISSION OF THE BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION

Penalty provision 70-101

TRUCKS

DID ENTER UPON (A PARK, STREET, BOULEVARD OR PARK ROAD) WHERE TRUCKS ARE PROHIBITED

NOTE: Truck is defined in this section to include any motor vehicle designed or used for transporting property or which has a truck registration plate except those rated at 7,000 pounds or less and which do not display an advertisement of any sale.

Penalty provision 70-101

URINATING IN PUBLIC

DID KNOWINGLY URINATE, DEFECATE OR OTHERWISE DISCARD OR DISPOSE OF HUMAN WASTE OR EXCRETIONS ON OR IN A (PUBLIC STREET, SIDEWALK, ALLEY, PARK, PARKWAY, PARKING LOT, BUILDING, RIGHT-OF-WAY, EASEMENT OR OTHER PUBLIC PLACE) EXCEPT IN A TOILET OR URINAL IN A PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY ENCLOSED STRUCTURE

Penalty provision 1-17

VANDALISM (INSTITUTIONAL VANDALISM)

DID KNOWINGLY VANDALIZE, DEFACE OR DAMAGE (CEMETARY, MONUMENT, COMMUNITY CENTER, GROUNDS ADJACENT TO SUCH FACILITY or PERSONAL PROPERTY BELONGING TO SUCH FACILITY)

Penalty provision 50-124

WEAPON (CARRY CONCEALED)

DID KNOWINGLY CARRY CONCEALED ON OR ABOUT HIS PERSON A (describe weapon) READILY CAPABLE OF LETHAL USE IN AN ANGRY OR THREATENING MANNER

Penalty provision 50-262

WEAPONS (DISCHARGE FIREARMS GENERALLY)

DID KNOWINGLY SHOOT OR DISCHARGE (DESCRIBE GUN, REVOLVER, AIR RIFLE, ETC.—WHETHER LOADED WITH POWDER OR BALL OR SHOT OF BLANK CARTRIDGES) WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS WHILE NOT EXPECTED BY ORDINANCE

Penalty provision 1-17

WEAPON (EXHIBITING)

DID KNOWINGLY EXHIBIT IN THE PRESENCE OF (name) A (describe weapon) READILY CAPABLE OF LETHAL USE IN AN ANGRY OR THREATENING MANNER BY (describe act)

Penalty provision 50-262

WEAPON (POSESSES OR DISCHARGES WHILE INTOXICATED)

DID KNOWINGLY (POSSESS/DISCHARGE) A (describe firearm or projectile weapon) READILY CAPABLE OF LETHAL FORCE WHILE INTOXICATED

Penalty provision 50-262

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DID KNOWINGLY SHOOT OR DISCHARGE (DESCRIBE GUN, REVOLVER, AIR RIFLE, ETC.—WHETHER LOADED WITH POWDER OR BALL OR SHOT OF BLANK CARTRIDGES) WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS WHILE NOT EXPECTED BY ORDINANCE

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Penalty provision 50-124
KCMO COMMUNITY CENTERS

Tony Aguirre Community Center
2050 West Pennway
Kansas City, Missouri 64108
816-784-1300

Brush Creek Community Center
3801 Emanuel Cleaver II Blvd.
Kansas City, Missouri 64110
816-513-0703

Garrison Community Center
1124 East 5th Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64106
816-784-1140

Gregg/Klice Community Center
1600 John “Buck” O’Neil Way
Kansas City, Missouri 64108
816-513-0651

Hillcrest Community Center
10401 Hillcrest Road
Kansas City, Missouri 64134
816-784-7000

Kansas City North Community Center
3930 N.E. Antioch Road
Kansas City, Missouri 64117
816-784-6100

Line Creek Ice Arena & Community Center
5940 N.W. Waukomis Drive
Kansas City, Missouri 64151
816-513-0760

Marlborough Community Center
8200 The Paseo Blvd.
Kansas City, Missouri 64131
816-784-3100

Southeast Community Center in Swope Park
4201 E. 63rd St.
Kansas City, Missouri 64130
816-513-0630

Westport-Roanoke Community Center
3601 Roanoke Road
Kansas City, Missouri 64111
816-784-5200

CULTURAL/HISTORICAL CENTERS

National WWI Museum at Liberty Memorial
100 W. 26th St.
Kansas City, Missouri 64108
816-888-8100

Black Archives of Mid-America
1722 E. 17th Terrace
Kansas City, Missouri 64108
816-221-1600

Bruce R. Watkins Cultural Heritage Center
3700 Blue Parkway
Kansas City, Missouri 64130
816-513-0700

Ethnic Enrichment Commission
4600 E. 63rd St
Kansas City, Missouri 64130
816-513-7553

Shoal Creek Living History Museum
7000 Northeast Barry Rd.
Kansas City, Missouri 64157
816-792-2655

Trailside Center
9901 Holmes
Kansas City, Missouri 64131
816-942-3581
GARDEN/NATURE CENTERS

Kansas City Community Gardens
6917 Kensington
Kansas City, Missouri 64132
816-931-3877

Lakeside Nature Center
4701 E. Gregory Blvd.
Kansas City, Missouri 64132
816-513-8960

Loose Park Garden Center
5200 Pennsylvania Ave.
Kansas City, Missouri 64112
816-784-5300

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