

**ORDINANCE NO. 2002-001**  
**AN ORDINANCE OF THE ISLA VISTA RECREATION AND**  
**PARK DISTRICT PROHIBITING STORAGE OR DUMPING**  
**ON PARK DISTRICT PROPERTY**  
**(As amended November 8, 2012)**

Be it Ordained by the Board of Directors of the Isla Vista Recreation and Park District (called the "Park District") as follows:

**Section 1. Statement of Purpose.**

The property of the Park District should be clean, sanitary, and readily accessible to residents and the public at large. The use of these areas for dumping or storage of refuse or personal property interferes with the rights of others to use these areas for park and recreation purposes and creates health and safety hazards for Park District staff and the public. The purpose of this Ordinance is to maintain Park District property in a clean, sanitary, and accessible condition for the benefit of the public at large and to protect the health and safety of Park District staff and the public.

**Section 2. Definitions.**

Unless the particular provisions or the context otherwise requires, the definitions contained in this section shall govern the construction, meaning and application of words and phrases used in this Ordinance.

- (a) "Refuse" means all types of solid wastes, including garbage, rubbish, litter and any other solid waste matter.
- (b) "Personal Property" means tangible personal property of any kind, including material designated as recyclable by the County of Santa Barbara or a collector under contract with the County to regularly collect recyclable materials.
- (c) "Public Property" means any real property owned or controlled by the Park District.

**Section 3. Storage or Dumping Prohibited**

No person shall dump, store, cache, abandon, deposit, keep, maintain, or tend refuse or personal property on any Public Property without a permit from the Park District.

**Section 4. Removal of Refuse or Personal Property.**

When refuse or personal property is found unattended in any Public Property it may be removed and disposed of by the Park District in accordance with this Ordinance (referred to herein as "Removal").

**Section 5. Procedure for Removal.**

In a case personal property is deemed to be valued at fifty dollars (\$50) or more, the district manager of the Park District, or a person designated by the district manager, will authorize the items to be removed and held at the District Lost and Found for a period of 72 hours. If after a period of 72 hours the personal property is not claimed the items will be disposed of.

**Section 6. Punishment.**

Violation of this ordinance is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of hundred dollars (\$100) or the maximum allowed by law at the time of violation. Any citation issued for violation of this ordinance may be processed as an infraction.

**Section 7. Enforcement.**

Any uniformed District employee, District park ranger, peace officer, including but not limited to, members of the Isla Vista Foot Patrol, Santa Barbara County Sheriff’s Department, California Highway Patrol and University of California Campus Police, shall have the authority to enforce this Ordinance. Furthermore, at the direction of the General Manager, District staff shall have the authority to deny use of District parks, facilities and programs to individuals and groups who violate this ordinance.

**Section 8. Removal of Violators.**

When it reasonably appears that a person has violated this ordinance, the General Manager of the Isla Vista Recreation and Park District, or any other person authorized to enforce this ordinance, may direct said person to leave the park and to remain out of all District parks for a period of 48 hours. A second violation of this ordinance may result in said person being directed to remain out of all District parks for a period of up to one year. Refusal to leave, or returning to District parks within the time prescribed, is a violation of this ordinance and the violator may be subject to arrest. This section is not intended to replace or supersede Section 148 of the California Penal Code.

**Section 9. Effective Date.**

This ordinance will be effective thirty (30) days from the date of adoption or publication whichever date occurs last.

The Board of Directors of the Isla Vista Recreation and Park District adopted the foregoing Ordinance No. 2002-001 at a meeting held on November 8, 2012 by the following vote:

- AYES: DREIZLER, WARFIELD, LAGERQUIST, NEUSHUL, MURDOCK
- NOES:
- ABSTAIN:
- ABSENT:

ATTEST

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Leif Dreizler, Chairperson

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Rodney Gould, Secretary of the Board