

**"AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER TWENTY-TWO (22)  
ARTICLE TWO (2), SECTION TWENTY TWO-NINETEEN (22-19)  
AND TO ADD SECTION TWENTY TWO-TWENTY (22-20) OF THE  
CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE,  
ENTITLED "PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS-REGULATIONS"**

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1.** THAT CHAPTER NINETEEN (19), ARTICLE TWO (2), SECTION TWENTY-TWO-NINETEEN (22-19) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE SHALL BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

**" Smoking and the use of all tobacco products is prohibited in or on playgrounds and parks within the Town of North Providence to a distance including 25 feet of any entrance into or exit out of said playgrounds and parks, including athletic fields and public events involving youth, families and seniors."**

**SECTION 2.** THAT CHAPTER NINETEEN (19), ARTICLE TWO (2), SECTION TWENTY-TWO-TWENTY (22-20) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:

**Penalties.**

**Any person violating Section 22-1 through 22-18 of the Code of Ordinances shall be punished by a fine of not more than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.**

**Any person who violates Section 22-19 of the Code of Ordinances shall be deemed to be creating a public nuisance and violators shall be punishable to and subject to a fine of not less than \$100.00 and/or prosecuted in accordance with state statutes where applicable.**

**SECTION 3.** THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND/OR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE IS HEREBY DIRECTED FORTHWITH TO CAUSE CONSPICUOUS SIGNS TO BE ERECTED GIVING NOTICE OF THE SAME.

**SECTION 4.** ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS THEREOF OF INCONSISTENT  
HEREWITH ARE HEREBY REPEALED.

**SECTION 5.** THIS ORDINANCE SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON ITS ADOPTION.

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:**

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TOWN SOLICITOR

ADOPTED: August 2, 2016

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT

MAYOR

  
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TOWN CLERK