

**CITY OF ABSECON**

**ORDINANCE 14-2021**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ABSECON,  
CHAPTER 297–SMOKING RESTRICTIONS IN RECREATION AREAS**

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABSECON CITY, NEW JERSEY** that Chapter 297-Smoking Restrictions in Recreation Areas, be amended to as follows:

**§ 297-1. Prohibition Applicable to Ball Fields and Municipal Parks.**

The City of Absecon, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40-48-1 and J.J.S. a. 40:48-2, deems it in the public interest to prohibit smoking, defined as the burning of a cigar, cigarette, pipe or any other matter or substance which contains tobacco, cannabis, and/or other similar product in the areas of Absecon:

- A. The Municipal Park ("Pitney Park") located at Pitney Road and also Morton Ave.
- B. The Municipal Park ("Heritage Park") located on Ambassador Drive
- C. The Municipal Park ("Faunce Landing") located on Faunce Landing Road and 4<sup>th</sup> Street
- D. The Municipal Park ("Turner Cove") located on White Horse Pike and Turner Avenue
- E. The Municipal Park ("Veteran's Park") located on 167 New Road
- F. The Municipal Park ("Franklin Blvd") located on North Franklin Blvd and E. Bolton Avenue

**§ 297-3 – Violations and Penalties.**

**SECTION 1.** Any person violating or failing to comply with any provisions of this article shall be fined \$150.00 for a first offense, and fined \$300.00 for subsequent offenses.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that:

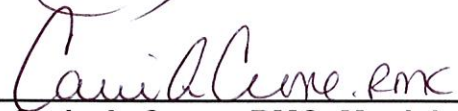
1. Any Ordinance or parts of ordinances, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistency.
2. This ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication as required by Law.

**Dated: August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**SIGNED:**

  
**Kimberly Horton, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

  
**Carie A. Crone, RMC, Municipal Clerk**

Passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Municipal Council held on July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Laid over and advertised for public hearing and final adoption on August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Notice is hereby given that the foregoing Ordinance was approved for final adoption by the Municipal Council of the City of Absecon at a regular meeting held on August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021.