

**MILLERSBURG BOROUGH
DAUPHIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 15-01

**A RESOLUTION REGULATING WATERCRAFT STORAGE
WITHIN MILLERSBURG BOROUGH PUBLIC PARKS**

WHEREAS, the Borough Council has passed Ordinance No. 2-15 known as the Millersburg Borough Boating Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Section 4 of Ordinance No. 2-15 permits the Borough Council to set specific regulations governing the docking of Watercraft within Millersburg Borough Public Parks; and

WHEREAS, the intent of the ordinance is to create an orderly and aesthetically pleasing recreational area while allowing for the operation of Watercraft and to allow the Borough to quickly identify and contact the owners of watercraft; and

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Committee of the Borough Council has reviewed and approved the following regulations:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. A single watercraft shall not exceed eight (8) feet in width and a single dock shall not exceed three (3) feet in width. No individual shall be allowed to place more than one watercraft and a single dock in the public park at any given time. An individual may register any number of watercraft, but may only dock one watercraft at a time. Boaters shall arrange their boats and docks in such a manner as to allow the maximum number of boats to dock, while also allowing suitable space to allow other users to access the water and their watercraft.
2. All Watercraft shall be docked perpendicular to the shore. In general, this shall mean that the bow or stern is facing the shoreline.
3. Due to space limitations in Area #1 and Area #2 as defined in Section 2 of Ordinance No. 2-15, space is not guaranteed to all registrants.
4. All docks shall be clearly marked with the owner's name and/or permit number.
5. The owners of non-powered watercraft such as kayaks, canoes, and row boats may store the watercraft on or near the embankment along the shore line for up to 72 hours rather than docking them in the water.
6. Boaters shall be respectful of other park users. Specifically, the operator of a watercraft shall not unnecessarily rev an engine or create any other disturbance that knowingly or willfully disrupts an event or gathering in the public parks.
7. The Parks Committee and the Borough Council hereby directs the Borough Manager to make periodic inspections of the public parks and to report violations of Ordinance No. 2-15.
8. The Borough Council reserves the right to revoke the permit of any person violating the terms of this resolution and/or Ordinance No. 2-15.

DULY ADOPTED AND RESOLVED, this 13th day of May, 2015, by the Borough Council of Millersburg Borough, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania.

ATTEST:

BOROUGH OF MILLERSBURG
Dauphin County, Pennsylvania

By: *Ann Bowman Jackson*
Borough Secretary

By: *Chris [Signature]*
President of Council

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