City of Sand Point



ORDINANCE 2017-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE SAND POINT CITY COUNCIL AMENDING CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SAND POINT TITLE 12 – PUBLIC SAFETY TO CLARIFY THAT GUARDIAN MEANS LEGAL GUARDIAN

BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Sand Point:

- **Section 1. Form.** This is a Code ordinance.
- Section 2. <u>Amendment of Section 12.30.025</u>. Chapter 12.30, Section .025, Subsection (A) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sand Point, Alaska, is hereby amended to read as follows [added language is <u>underlined</u>]:
 - (A) No parent or <u>legal</u> guardian may authorize or knowingly permit an unemancipated child for which they have legal responsibility to violate a provision of this chapter.
- **Section 3.** Amendment of Section 12.30.063. Chapter 12.30, Section .063, Subsection (A)(3) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sand Point, Alaska, is hereby amended to read as follows [added language is <u>underlined</u>]:
 - (1) under the direct supervision of the operator's licensed parent or <u>legal</u> guardian.
- Section 4. <u>Amendment of Section 12.30.063</u>. Chapter 12.30, Section .063, Subsection(E)(1) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sand Point, Alaska, is hereby amended to read as follows [added language is <u>underlined</u>]:
 - (1) On an errand at the written direction of his or her parent or <u>legal</u> guardian without any detour or stop (written direction must be signed, timed, and dated by the parent or <u>legal</u> guardian and must indicate the specific errand);
- Section 5. <u>Amendment of Section 12.50.010</u>. Section 12.50.010 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sand Point, Alaska, is hereby amended to read as follows [added language is <u>underlined</u>]:

No person under 18 years of age shall be upon or in any street, alley, public building, place of amusement and entertainment, vacant lot or other unsupervised place starting between the hours of ten p.m. to five a.m. Sunday through Thursday and 12:01 a.m. to five a.m. during the following school holidays: summer vacation, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and spring vacation unless such person is accompanied by or in the charge of his parent or other competent and adult person or is upon an emergency errand or legitimate business directed by his/her parent, legal guardian or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor. The curfew will allow for one half hour travel time after the event officially ends to reach the person's primary residence. The starting and ending dates of the above holidays shall be set by the Mayor to conform with established school holidays. The ordinance codified in this section does not prohibit parental consent for attendance at association activities, such as religious or school meetings, organized dances, theater and sporting events, legitimate employment, or travel when reasonable and direct travel as a result of these activities has to be made during a curfew period. Curfew hours may be suspended or altered by the Mayor to permit attendance of or participation in school, community or other group-sponsored activities by minors covered by this chapter. A request of suspension or alteration of curfew shall be at the request of the Chief of Police or his designee.

Section 6. Amendment of Section 12.50.020. Chapter 12.50, Section. 020, Subsection (A) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sand Point, Alaska, is hereby amended to read as follows [added language is <u>underlined</u>]:

(A) No parent, <u>legal</u> guardian or other person having custody and control of children under the age of 18 years shall allow such child to go or be upon any street or other places as listed in this chapter at the times specified in § 12.50.010 unless such child is accompanied by his parent or other competent and adult person or is upon an emergency errand or legitimate business directed by his/her parent, <u>legal</u> guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor.

Section 7. <u>Effective Date</u>. This ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY A DULY CONSTITUTED QUORUM OF THE SAND POINT CITY COUNCIL THIS 10th DAY OF JANUARY, 2017.

CITY OF SAND POINT

Glen Gardner, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

Shannon Sommer, City Clerk