

ORDINANCE NO. 215

First Reading May 17, 2016

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CITY OF NEW BUFFALO CODE OF GENERAL ORDINANCES CHAPTER 14, "PARKS AND RECREATION," ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL, SECTION 14-5 "ANIMALS ON CITY BEACH AND PARK" TO ALLOW TO ALLOW DOGS UNDER SPECIAL REGISTRATION FOR BIRD CONTROL.

THE CITY OF NEW BUFFALO ORDAINS:

SECTION I. The City of New Buffalo Code of General Ordinances Chapter 14 "Parks and Recreation," Article I. General, Section 14-5 "Animals on City Beach and Park" is hereby amended to insert the following language as the second paragraph.

Section 14-5. Animals on City beach and park

Except as otherwise provided herein, it shall be unlawful for any person to have in their possession, under their control, or allow to run at large, any animal on the City beach or parks.

Dogs may be allowed in the City Beach and Parks for the purpose of bird control. Dogs must be registered through the City Parks and approved by the City Manager. Owners must follow all Parks Department rules and regulations. Registration may be revoked when authorized by the City Manager with or without cause.

This section shall not act as a prohibition for dogs in the possession of, or under the control of, their adult owner in an area designated by the City Council as a City Dog Park.

Section II. This ordinance was adopted on the _____ day of _____, 2016 and shall become effective on the _____ day of _____, 2016 which is 20 days following publication in the New Buffalo Times, a newspaper of general circulation within the City of New Buffalo.

Resolution is adopted by the following Roll Call yea and nay vote:

Yeas: _____

Nays: _____

Absent: _____