

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 131.08 (a), Entitled "Permitting Minor to Play Pool" of Chapter 131, and Section 114.09, entitled "Minors under eighteen", of Chapter 114 of the 1966 Grove City Code of Ordinances, permitting minors under eighteen to play pool when accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or when a minor 16 and 17 has written permission given by said parent or legal guardian, and to declare an emergency.

WHEREAS, Section 2903.02 of the Ohio Revised Code does permit minors under eighteen to play pool when accompanied by a parent or legal guardian; and

WHEREAS, Section 131.08 (a) and Section 114.09 of the 1966 Grove City Code of Ordinances prohibits minors under eighteen to play pool.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GROVE CITY, STATE OF OHIO, THAT

SECTION 1. Section 131.08 (a), entitled "Permitting Minor to Play Pool", which reads:

(a) No owner or keeper of a billiard saloon, or owner or keeper of a billiard table at any other public place shall permit a minor under the age of eighteen years to play billiards or pool, or be and remain in such saloon or public place.

IS AMENDED TO READ:

(a) No owner or keeper of a billiard saloon, or owner or keeper of a billiard table at any other public place shall permit a minor under the age of eighteen years to play billiards or pool, or be and remain in such saloon or public place. Provided, a minor under eighteen years of age, when accompanied by either parent or his legal guardian or a minor 16 and 17 has the written permission of said parent or legal guardian, may be permitted to play both billiards and pool, or be and remain in such parlor or public place. And provided further that an adult person, who is in charge of a group of minor children under the age of eighteen years, may bring such group into a billiard or pool parlor for the purpose of permitting them to play both billiards and pool and such group may be permitted to play both billiards and pool or be in and remain under the supervision and control of such adult person.

SECTION 2. Section 114.09, entitled "Minors Under Eighteen", which reads:

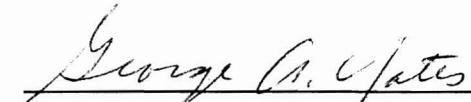
It shall be unlawful for any person to play billiards or be permitted to remain in a billiard room for any purpose who has not reached the age of eighteen years, and it shall be unlawful for any person to represent himself to have reached the age of eighteen years in order to obtain admission to such billiard room or to be permitted to remain therein when such person is in fact under the age of eighteen years.

IS AMENDED TO READ:

It shall be unlawful for any person to play billiards or be permitted to remain in a billiard room for any purpose who has not reached the age of eighteen years, and it shall be unlawful for any person to represent himself to have reached the age of eighteen years in order to obtain admission to such billiard room or to be permitted to remain therein when such person is in fact under the age of eighteen years unless he is accompanied by either parent or legal guardian or a minor 16 and 17 has the written permission of said parent or legal guardian.

SECTION 3. That for the reasons stated in the preamble hereto and made a part of, this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval of the mayor.

SUBMITTED: September 8, 1969  
                  Tabled September 8, 1969  
PASSED:           October 6, 1969  
EFFECTIVE:       October 6, 1969

  
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George A. Yates, President of Council

  
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George M. Haughn, Mayor

  
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Maria T. Kochensparger, Clerk of Council

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I Certify that this ordinance is correct as to Form.

  
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Kent F. Ozmun, Director of Law