

ORDINANCE NO. 987

AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE ESTABLISHMENT, RULES, AND REGULATIONS OF THE CITY OF GLASGOW SKATEPARK

*WHEREAS* the rules and regulations of the City of Glasgow Skatepark shall be posted in a clearly visible portion of the skatepark, stating that the skatepark is not supervised and participants shall skate at their own risk.

*AND WHEREAS* it is deemed in the best interest of the City of Glasgow to confirm and establish public skatepark and to adopt rules and regulations for the maintenance and proper care of same;

*NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED* that the following hereby be enacted as an ordinance of the City of Glasgow and the Official Code of the City of Glasgow:

Section 1. Established. The City of Glasgow has established and maintained a public skatepark located at Hoyt Park, 5th Ave. S., Glasgow, Montana. Said described land shall be used as a public skatepark, for the City of Glasgow.

Section 2. Management. The local officials, including but not limited to Mayor and law enforcement, of the City shall be responsible for the control and management of the public skatepark, subject to the rules and conditions contained herein, and subject to revisions made by the City Council.

Section 3. Skatepark rules and regulations. It is unlawful for any person to violate any of the following rules and regulations while at the skatepark:

1. Hours of operation are from dawn until dusk.
2. All persons within the skatepark area must be alert and exercise common sense and courtesy to others.
3. Proper use of protective gear (helmets, wrist guards, elbow & knee pads) is strongly recommended.

4. **BMX bikes YIELD to all other users. Absolutely no full-sized (wheel size over 24") bicycles or motor vehicles.** Violations will result in trespass citations and possible seizure of equipment.
5. No obstacles, animals, glass or ceramic containers, food, or drink is allowed in the skate park.
6. **No skatepark use** if the surface is wet, icy, or in snowy conditions.
7. No spectators inside the skating area.
8. No littering - use trash containers.
9. Be courteous. NO loud music.
10. Alcohol, tobacco products, drugs, and offensive language are prohibited.
11. **Any graffiti or damage of property is a criminal offense.**

Section 4. Penalties. The penalty for violating any provision of this section shall be a fine of not less than twenty five dollars (\$25.00) and not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) plus any appropriate administrative surcharge. The minimum twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) fine may not be suspended by the Court. No arrest or Imprisonment of any person shall occur solely for a violation of this section. The City of Glasgow reserves the right to revoke any person's privileges and use of the skatepark.

Section 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect (30) days after final adoption by the City Council.

Section 6: Editor to re-arrange Chapter. The Editor, Municipal Code Corporation, is hereby authorized to codify this ordinance in Chapter 28, Article III of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Glasgow.

ACCEPTED by the City Council of the City of Glasgow, Montana on first reading \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

ADOPTED as amended after continuation and conclusion of second reading by the City Council of the City of Glasgow, Montana on \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

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Rod Karst, Mayor

ATTEST:

(CITY SEAL)

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Stacey Amundson, City Clerk

APPROVED FOR LEGAL CONTENT:

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Lee Pekovitch, City Attorney

State of Montana )  
County of Valley : ss  
City of Glasgow)

I, Stacey Amundson, City Clerk of the City of Glasgow, Montana, do certify that I did post as required by law and as prescribed and directed by the Council, Ordinance NO. \_\_\_\_ on the Glasgow Civic Center posting board and the Glasgow City website.

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Stacey Amundson, City Clerk

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