

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF LYON

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF SKATEBOARDS ON
COUNTY PROPERTY AND ESTABLISHING RESPONSIBILITY UPON
PARENTS, GUARDIANS OR PERSONS HAVING LEGAL CUSTODY
OF MINORS WHO VIOLATE THE SKATEBOARD ORDINANCE
AND IMPOSING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF**

WHEREAS, the County of Lyon has recently concluded the construction of the Lyon County Judicial Center, and

WHEREAS, said construction includes various ramps and steps which are appealing to individuals who ride skateboards, and

WHEREAS, the use of skateboards upon the subject property will cause irreparable damage,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the County of Lyon that the County of Lyon hereby enacts a skateboard ordinance and establishes responsibility upon parents and guardians of minors and imposes a penalty for the violation thereof as follows:

**SECTION I
Definitions**

Skateboard means any multi-wheeled foot-propelled instrumentality which is capable of causing damage to public property.

Public property means any and all property owned by Lyon County, Kentucky including, but not necessarily limited to, the Lyon County Courthouse and the Lyon County Judicial Center.

Minor means any person under the age of eighteen (18) years.

Parent means a person who is:

- (a) a natural parent, adoptive parent or stepparent of any person, or
- (b) at least eighteen (18) years of age and authorized by a parent or guardian to have the care and control of a minor.

SECTION II PROHIBITED CONDUCT

(1) No person shall use a skateboard on or about county owned public property in Lyon County, Kentucky.

(2) A parent or guardian of the minor is accountable for the actions of the minor if the parent knowingly permits, or as a result of insufficient control, allows the minor to use a skateboard in the manner prohibited herein.

SECTION III PENALTY

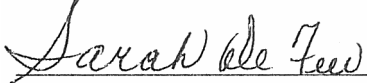
The violation of this ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor offense. Each offense, upon conviction, is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500. A violation of this ordinance shall be in addition to any civil remedies available to the county for damages caused to public properties and shall be in addition to any charges of destruction of public properties, as provided in the Kentucky Revised Statutes.


This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force when passed, published and recorded according to law.



J. D. LEE
LYON COUNTY JUDGE/EXECUTIVE

ATTEST:



Lyon County Clerk
By: 

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