

ORDINANCE NO. 184

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NEW SEWICKLEY,
BEAVER COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,
ESTABLISHING NO PARKING ZONES IN GREEN VALLEY PARK,
PROVIDING FOR THE ERECTION OF SIGNS, AND
ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.**

WHEREAS, New Sewickley Township (the "Township") owns and operates Green Valley Park, located in the Township of New Sewickley, Beaver County, Pennsylvania, being more fully bounded and described in a Deed to the Township of New Sewickley dated September 22, 1967 and recorded in the Recorder's Office in and for Beaver County, Pennsylvania in Deed Book Volume 929, Page 683; and

WHEREAS, the Township is authorized the Second Class Township Code, Section 2203, to regulate the use and enjoyment by the public of any park or recreation grounds owned and operated by the township or charitable organizations for the use of the public; and

WHEREAS, the Township is authorized the Second Class Township Code, Section 2328, to regulate parking on public roads within the Township by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors have determined that parking along Green Valley Park Drive and the access roads to the baseball fields and softball fields poses a safety problem for persons using the park and could impair the ability of emergency vehicles to access parts of the park; and

WHEREAS, in order to promote the health, welfare and safety of all the residents of the Township, the Supervisors have determined as a matter of policy to restrict parking within Green Valley Park; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of New Sewickley, County of Beaver, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby **ENACTED AND ORDAINED** by the authority of the same as follows:

Section 1. Establishment of No Parking Zones.

No parking zones are hereby established for the following areas of Green Valley Park:

(a) There shall be no parking permitted along both sides of Green Valley Park Drive, except in designated parking areas, for a distance of one thousand forty (1,040) feet between the access road to the baseball fields and the softball fields;

(b) There shall be no parking permitted along both sides of the Baseball Field Access Drive, except in designated parking areas, for a distance of four hundred forty (440) feet between Green Valley Park Drive and the designated parking area at the baseball fields;

(c) There shall be no parking permitted along both sides of the Softball Field Access Drive, except in designated parking areas, for a distance of two hundred twenty-five (225) feet between Green Valley Park Drive and the designated parking area at the softball fields.

It shall be unlawful for any person to park a vehicle in these no parking zones at any time or to otherwise block or impede the flow of traffic in said no parking zones.

Section 2. Official Signs.

Any no parking zone established by this Ordinance shall be indicated by the erection of official signs, spaced not less than one-eighth (1/8) of a mile apart, on the right-hand side of the roadway facing the traffic to be controlled and at the end of the no parking zone there shall be an official sign indicating the end of such no parking zone.

Section 3. Enforcement and Penalties.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance (and Ordinances amending this Ordinance) shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a summary offense and shall pay the sum of Fifteen Dollars and 00/100 (\$15.00) to the Township of New Sewickley, provided said payment is made within fourteen (14) days of the date of the violation. If said sum is not paid, a citation shall issue and the fine shall be the sum of Twenty Dollars and 00/100 (\$20.00) together with costs of prosecution. Each twenty-four (24) hour period that a vehicle is parked in violation of this Ordinance shall be considered a separate offense.

Section 4 - Severability

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or otherwise invalid, that decision shall not affect the validity of any remaining provisions of this Ordinance. It is declared to be the legislative intention that this Ordinance would have been enacted had the unconstitutional, illegal or otherwise invalid provisions not been included in the Ordinance.

SECTION 5 - Repealer.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances or resolutions conflicting or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

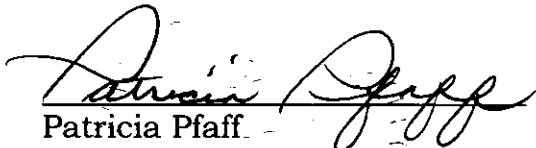
Section 6 - Effective Date


This Ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after enactment thereof.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Township Supervisors of the Township of New Sewickley, County of Beaver and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, this 7th day of July, 2009.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF NEW SEWICKLEY


Patricia Pfaff
Secretary


By: Thomas Smith
Chairman of the Board