

ORDINANCE NO. 1381

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, RELATING TO THE CITY SKATE PARK; AMENDING SECTION 8.30.030 OF THE GIG HARBOR MUNICIPAL CODE TO ALLOW THE USE OF BICYCLES IN THE CITY'S SKATE PARK, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Gig Harbor desires to update the Municipal Code related to Skate Park regulations to allow bicycle use; and

WHEREAS, on October 4, 2017, the City of Gig Harbor Parks Commission unanimously voted to recommend allowing the use of bicycles in the Skate Park; and

WHEREAS, on October 9, 2017, the City of Gig Harbor Public Works Committee unanimously voted to recommend to full Council the use of bicycles in the Skate Park; Now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 8.30.030 of the Gig Harbor Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

8.30.030 ~~Bicycles and Motorized vehicles prohibited in Skate Park.~~

~~The city's Skate Park is designed for use by skateboards, in-line skates and roller skates.~~ No person shall position, use, operate, ride or move a ~~bicycle~~, motorized vehicle or other similar vehicles on any portion of the concrete surface of the city's Skate Park.

Section 2. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance should be held to be unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force on January 15, 2018 but not sooner than five (5) days after passage and publication of an approved summary consisting of the title.

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor of the City of Gig Harbor,
this 18th day of December, 2017.

CITY OF GIG HARBOR


Mayor Pro Tempore Paul Kadzik

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:


Shawna Wise, Asst. City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Office of the City Attorney


Angela C. Summerfield

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