

**SEC. 12-1-2 RADIO-CONTROLLED MODEL AIRPLANES PROHIBITED
IN PARKS.**

No person shall fly a radio-controlled model airplane or helicopter in any park in the City except in areas specifically designated and posed for such purpose.

SEC. 12-1-3 TURF PROTECTION ON PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Except as authorized by the Park Commission, no person shall dig into the turf of any City-owned park property for any purposes, whatsoever or remove any trees or flowers. Absent authorization of the Park Commission, the use of metal detectors and digging for buried objects on City park property is prohibited.

SEC. 12-1-4 PARK HOURS.

- (a) **Park Hours.** Except for authorized events and subject to certain exceptions listed below, all City parks shall be closed from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. the following day, and it shall be unlawful to enter in or be upon any park playground or swimming pool after the hour designated.
- (b) **Exceptions to Closing Hours.** A person driving through a park on a public road; however, stopping shall not be permitted within a park. The Park Commission may modify closing hours for particular events.
- (c) **Park Closing and Opening Dates.** The Park Commission will have full authority to open and close any park, swimming pool, recreational facility or area because of season, condition, construction or when, in the interest of public safety, it is deemed necessary.