

**MODEL ORDINANCE PROHIBITING TOBACCO USE IN ALL RECREATIONAL SETTINGS (ANY PLACE FOR PHYSICAL ACTIVITY)**

Be it ordained by the \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert city council of city*), this Article shall be known as the \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert city name*) Tobacco Free Ordinance.

The following rules and regulations shall apply in all settings located within the city of \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert city name*).

Smoking and all forms of tobacco shall be prohibited in all of the following areas without exception.

1. Enclosed Areas – meaning all space between a floor and ceiling that is enclosed on all sides by permanent or temporary walls or windows (exclusive of doorways), which extend from the floor to ceiling.
2. Playground – meaning any park or recreational area designed in part to be used by children that has play or sports equipment installed, or that has been designated or landscaped for play or sports activities, or any similar facility located on public or private school grounds, or on \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert city name*) grounds.
3. Sports Arena – meaning sports pavilions, stadiums, baseball fields, soccer fields, football fields, softball fields, gymnasiums, health spas, boxing arenas, swimming pools, roller and ice rinks, bowling alleys, and other similar places where members of the general public assemble to engage in physical exercise, participate in athletic competition, or witness sports or other events.

Violation of this ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor in the city of \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert city name*) and shall be punished in accordance with the misdemeanor ordinance of the city of \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert city name*).

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert month*), \_\_\_\_\_ (*insert year*).

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Signature of mayor or council president

Attest:

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Signature of City Clerk