

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022-07**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING HARDIN CITY CODE  
REGARDING PARK HOURS**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hardin desires to modify and change the City Code of Hardin, Montana in the interest of public health and safety related to the hours that public parks are open;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hardin has the general authority to establish, maintain and enforce city code in city parks, pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 7-16-4101 et seq. (2021).

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF HARDIN, MONTANA**, Title 6, Chapter 1, Section 8 is amended as follows:

- 1. Section 6-1-8 is amended by inserting the following as a second paragraph:

All city parks are closed between sunset and sunrise. It shall be unlawful for anyone to be in a city park between sunset and sunrise. A person found in a city park after sunset and before sunrise is trespassing and may be cited under this section as a misdemeanor, or any other applicable law.

**DATE OF EFFECT.**

The amendment to this ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from the date of its second reading and passage by the City Council as required by law.

**FIRST READING AND PASSAGE** By a majority vote of the members present this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022.

YEAS 6

NAYS 0



[Signature]  
Mayor

ATTEST:  
[Signature]  
City Clerk

POSTED AND MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022.

[Signature]  
City Clerk

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**SECOND READING AND PASSAGE** By a majority vote of the members

present this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2022.

YEAS 5 NAYS 0



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Mayor

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
City Clerk

The ordinance to this ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from the date of its second reading and passage by the City Council as required by law.

FIRST READING AND PASSAGE BY a majority vote of the members present the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
City Clerk

POSTED AND MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2022.

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