

8.1 - Codes, Laws, and Ordinances ★

Standard: Public safety and law enforcement within parks and recreation areas and facilities shall be governed by codes, laws, and ordinances, some of which may be enacted specifically for the control and management of parks and recreation areas and facilities. The codes, laws and ordinances shall be posted or readily available to park patrons.

Suggested Evidence of Compliance: Provide documentation of the codes, laws, and ordinances that pertain specifically to areas and facilities under the jurisdiction of the agency and describe how they are posted or otherwise readily available to park patrons.

Informational reference in the *Management of Park and Recreation Agencies*, (2010), 3rd Ed., Chapter 2 – Management and the Law, pp. 19-22.

Agency Evidence of Compliance:

The Park District Board of Commissioners has approved¹ a set of Rules and Regulations Governing the Use of Park Facilities². These rules and regulations are posted in multiple locations on the Park District website³ for the public to reference.

Documentation:

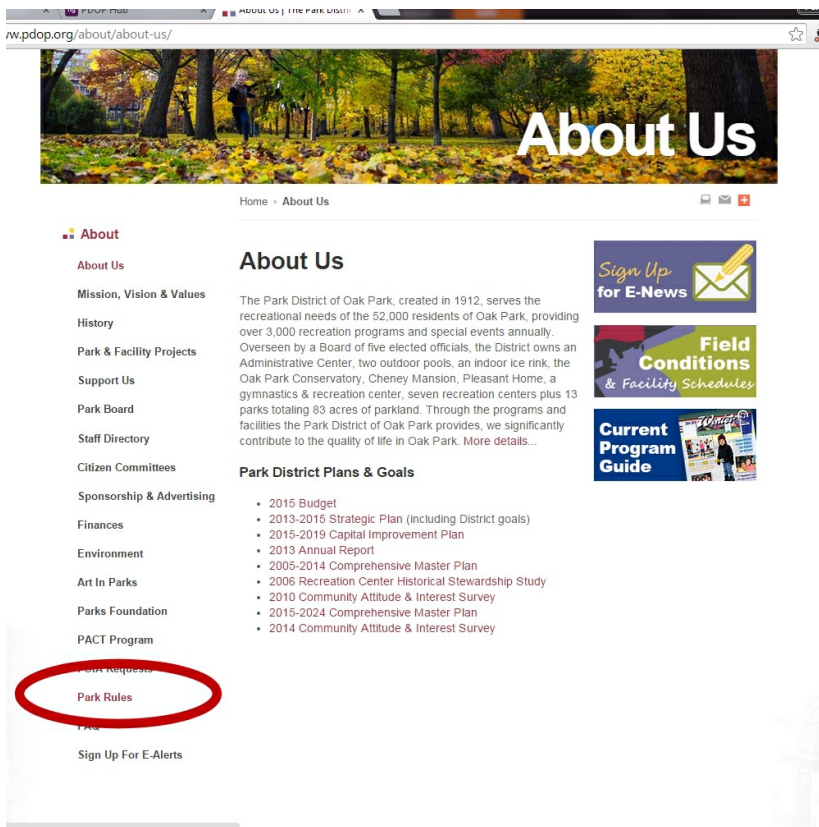
1. [08.01.00_Rules-Approval-at-December-2014-Board-Meeting.pdf](#)
2. [08.01.00_Rules-and-Regulations-Governing-Uses-of-the-Park-Facilities.pdf](#)
3. Examples of Park Rules on Park District Website (below)

Agency Self Assessment: MET

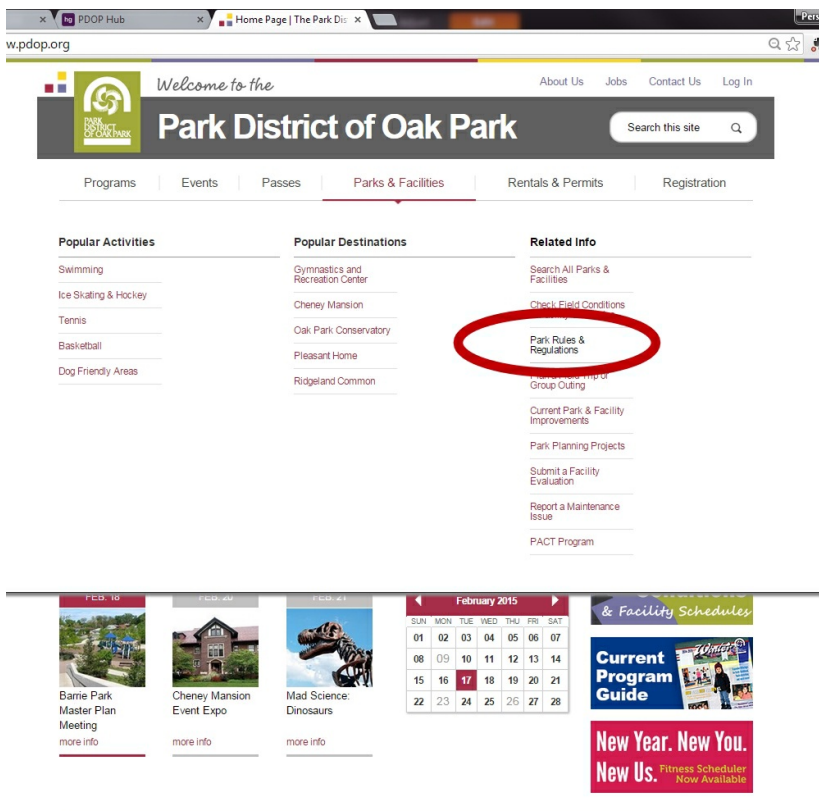
The screenshot shows the website for the Park District of Oak Park. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for "About Us", "Jobs", "Contact Us", and "Log In". Below this is a search bar and a main menu with categories: "Programs", "Events", "Passes", "Parks & Facilities", "Rentals & Permits", and "Registration". A large banner for "School Registration" is visible, with a red circle highlighting the "Park District Rules & Regulations" link in the navigation menu. Below the banner, there are sections for "Upcoming Events at the Park District" and "Field Conditions & Facility Schedules".

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In the "I Want to" Navigation



On the "About Us" page



Under "Parks & Facilities" and "Related Info" in the main navigation

The screenshot shows the website w.pdop.org with a testimonial at the top: "In partnership with the community, we enrich lives by providing meaningful experiences through programs, parks, and facilities." Below this is a quote from a parent of a 3-year-old child named John, who enjoyed playing soccer with friends and neighbors. A photo of a soccer team is also shown.

The navigation menu includes: Home | About Us | Jobs | Contact Us | Terms & Conditions | Facebook | Twitter | Tell Us What You Think!

The main navigation categories are:

- Governmental Partners
 - Oak Park Public Library
 - Oak Park Elementary School District 97
 - Oak Park & River Forest High School District 200
 - Oak Park Township Village of Oak Park
 - West Suburban Special Recreation Association
- Important Documents
 - Current Budget
 - Capital Improvement Plan
 - Strategic Plan
 - Park Board Agendas & Minutes
 - PDA Requests
 - Document Library
- Doing Business with Us
 - Commodities, Bids, RFQs
 - Special Advertising
- Parks & Facilities
 - Search
 - Park Rules & Regulations
 - Photo Area
 - Room Rentals
 - Filming & Photography Permits
 - Special Event Permits
- Programs & Registration
 - Create an Account
 - Registration Programs
- How Can I Help?
 - Email All Park Board Members
 - Citizen Committees
 - Volunteer Opportunities
 - Parks Foundation
- Customer Service & Registration Hours
 - Ph: (708) 725-2000
 - Ridgeland Common Recreation Complex**
 - 415 Lake St. Oak Park, IL 60302
 - Ph: (708) 725-2300 Ph: (708) 725-2301
 - M - F: 8:30am - 7pm
 - Sa & Su: 8:00am - 5pm
 - Gymnastics and Recreation Center**
 - 21 Lake St. Oak Park, IL 60302
 - Ph: (708) 725-2200
 - M - F: 8:30am - 7pm
 - Sa & Su: 8:30am - 5pm

Logos for the City of Oak Park and PDRMA Accredited Member are also present.

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In the footer, under "Parks & Facilities"