

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

CITY OF LOWELL

In City Council

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Amending "The Code of Ordinances City of Lowell, Massachusetts" With Respect to Chapter 150 thereof Entitled, "Fees" by amending certain sections.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOWELL, as follows:

"The Code for the City of Lowell," hereinafter called the "Code", adopted by the City Council on December 23, 2008, is hereby amended with respect to 150 thereof, by amending certain sections.:

1. By amending Chapter 150, Entitled **Fees; Health and Human Services Department Fines and Penalties** by adding the following new number 15 as follows:

	Department/Reference	Unit/ Frequency	Fee
15	Smoking in Playgrounds Prohibited.	First Offense: Subsequent Offenses:	\$200.00 \$300.00 Enforcement of this Ordinance shall be by noncriminal disposition as provided in M.G.L. c. 40 § 21D or by filing a criminal complaint at the appropriate venue.

2. All provisions of the Lowell City Code, as amended, which are consistent with this Ordinance, shall continue in effect, but all provisions of said Code inconsistent herewith, are repealed.

3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Christine P. O'Connor
City Solicitor



Eileen Donoghue
City Manager

December 6, 2019

City Manager Eileen M. Donoghue
Mayor William Samaras
And
Members of the City Council

Re: Ordinance to propose adjustments to Fee Schedule

Dear Manager Donoghue, Mayor Samaras and Members of the City Council:

Attached is an ordinance proposing adjustments to the City's *Fee Schedule* relative to the fines associated with the ordinance prohibiting "Smoking in the Playgrounds."

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Very truly yours,

Christine P. O'Connor
City Solicitor