

ORDINANCE NO. 111

AN ORDINANCE REGARDING POSSESSION AND CONSUMPTION OF
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK MILLS' PARKS AND
PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY

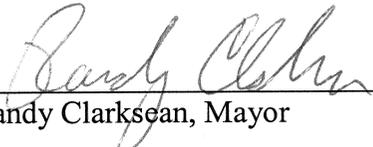
The City Council of the City of New York Mills do ordain as follows:

Minnesota State Statute 340A.509 grants local authorities the ability to impose restrictions on the sale and possession of alcoholic beverages within its limits.

It shall be unlawful for any person to consume alcoholic beverages or to possess any bottle or receptacle containing an alcoholic beverage which has been opened, or the seal broken, or the contents of which have been partially removed, in or upon all public rights-of-way and alleys within the City of New York Mills, and in or upon all parks and recreations areas now owned or hereafter acquired by the City of New York Mills, subject, however, to the following exceptions, terms and conditions:

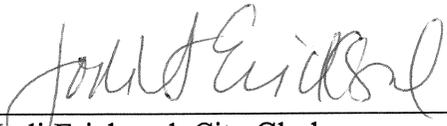
1. The possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages shall be permitted in or upon the City parks and recreation areas or upon City right of ways for special community events, for athletic tournaments and events, for special business sponsored events, or for private gatherings, but only after first obtaining the approval and proper permit from the City of New York Mills. All consumption of alcoholic beverages during such a gathering must occur within the area designated for said special event or gathering.
2. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.
3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

Passed by the City Council of the City of New York Mills this 8th day of August 2005.



Randy Clarksean, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jodi Ericksrud, City Clerk

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