

ORDINANCE NO. 3827

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 96.16-(B), FRANCIS PARK FEES, OF THE KEWANEE CITY CODE, AND DECLARING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE IMMEDIATELY.

**WHEREAS,** The City Council finds that revenues generated at Francis Park are not sufficient to match the expenses, requiring on an annual basis approximately \$30,000 from the General Fund to be used to subsidize the Francis Park Fund; and,

**WHEREAS,** The shelter rental and camping fees have not been increased since November 2008; and,

**WHEREAS,** The City Council finds it is desirable to maximize the revenue generated by user's fees at Francis Park, while keeping said user's fees at an affordable level for all persons.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KEWANEE, ILLINOIS, IN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED, AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1** Section §96.16-(B) of the City Code is hereby amended by deleting the words shown as stricken through, (~~sample~~), and inserting at their respective locations the words shown as underlined, (sample).

§ 96.16 FRANCIS PARK; RESERVATIONS; REGULATIONS.

(B) Fees. There shall be charged for the use of the Park the following amounts:

(1) ~~Eighteen~~ Thirty dollars for ½-day use of the large enclosed shelter house and ~~thirty-two~~ fifty dollars for the full day use of the large enclosed shelter house to be paid at the time that reservation is made for the use thereof. ~~Ten~~ Fifteen dollars for ½-day use of the open shelter house and ~~eighteen~~ twenty-five dollars for the full day use of the open shelter house to be paid at the time that reservation is made for the use thereof.

(2) For a tour of the Francis home located on the property the sum of ~~\$2.00~~ \$5.00 for persons 12 years of age and older, \$1.00 for persons from the age of five through 11 years, and children under the age of five years free.

(3) The Clerk shall at the time of the payment of the reservation charge for the shelter houses, prepare or cause to be prepared, a receipt in triplicate, one of which shall be retained by him in his office, one shall be delivered to the caretaker of the Park and one shall be delivered to the customer.

(4) ~~Ten~~ Thirteen dollars per diem per unit for camping.

(5) ~~Sixty~~ Seventy-eight dollars per week per unit for camping. Any seven consecutive days are considered one week. The owner of the camping unit must register and pay in advance for one week's camping to be eligible for this rate. Any refunds will be based on the seventh day being a free day.

(6) Ten dollars per use for use of the dump station for units not registered to camp at Francis Park.

(7) ~~Seven~~ Ten dollars per tent per diem in the tent area. No electrical hookups shall be allowed for tent camping at this rate.

**Section 2** The effective date of any fee amended by this ordinance shall be April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

**Section 3** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

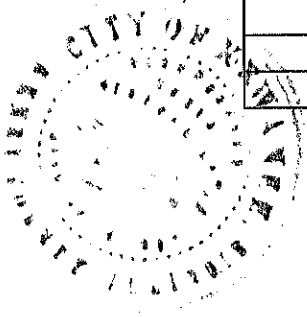
Passed by the Council of the City of Kewanee, Illinois this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 2016.

ATTEST:

  
Melinda K. Edwards, City Clerk

  
Steve Looney, Mayor

RECORD OF THE VOTE	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Steve Looney	X			
Council Member Deann Schweitzer	X			
Council Member Andrew Koehler	X			
Council Member Mike Yaklich	X			
Council Member Kellie Wallace-McKenna	X			



**CERTIFICATION ATTACHED TO ORDINANCES  
PLACED IN AN ORDINANCE BOOK**

**I hereby certify that the foregoing is an original copy**

(or true and correct copy)

of

**Ordinance Number 3827;**

**That said Ordinance was passed on the**

**11<sup>th</sup> Day of April 2016;**

**That the record of the final vote on the passage of said Ordinance is  
found**

**Attached to the original Ordinance;**

**That it was published on the**

**13<sup>th</sup> Day of April 2016.**



*Melinda K. Edwards*  
City Clerk