## RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING USE OF DISTRICT PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

WHEREAS, Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 500 (the "District") is a master district providing regional facilities to serve its service area, including the areas of the District, Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 501, Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 502, and Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 503 (collectively, the "Service Area"); and

WHEREAS, the District is a conservation and reclamation district created pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution, and Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, and is authorized to provide parks and recreational facilities for the Service Area; and

WHEREAS, the District has or will acquire certain parks and recreational facilities and land associated with said facilities (such recreational facilities and land associated with said facilities are referred to herein as the "Recreational Facilities"); and

WHEREAS, to protect District property and to provide for the operation and maintenance of Recreational Facilities, the District's Board of Directors wishes to establish certain rules and regulations regarding the use of Recreational Facilities and to establish penalties for the violation thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the District, under the authority of Section 54.205 of the Texas Water Code, may adopt and enforce reasonable rules to regulate privileges on land owned or controlled by the District; and

WHEREAS, Section 49.004 of the Texas Water Code provides that the Board of Directors may set reasonable civil penalties for the breach of any rule of the District in an amount not to exceed \$10,000; and

WHEREAS, the District has or will establish separate rules and regulations regarding the use of the District's lakes, and this Resolution and the accompanying rules and regulations regarding the use of Recreational Facilities do not govern the use of the District's lakes; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 500 THAT:

Section 1: The facts recited above are hereby declared to be true and correct.

Section 2: Pursuant to its authority under Section 54.205 of the Texas Water Code, the District hereby adopts, and considers appropriate and reasonable, the rules and regulations relating to the Recreational Facilities attached hereto as **Exhibit A** (the "Rules and Regulations").

- <u>Section 3:</u> Any person, corporation or other entity violating the Rules and Regulations of this Resolution may be subject to a fine of up to \$10,000 per violation, as provided for in Section 49.004 of the Texas Water Code.
- <u>Section 4</u>: The District is hereby authorized to publish a substantive statement of these rules, regulations and penalties as required by Section 54.207 of the Texas Water Code, and such penalties described herein shall be effective and enforceable five days after publication.

[EXECUTION PAGE FOLLOWS]

PASSED, APPROVED AND EFFECTIVE this 1st day of August, 2018.

President, Board of Directors

Secretary, Board of Directors

(SEAL)

## Exhibit A

## RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE USE OF HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 500 (THE "DISTRICT") PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

Unless specifically authorized by the District's Board of Directors, the following rules and regulations apply to all District parks and recreational facilities, and land associated with said facilities (collectively the "Recreational Facilities").

- 1. There shall be no use of the Recreational Facilities between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.
- 2. Use of unauthorized motorized vehicles, other than upon roads, streets, parking lots, or other areas designated for such purpose, is prohibited.
- 3. No person shall use the Recreational Facilities for any purpose other than for the purpose for which they were designed or designated.
- 4. No one (even property owners owning land adjacent to the Recreational Facilities) may construct improvements or structures of any kind on or that extend into the Recreational Facilities.
- 5. All garbage, cans, bottles, papers, or other refuse or rubbish within the Recreational Facilities must be placed in trash receptacles provided therefore. There shall be no littering or dumping on the Recreational Facilities.
- 6. There shall be no activities that are dangerous, create a danger to the public, or are considered a public nuisance on the Recreational Facilities.
- 7. No person may transmit any amplified sound through music, vibration, or speech projected by electronic equipment, including amplifiers or other devices in a manner that would disturb the peace, quiet, comfort or enjoyment of persons within any Recreational Facilities or on a District sidewalk outside the Recreational Facilities.
- 8. There shall be no camping overnight at the Recreational Facilities.
- 9. All dogs and other domestic pets must be on a leash at all times in the Recreational Facilities. Pet owners must clean up all solid waste deposited by their animals. The District is not responsible for animals engaging other animals in the Recreational Facilities at any time.
- 10. No person shall willfully harm, harass, trap, confine, catch, feed, or possess any wildlife within the Recreational Facilities, except as authorized by the District.

- 11. Carrying or discharging of any firecrackers, rockets, fireworks, explosives, or slingshots is prohibited.
- 12. Archery and discharge of any firearm are prohibited.
- 13. Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs is prohibited.
- 14. Glass bottles of any type shall not be brought into the Recreational Facilities.
- 15. There shall be no fires or burning of any kind in the Recreational Facilities.
- 16. No person shall damage, cut, break, injure, deface or disturb any tree, shrub, plant, rock, building, cage, monument, deck, fence, bench or other structure, apparatus or property; or to pull up, cut, take or remove any shrub, bush, plant or flower; or to mark or write upon, paint or deface in any manner, any building, monument, deck, fence, bench or other structure.
- 17. The advertising, solicitation, or sale of goods or services is prohibited.

These Rules and Regulations are in addition to, and not in lieu of all Federal, State and municipal laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Recreational Facilities.

The District has or will establish separate rules and regulations governing the use of the District's lakes. These Rules and Regulations do not govern the use of the District's lakes.

The provisions of these Rules and Regulations are severable. If any word, phrase, clause, sentence, section, provision or part of these Rules and Regulations should be held invalid or unconstitutional, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions, and it is hereby declared to be the intent of the Board of Directors that these Rules and Regulations would have been adopted as to the remaining portions, regardless of the invalidity of any part.

These Rules and Regulations may be amended at any time at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

A copy of the Rules and Regulations are on file in the principal office of the District, Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, 3200 Southwest Freeway, Suite 2600, Houston, Texas 77027, where they may be read by any interested person.

Any violation of these rules shall subject the violator to a penalty not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for each violation. Each day that a violation of any of these rules hereof continues shall be considered a separate violation.

Use of Facilities shall be at the sole risk of each individual. The District accepts no responsibility or liability for any injuries sustained by a user as result of such use.