ORDINANCE NO. 1993

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO USE OF CHEMICALS AT THE COUNCIL GROVE LAKE PARK

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COUNCIL GROVE, KANSAS:

- Section 1. <u>CHEMICALS IN OR UPON WATER</u>. No chemicals are permitted or authorized to be placed in or upon the water at the Council Grove Lake Park, except chemicals placed by the city and its authorized employees.
- Section 2. <u>NON-RESTRICTED CHEMICALS</u>. Only non-restricted chemicals may be used at the Council Grove Lake Park. All chemicals must be used in accordance with State and Federal regulations and the instructions on the packaging.
- Section 3. <u>PERMIT REQUIRED</u>. Before any person is authorized or permitted to apply any non-restricted chemicals upon lawns, shrubs or gardens at the Council Grove Lake Park, the person applying is required to have a permit issued by the City of Council Grove.
- Section 4. <u>REQUIRED COURSE</u>. Prior to the issuance of a permit, the individual applying shall be required to attend and pass a 2 hour applicator course offered by a person approved by the governing body of the City of Council Grove.
- Section 5. <u>TERM OF CHEMICAL USE PERMIT</u>. Any chemical use permit issued by the City of Council Grove shall be good for a period of two years from the date of completion of the required applicator course.
- Section 6. <u>COST OF PERMIT</u>. The cost of obtaining a permit for applying chemicals, shall be in the amount of \$10.00. On-half of each permit fee shall go to the instructor of the city permit chemical course.
- Section 7. <u>COMMERCIAL APPLICATORS: STATE PERMIT REQUIRED</u>. Any person who applies non-restricted chemicals for some one else, must have a commercial applicators permit issued by the State of Kansas. This permit must include a general permit and a category IIIA ornamental and/or category IIIB turf permit. A business license must also be obtained when required.
- Section 8. <u>PENALTY</u>. Any person applying chemicals upon yards, grass or in or upon the lake in violation hereof and/or without having first secured a city permit or a commercial applicator who fails to follow the requirements herein, shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$100.00 and not more than \$500.00 and may be liable for civil penalties for any damages incurred by reason of such chemicals.
- Section 9. <u>CIVIL DAMAGES</u>. Any person causing damage by negligent or improper application of chemicals may be liable for civil damages.
- Section 10. <u>REPEAL</u>. Section 12-607 of the ordinance number 1820 of the ordinance of the City of Council Grove is hereby repealed.
- Section 11. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>. This ordinance shall be effective upon it's publication in the Council Grove Republican.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY COUNCIL GROVE ON THIS _/O_ day of July, 2006.

Dick Montgomery, Mayor

ATTEST:

Danny Matthews

City Clerk (SEAL)