



# ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION

Office of the City Manager

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Sections	1-6
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Responsible Department	Community Services
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**SUBJECT: Nudity prohibited at City recreation facilities**

**1. Purpose:**

To prohibit the appearance of persons utilizing City recreation facilities, including the City Gym and Pool, without clothing or swimsuits and with private parts of their bodies exposed. This exposure unreasonably interferes with the right of the public to enter City recreation facilities as well as City employees to perform their responsibilities during the private rentals.

**2. Authority:**

By the authority of the powers granted to the City Manager under Section 401 of the Huntington Beach City Charter.

**3. Application:**

This regulation applies to all departments and employees of the City of Huntington Beach who have the responsibility to oversee the permitted use of City facilities for both public use and private rentals, as well as to all persons utilizing City recreation facilities.

**4. Definitions of Terms:**

- 4.1. Nudity – Exposed genitals, buttocks, pubic hair, perineum, anal region, pubic hair region, female nipples and/or areola of the breast, except as necessary to breastfeed.
- 4.2. City Facilities – Buildings and properties operated by the City in its function as a City government.
- 4.3. City Owned Property – Property of the City that is leased to a vendor or contractor for purposes outside the functions of City government but where the general public will be present.

**5. Policy:**

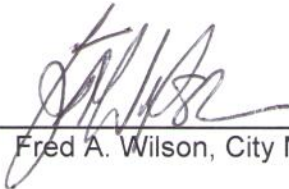
All persons present during any public use or private rentals of any City recreation facility, including the City Gym and Pool, must not display nudity and must wear clothing or swimsuits at all times. This includes children; toddlers must wear swim diapers. Swimsuits or clothing must cover genitals, pubic hair, perineum, the anal region, pubic hair region, female nipples and/or areola of breasts (except as necessary to breastfeed).

**6. Procedure:**

- 6.1. An employee who has witnessed a display of nudity should first inform the patron at issue utilizing the City Facility of the Regulation against nudity and the requirement to be clothed and covered at all times. The employee must also immediately inform his or her immediate supervisors of the violation of this Regulation.
- 6.2. If it is determined that nudity has occurred at a City Facility, future use of the facility by the individual or group committing the infraction will be prohibited.

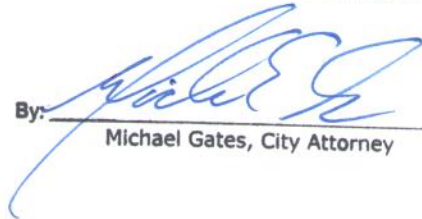


Reviewed and Approved



Fred A. Wilson, City Manager

**APPROVED AS TO FORM**



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