

**FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP**  
**CARBON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-01**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN, COUNTY OF CARBON, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2010-02 ENTITLED “AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING SMOKING IN PARKS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN; REQUIRING ENFORCEMENT BY THE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT; AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF ITS PROVISIONS.”**

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Supervisors of Franklin Township, Carbon County, Pennsylvania, that Ordinance No. 2010-02 entitled “AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING SMOKING IN PARKS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN; REQUIRING ENFORCEMENT BY THE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT; AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF ITS PROVISIONS.” is amended as follows:

1. The following definitions shall be added to section 1 (Definitions) of the ordinance:

F. **ELECTRONIC CIGARETTE or E-CIGARETTE:** An electronic device that delivers nicotine or other substances through vaporization and inhalation.

G. **ELECTRONIC NICOTINE DELIVERY SYSTEM or ENDS:** A product or device used, intended for use or designed for the purpose of ingesting a nicotine product. The term includes an electronic cigarette.

2. A new section 2.5 shall be added as follows:

**SECTION 2.5. Use of Certain Electronic Devices Prohibited in Parks.**

The use of electronic devices that deliver nicotine or another substance to a person inhaling from the device, including, but not limited to electronic nicotine delivery

systems, an electronic cigarette, a cigar, a pipe and a hookah is prohibited in all parks and at all times by all persons.

3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after it is enacted.

**THIS ORDINANCE IS ENACTED AND ORDAINED** this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2024, by the Board of Supervisors of Franklin Township, in lawful session duly assembled.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN**

ATTEST:

Brenda E. Cresslay  
Secretary

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