

Columbus Fall Line Trace

Rules Approved by City Council

Columbus City Council approved Ordinance # 09-63 on December 15, 2009 establishing the rules for using the trail. Council approved the ordinance by a 8-2 vote.

- a. Yield to Pedestrians. Pedestrians shall have the right-of-way.
- b. Trail Stops at All Public Streets. All Trail users are required to stop at all public streets.
- c. Keep Right, Pass on the Left. The trail is like a roadway. Warn trail users as you approach from behind by announcing yourself by saying "On Your Left. If you stop, get off the trail.
- d. Certain Vehicles Prohibited. The Trail is designed for walking, running, and jogging. Bicycles, Skateboards, roller-skates, and roller blades shall be permitted when used in a safe and controlled manner. No electric vehicles with more than two wheels shall be allowed, except for the physically disabled. No gasoline-powered vehicles shall be allowed, except for City authorized vehicles and Emergency Service vehicles.
- e. Maintain Safe Speed. No person shall operate a bicycle or other permitted vehicle at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the conditions then existing.
- f. Keep animals under control. All pets shall be on a short leash and under the control of the owner. Owners shall clean up after their animals. No horses are allowed on the trail.
- g. Trail hours. It shall be unlawful to enter or remain on the Trail between the hours of 11:00pm and 5:00am, except for those activities supervised or scheduled by the Department of Parks and Recreation.
- h. No Intoxicants Allowed on the Trail. No alcoholic beverages or other intoxicants shall be permitted on the trail.
- i. Report any Problems. In the case of an emergency, dial 911. Report maintenance problems by dialing 311.
- j. It is Unlawful to Litter. Keep the trail clean and deposit trash in containers along the trail. Littering shall be unlawful.
- k. All users of trails owned Columbus, Georgia assume the the above-specified rules at by the Consolidated Government of risk of bodily injury and shall follow all times.
- l. Persons violating these rules shall be punished as provided in Section 1-8 of the Columbus Code.

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