

Department of Parks & Recreation Adult League, Program & Activity No-Fight Rule

Definition:

Fighting: Any incident of fighting which includes, but not limited to: attempting to and/or striking, punching, kicking or head-butting an opponent, team member, official or any other person that participates in that activity with arms, legs, feet, or any foreign object. Fighting can also be defined as: instigating or causing a fight by committing an act (such as rough play, excessive shoving, trash talking) that causes another to retaliate or "pay back" by fighting.

<u>First Offense</u>: Suspension from participating or attending any DPR sponsored adult league, program or activity. Suspension may be up to one year or more depending on the severity of the offense.

<u>Second Offense</u>: A minimum two year suspension from participating or attending any DPR sponsored adult league, program or activity. Suspension timeframe will be determined based on the severity of the offense.

<u>Third Offense</u>: A lifetime ban from participating or attending any DPR sponsored adult league, program or activity.

Violators of the No-Fight Rule will be immediately ejected from the game and verbally suspended by the DPR staff on duty or an authorized league, program or activity representative. The individual or individuals, must leave the premises immediately.

An investigation into the incident will be conducted by DPR staff. All individuals involved in the incident, including witnesses may be asked to participate in the investigation. Upon completion of the investigation, the individual or individuals who violated the No-Fight Rule will be informed in writing within 10 calendar days regarding the outcome of the investigation.

The individual or individual will have 5 calendar days to submit an appeal to the Chief of Recreation in writing. A response to the appeal will be provided in 5 calendar days.

The alleged violator(s) will not be allowed to participate or attend any DPR sponsored adult league, program or activity while the investigation is pending.

All appeal decisions made by the Chief of Recreation will be final.

By signing below, I agree and accept any actions that may be taken against me for violating the Parks & Recreation Department's No-Fight rule.

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I ______, attest that all signatures above are signed by

(Print & Sign Coaches Name)

the players participating on this team.