

ORDINANCE – ADOPTED MARCH 9, 1982
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3:1 CAMPING ON PUBLIC PROPERTY

1. IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL TO USE ANY MOTOR VEHICLE OR TRAILER, INCLUDING TRAVEL TRAILERS, CAMPER PICKUPS AND THE LIKE FOR THE PURPOSE OF CAMPING, INCLUDING SLEEPING OVERNIGHT AND/OR THE PREPARATION OF COOKED MEALS, WHILE SUCH MOTOR VEHICLE OR TRAILER IS PARKED ON THE HIGHWAYS OR OTHER PUBLIC PROPERTY OF THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO. THIS DOES NOT PROHIBIT PICNIC-TYPE COOKOUTS.
2. IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL TO TENT, CAMP, SET-UP OR INHABIT ANY CAMP SITE INCLUDING KINDLING OF ANY TYPE FIRE UPON ANY TOWN OWNED PROPERTY EXCEPT ON THOSE SPECIFICALLY DESIGNATED BY THE SELECTMEN. **ANY AND ALL FIRE PERMITS ARE REQUIRED FOR CAMPING ON ANY PROPERTY SO DESIGNATED. THE TOWN OWNED PROPERTIES THAT ARE CURRENTLY DESIGNATED FOR CAMPING ARE: COW ISLAND AND TUFTONBORO CENTRAL PARK (THE FORMER GOULD PROPERTY) ON MIDDLE ROAD.**

As the Selectmen of the Town of Tufonboro have direct control of all town owned property they may at their discretion grant or withhold permission to tent, camp, set-up or inhabit any campsite whenever circumstances dictate. The above amended ordinance is intended to allow such discretion until rescinded by town meeting.