

Leonida Public Library

No-Smoking Policy

The New Jersey Legislature has declared that in all government buildings, the right of nonsmokers to breathe clean air supersedes the rights of smokers. (P. L. 2005, Chapter 383, C.26:3D-55 et seq.)

In accordance with state law, the Borough of Leonida has adopted a smoke-free policy for all buildings. The Borough of Leonida facilities shall be smoke-free, and no employee or visitor will be permitted to smoke anywhere in the municipal buildings.

Employees are permitted to smoke only outside municipal buildings and such locations as not to allow the reentry of smoke into building entrances.

This policy shall be strictly enforced and any employee found in violation will be subject to disciplinary action. (Borough of Leonida Code 46-7)

Furthermore, Leonida Code §197-11 states that: "The smoking of cigarettes, cigars or pipes at Borough parks within the Borough of Leonida is hereby prohibited except in designated smoking areas. Such areas shall be determined and marked with appropriate signage by the Recreation Commission of the Borough. Complaints may be issued by any citizen or enforcement officer."

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