# ADULT SPORTS CODE OF CONDUCT

### **Code of Conduct**

The Participant's Code of Conduct applies to all players and managers. This code applies to players as individuals or as a team, and the penalties can be applied to any individual or an entire team. This code becomes effective as soon as the participants arrive at the facility of play and remains in effect until the participants leave the facility.

### **EXPECTATIONS:**

- 1. Treat all participants, officials and Greensboro Parks and Recreation Staff with respect at all times.
- 2. Cooperate with other participants and officials. Refrain from the use profanity or obscene gestures.
- 3. Never physically hurt or cause harm to another participant, official, staff, or spectator.
- 4. Listen to, and follow, all given instructions/directions from league officials.
- 5. Ask the officials, in a calm manner, to explain any rules I do not understand.
- 6. Respect the facilities and the equipment.
- 7. Participate in a sportsmanlike and safe manner at all times.
- 8. Read and review the league rules and policies and adhere to them at all times
- 9. Play hard. Have fun.

# **PLAYERS SHALL NOT:**

- 1. At any time lay a hand upon, push, shove, strike or threaten an official, employee, participant, or spectator.
- 2. Endanger the safety of any participant, official, employee or spectator.
- 3. Refuse to abide by an official's decision.
- 4. Use personal or verbal abuse upon any official for any decision or judgment.
- 5. Use unnecessary rough tactics in the play of the game against an opposing player.
- 6. Demonstrate objectionable behavior or dissent at an official's decision by throwing equipment or any other forceful action.
- 7. Discuss with an official in any manner the decision reached by such official (except Manager).
- 8. Use or consume alcohol, tobacco, or drugs at or during any league activity on City property.
- 9. Be under the influence of alcohol or drugs during any league activity on City property.
- 10. Discuss publicly with spectators in a derogatory manner any play, decision, or personal opinion of other players during the game.

## Not following Code of Conduct will result in penalties such as:

- 1. Verbal warning by official or staff
- 2. Ejections during a game
- 3. Suspension from game(s)
- 4. Removal from the League

All players must complete the roster and sign the waiver prior to participation or be subject to game forfeiture or disqualification.

I agree to abide by all rules and regulations governing adult sports, which includes any disciplinary measures or suspensions levied by Greensboro Parks and Recreation.

My signature acknowledges, I have read and understand each and every one of the above provisions in the code of conduct and agree to abide by them.

| Please Print) Player Name: |       |
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| Signature:                 | Date: |