

39-0-94

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Title 3, Chapter 8 of the
City Code Relating to Coin-Operated
and Amusement Devices

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of
the City of Evanston, Cook County, Illinois:

SECTION 1: That Section 3-8-10-1(A) of Title 3,
Chapter 8 of the Evanston City Code of 1979, as amended, be and
it hereby is, further amended to read as follows:

3-8-10-1: AMUSEMENT DEVICES:

- (A) Limit on Number: It shall be unlawful for any proprietor of an amusement device to have or maintain upon or within a single premises in excess of eight (8) amusement devices. There shall be exempted from this device number limit those machines located within a student and/or faculty center owned and operated by a State-accredited college or university which is access-limited to faculty, staff, enrolled students and their guests and which offers a regularly-scheduled program of other recreational or cultural activities. This exemption from the device number limit shall be available to one such college/university student and/or faculty center per accredited institution.

SECTION 2: That section 3-8-10-1(B) is amended to read
as follows:

3-8-10-1(B):

Played by Persons Under Twelve Prohibited: No person under the age of twelve (12) years shall play or operate an amusement device, except when accompanied by a parent, legal guardian, or responsible adult of at least eighteen (18) years of age. No proprietor shall permit or allow any person under the age of twelve (12) years to operate or play any amusement device except when accompanied by a parent, legal guardian, or responsible adult of at least eighteen (18) years of age. A sign shall be conspicuously posted setting forth this requirement.

SECTION 3: That section 3-8-10-1(D) is amended to read as follows:

3-8-10-1(D):

Inducements to Play: It shall be unlawful for any proprietor of an amusement device to pay or give or promise to pay or give to any consumer using such device any U.S. currency, token or anything of value for use in conjunction with such device for free play, or as an inducement or reward for playing said device; provided, however, that this subsection shall not be deemed to prohibit the award of free use or a prize to a child under the age of twelve (12) years, upon the achievement of a predetermined score or result. The satisfaction of such an award of a prize or of free use of the device shall not be converted by the proprietor to cash or any other thing of value.

SECTION 4: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5: That unless the City Council shall have voted affirmatively, one (1) year from adoption of Ordinance 39-0-94, to continue in full force and effect the provision of Section 3-8-10-1 establishing a maximum of eight (8) amusement devices within a premises, the maximum shall become six (6) devices.

Introduced: April 25, 1994

Adopted: May 9, 1994

Approved: May 12, 1994
Lorraine H. Norton
Mayor

ATTEST:
Luster Davis
City Clerk

Approved as to form:
[Signature]
Corporation Counsel