

October 25, 2017

TO: THE DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

OF VALENCIA COLLEGE

FROM: SANFORD C. SHUGART

President

RE: POLICY ADOPTION – NON-MOTORIZED VEHICLES ON CAMPUS 6Hx28: 10-7.2

The proposed amendments to Policy 6Hx28: 10-7.2 – Non-Motorized Vehicles on Campus authorize the use of bicycles, and other non-motorized modes of transportation on campus, in certain areas, under certain conditions.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

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The President recommends that the District Board of Trustees of Valencia College approve the amended Policy 6Hx28: 10-07.2 – Non-Motorized Vehicles on Campus, as presented.

President



POLICY: 6Hx28:10-07.2

Responsible Official: Vice President, Business Operations and Finance

Policy Contacts: Assistant Vice

President, Operations, Campus Security

Services

Specific Authority: 1001.64, F.S.

Law Implemented: 1001.64(5), (23),

(24), F.S.

Date of Last Policy Review:

10-25-2017

Non-Motorized Vehicles on Campus

Policy

Statement:

Valencia College recognizes the value of bicycles, skateboards, in-line skates, scooters, roller blades and encourages non-motorized methods of travel as non-polluting forms of transportation and healthful recreation.

Non-motorized methods of travel (bicycles, skateboards, in-line skates, scooters, roller blades and any other means of wheeled travel) are allowed to be utilized outdoors on any campus or at any other facility operated by the College unless otherwise posted.

Policy History:

Adopted 04-19-11; Amended 10-25-17

Related Documents/Policies:

F.S. 316.2065 Section 11

Procedures:

Non-motorized methods of travel include but are not limited to: bicycles, skateboards, inline skates, scooters, roller blades and any other means of wheeled travel and foot travel.

I. Multi-Use Pathways and Sidewalks:

Bicycles, skateboards, in-line skates, scooters, roller blades and any other means of wheeled travel are allowed to be operated on multi-use pathways and campus sidewalks in a courteous, responsible and safe manner. (Sidewalks are designated for pedestrian travel and these pedestrians and disabled persons have absolute right of way in all situations.)

II. Parking Lots, Access and Perimeter Roadways:

- A. Bicycles are regulated and defined by Florida statute and as such are allowed to be operated similarly to vehicles having access to parking lots and are expected to follow all rules of the road. Upon arrival at campus, bicycles shall be safely ridden from the parking lot areas to designated bicycle storage racks.
- B. Skateboards, in-line skates, scooters, roller blades and any other means of wheeled travel are allowed to be operated in campus parking lots in a courteous, responsible and safe manner using extreme caution for pedestrians, especially disabled persons, and all property.
- C. In accordance with Florida Statute 316.2065 Section 11, with the exception of bicycles, no skateboards, in- line skates, scooters, roller blades and any other means of wheeled travel may go upon any roadway except while crossing a street in a crosswalk and are thereby *prohibited from being operated on campus roadways*.
- D. Bicycles, skateboards, in-line skates, scooters, rollerblades and any other means of wheeled travel are *prohibited from being used inside any building except for mobile assist devices for disabled persons*.
- E. All violations will be reported to the Dean of Students or designee responsible for reviewing Student Code of Conduct violations.

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