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CITY OF CORAL SPRINGS PARKS ARE SMOKEFREE



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FORT LAUDERDALE, FLA. – Tobacco Free Florida in Broward County congratulates all parks in the City of Coral Springs on becoming smokefree! This new ordinance will protect our children's health, support tobacco users who want to quit, and keep our community clean.

Tobacco free spaces support our community in many ways. These spaces improve health by providing fewer opportunities for youth to start smoking and reducing secondhand smoke exposure. Across the nation, cigarettes are by far the most littered item in the country. Cigarette butts are harmful if ingested by children, pets, or other animals. These ordinances help lower cigarette litter, encourage people to make healthy choices, and increase quit attempts.

If you're interested in these benefits for your community, Tobacco Free Florida can help. Contact the Florida Department of Health in Broward County's Tobacco Prevention Program to learn more, at 954-467-4700 or TobaccoPrevention.DOHBroward@flhealth.gov.

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About Tobacco Free Florida

The Florida Department of Health's Tobacco Free Florida campaign is a statewide cessation and prevention campaign funded by Florida's tobacco settlement fund. Since the program began in 2007, more than 295,000 Floridians have successfully quit using one of Tobacco Free Florida's free tools and services. There are now approximately 451,000 fewer adult smokers in Florida than there were 10 years ago, and the state has saved \$17.7 billion in health care costs. To learn more about Tobacco Free Florida's Quit Your Way services, visit TobaccoFreeFlorida.com or follow the campaign on Facebook at Facebook.com/TobaccoFreeFlorida or on X at X.com/tobaccofreefla.