



Ajuntament de Begur

CIVIC RESPONSIBILITY IN PUBLIC SPACES

General behaviour in streets and public spaces

- The general public are subject to the obligation to use public roads, spaces, facilities and services in accordance with the purpose for which they were established and to respect residents' co-existence and peace and quiet, displaying due civility so as not to infringe on other people's rights and property.
- The City Council may regulate nudism in duly authorised places.

Fireworks and pyrotechnical activities

- It is generally forbidden to light fires and conduct pyrotechnical activities in streets and in public spaces, particularly open areas, without the relevant authorisation, which will be granted exclusively for events related to popular culture.
- The use of barbecues is forbidden throughout the municipality, including beaches and coastal areas, except in spaces set up in huts and on private property. It is expressly forbidden to light fires on beaches.

Consumption of potentially addictive substances

- The consumption, sale and possession of drugs, narcotics and psychotropic substances declared illegal by the current law are prohibited, even though the above does not constitute a criminal offence:
 - On roads, streets and public transport and in municipal spaces, establishments and buildings.
 - In health and educational centres, places for children and young people and other similar public and private establishments.
It is also forbidden to leave implements and instruments used for the consumption of the substances outlined in the previous paragraph in the street.
- In the event that a situation involving drunkenness or drug addiction is detected or becomes evident, the municipal authority's officers will intervene and, as appropriate, ask the person(s) in question to voluntarily visit the municipality's healthcare services.
- Managers of establishments must prevent their customers from taking glasses or glass bottles into the street and only plastic tumblers must be allowed. In any event, there should be no glasses or cups of any kind on the public roads at or after closing time.

PUBLIC SPACES AND STREETS

Lost objects

- Anyone who finds a personal or valuable object in the streets of the municipality of Begur or any other municipality, provided that it belongs to a resident of Begur in the latter case, is under the obligation to hand it in:
 - At the offices of the Local Police Force of Begur City Council, which will immediately send it to the Municipal Lost Property Office (Oficina Municipal de Troballes), which is accountable to the police.



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- Safekeeping: All objects handed in to the Municipal Lost Property Office will be kept for a maximum period of two years, starting from the date they are handed in.

POLLUTION DUE TO WASTE AND CLEANING

Residents' general obligations

- Everyone living in the municipality of Begur has the obligation to prevent littering and fouling the town in general and in its public areas in particular.
- Any actions that in any way may dirty or tarnish the streets or public spaces and any other actions that negatively affect the cleanliness, appearance, physical integrity and economic value of the elements of public property installed in the streets and public spaces are prohibited, whatever the place where they are carried out, without prejudice to the licences or authorisations that may be applicable in each case, which require an obligation for the person(s) in question to take the necessary measures to prevent the streets from becoming dirty as much as possible, cleaning any affected items of urban furniture and elements and removing the resulting waste materials.

Ordinary municipal waste

- The residents of Begur are under the obligation to deposit the waste they generate in the bins.
- Only small-format solid waste such as paper, packaging and the like may be deposited in bins.
- Residents must abide by the ordinance on waste sorting.

NOISE POLLUTION

Obligations:

- All residents are under the obligation to respect their neighbours and refrain from making any noise that may cause a disturbance of the peace, regardless of the time of day.

It is forbidden:

- To carry out any action that causes an increase in the sound levels affecting the general peace.
- The emission of any noise that disturbs the peace and quiet of the neighbourhood between 11:00 pm and 7:00 am, except in the cases of folk and festive activities authorised by the City Council.
- It is forbidden to drive a vehicle with a music system at a high volume that causes a nuisance.