

681—4.2(262) Definitions. For the purpose of these rules, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly requires otherwise, and all other words shall have meaning according to their common usage.

“*Appointed authority*” means the person or entity designated by the president of a university to perform any function or duty required or permitted hereunder.

“*Bicycle*” means any vehicle having two or three wheels and fully operable pedals that is a traditional bicycle designed solely to be pedaled by the rider. An electric/battery-powered bicycle designed not only to be pedaled by the rider but also propelled by an electric motor of less than 750 watts (one horsepower) may be treated as a bicycle and may be parked at bicycle racks.

“*Campus*” means all property under the control of a university.

“*Employee*” means any person regularly employed by a university who is not a student.

“*Guest*” means any person other than a person living at the designated residence hall.

“*Handrail*” means any railing intended to provide physical support to a pedestrian.

“*Immobilization*” of a bicycle consists of restricting the bicycle’s use by detaining it at the point of infraction with a university locking device.

“*Impoundment*” of a bicycle consists of removing the owner’s locking device, transporting the bicycle to a university facility, and detaining it with a university locking device.

“*In-line skates*” means any frame or shoe with a single row of wheels that is used for gliding or skating. In-line skates are also known as roller blades.

“*Motorcycle*” or “*moped*” or “*motorized bicycle*” means any vehicle that is self-propelled, has fewer than four wheels in contact with the ground, and is not a bicycle or an electric bicycle. For purposes of these rules, a moped or motorized bicycle is considered a motorcycle.

“*Motor vehicle*” means any vehicle that is self-propelled and has four or more wheels in contact with the ground.

“*Roller skates*” means any frame or shoe with a pair of small wheels near the heel and near the toe that is used for gliding or skating.

“*Skateboard*” means any board or platform with attached wheels used for individual transportation. For purposes of these rules, a nonmotorized scooter (a board with a handle) is considered a skateboard.

“*Street furniture*” is any structure or accessory in a university pedestrian area or slow zone designed for the benefit of pedestrians. This includes, but is not limited to, benches, tables, lampposts, and trash receptacles.

“*Student*” means any person registered with the university for academic credit who is not employed by the university on a full-time salaried or equivalent basis.

“*University,*” unless specifically indicated herein, means the state University of Iowa, Iowa State University or the University of Northern Iowa.

“*Vehicle*” means any wheeled or treaded device used or designed for use as a means of transportation or conveyance of persons or property.

“*Visitor*” means any person who owns, operates or parks a vehicle on the university campus who is not a student or an employee.

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