

Tilden Woods Noise Policy

Any function (social or otherwise) that occurs during daytime hours (defined by the County's Noise Ordinance to be from 9 AM – 9 PM on weekends, and 7 AM – 9 PM on weekdays) at Tilden Woods pool must conform to the Montgomery County Noise ordinance, which specifies that noise be no greater than 65 dBA at the noise receiving area (which for our purposes is the property line of TWRA). Any function that occurs during nighttime hours (defined by the County's Noise Ordinance to be from 9PM – 9AM on weekends, and 9PM – 7AM on weekdays) must have noise be no greater than 55 dBA at the noise receiving area. Note: the county ordinance exempts sound that is not electronically amplified created between 7 am and 11 pm for sports, amusement, or entertainment events or other public gatherings operating according to the requirements of the appropriate permit or licensing authority. Any individual in charge of a social function must be informed of this policy and agree to abide by it. The lifeguards are authorized to enforce this noise policy. The pool will maintain on site a noise meter that can be used by the lifeguards or other individuals to ensure that this policy is enforced. The pool will also maintain a log in which all sound measurements (including date, time, location measurement taken, circumstances, and measurer/recorder) will be recorded.