

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF HURON
VILLAGE OF PORT AUSTIN**

**ORDINANCE NO. 61
DISORDERLY PERSON.**

AN ORDINANCE TO PERSERVE THE PUBLIC PEACE

THE VILLAGE OF PORT AUSTIN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Definition.

A person is a disorderly person if the person is any of the following:

- a.) A person of sufficient ability who refuses or neglects to support his or her family.
 - b.) A common prostitute.
 - c.) A window peeper
 - d.) A person who engages in an illegal occupation or business.
 - e.) A person who is intoxicated in a public place and who is either endangering directly the safety of another person or of property or is acting in a manor that causes a public disturbance.
 - f.) A person who engages in indecent or obscene conduct in a public place.
 - g.) A vagrant.
 - h.) A person found begging in a public place.
 - i.) A person found loitering in a house of ill fame or prostitution or place where prostitution or lewdness is practiced, encouraged or allowed.
 - j.) A person knowingly loiters in or about a place where an illegal occupation or business is being conducted.
 - k.) A person who loiters in or about a police station, police headquarters building, county jail, hospital, court building, or other public building or place for the purpose of soliciting employment or legal services or the service of sureties upon criminal recognizance.
1. A person who is found jostling or roughly crowing people unnecessarily in a public place.
 2. A person who is found with any stolen property.
 3. A person who shall by word or conduct commit such act or acts, as may cause civil commotion, or cause or be likely to cause injury to public or private property, or to life of person of another.

4. Any person who shall throw or cause to be thrown any missile, likely to cause bodily injury or property damage.

5. A person who uses any light or flare, on an automobile or otherwise, in such a manner as to cause annoyance to others or be likely to endanger life or property.

Section 2. Indecent Language.

No person shall use indecent, immoral, obscene, vulgar or insulting language in the presence of any woman or child.

Section 3. Indecent Exposure.

No person shall exhibit himself in any place of entertainment or in any public place, nude or indecently clad; no person shall indulge in any indecent, immoral or suggestive conduct in such places; no person shall designedly make any open or indecent exposure of his person, or of the person of another.

Section 4. Obscene Literature, Devices, and Shows.

a.) No person shall print, publish, show, sell or offer for sale, exhibit or otherwise dispose of any printed matter, pictures, or devices containing indecent or obscene language or pictures, which by the context thereof or purpose thereof tends to corrupt public morals; nor shall any person have in the possession any such articles.

b.) No person shall show, or cause, to be shown, any show, or pictures, whether a personal performance or by mechanical means, which is immoral, obscene or suggestive; or which tend to corrupt the public morals.

Section 5. Fortune Telling.

No person shall, for consideration, predict future events, or pretend to enable another to recover lost or stolen property, give success in business, enterprise, speculation or games of chance, or to make one person dispose of property in favor of another, by cards, tokens, trances, by inspection of the hands or the skull, by mind reading, or by consulting the movements of the heavenly bodies, or by other means.

Section 6. Gambling and Lotteries.

a.) No person, his agent, or employee shall, directly or indirectly take, receive or accept, money or valuable thing, with the agreement, understanding or allegation, that money or any valuable thing will be paid or delivered to any such person where such payment or delivery is contingent upon the result of a race, contest, game or the happening of an event no known to the parties to be certain.

b.) No person shall keep any device used for the purposes in paragraph (a) mentioned.

c.) No person shall use, own or let any place or property and shall knowingly suffer acts forbidden under paragraph (a).

d.) No person shall assist, solicit or advertise for, or occupy any place wherein acts forbidden under paragraph (a) are conducted.

e.) In addition to other penalties hereinafter provided, the Police Department may seize and destroy devices in paragraph (b) mentioned.

Section 7. Furnishing Intoxicating Liquor.

a.) No person shall knowingly sell, give or furnish liquor or beer to any drunk or intoxicated person, or disorderly person.

b.) No person shall sell, give or furnish alcoholic liquor or beer to any person under the age of 21 years.

Section 8. Crowds and Riots, Public Address.

a.) No person shall make or assist in making any improper noise or disturbance, quarrel or riot by which the peace and order of the community are disturbed; nor shall any person or person collect or stand in crowds, or remain loitering on the public ways, or other places so as to interfere with free and uninterrupted passage of other persons.

b.) No person or persons shall address the public, either personally or by mechanical means, either by word, music or other means, upon any public way, or place, except in such places designated by Village Council. Or by written permission from the President or the Chief of Police.

c.) No person shall disrupt or aid in disrupting in any manner, any service of worship, or any other assembled for lawful purposes.

d.) No person shall shoot any air gun, spring gun, cross bow or firearm, or other dangerous weapon or instrument in the Village of Port Austin.

e.) No person shall explode, any fireworks, cannon or other instrument set forth in Section 243 of the Penal code of the State of Michigan as amended by Act 92 Public Acts 1941, unless the terms and conditions thereof have been first complied with; and no person shall sell, or expose for sale such fireworks or other instruments above mentioned.

f.) No person shall ring any bell, blow any horn or operate any other noise-making device, or by mouth or voice make sounds and noises causing annoyance to others, or be likely to annoy or disturb others.

Section 9. Penalties.

Any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating any provisions of this ordinance or by convicted of being a disorderly person under the provisions of the same shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed one hundred (\$100.00) dollars or by imprisonment in the County or Municipal Jail for a period of not to exceed ninety (90) days or both, such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

Section 10. Invalidity.

Should a portion of this ordinance be declared invalid for any reason, the remainder of the ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

Section 11. Adoption.

This Ordinance shall take effect twenty-one (21) days from the date of its passage.

This Ordinance is hereby declared to have been adopted by the Village of Port Austin Council at a meeting thereof duly called and held on the 9th day of January, 1984.

Dated: January 9, 1984

KAY F. GORDON
Port Austin Village Clerk

Dated: January 9, 1984

EDWIN KORN, JR.
Port Austin Village President