

CITY OF GRANT CURFEW ORDINANCE

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 34

THE CITY OF GRANT ORDAINS:

Section I. Minors under twelve (12) years of age.

No minor under the age of twelve (12) years shall be upon or about any public street, highway, alley, park or other public place, between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. unless the minor is accompanied by a parent or guardian, or some adult delegated by the parent or guardian to accompany the minor child.

Section II. Minors under fifteen (15) years of age.

No minor under the age of fifteen (15) years shall be upon or about any public street, highway, alley, park or other public place, between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. except where the minor is accompanied by a parent or guardian, or some adult delegated by the parent or guardian to accompany the minor child or where the minor child is upon an errand or other legitimate business directed by his parent or guardian.

Section III. Minors under seventeen (17) years of age.

No minor under the age of seventeen (17) years shall be upon or about any public street, highway, alley, park or other public place, between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. unless the minor is accompanied by a parent or guardian, or some adult delegated by the parent or guardian to accompany the minor child or where the minor child is upon an errand or other legitimate business directed by his parent or guardian.

Section IV. Aiding or Abetting Violation.

No person of the age of seventeen (17) years or over shall assist, aid, abet or encourage any minor under the age of seventeen (17) years to violate the provisions of Sections I, II, or III.

Section V.

No parent, guardian, or other person having the care and custody of any minor under the age of seventeen (17) years shall knowingly allow, permit or encourage any such minor while in his/her custody to violate the provisions of Sections I, II, or III hereof.

Section VI. Juvenile Arrest Procedure.

Arrests and prosecution of minors under the age of seventeen (17) years for violation of this Chapter shall be in accordance with Policies and Procedures of the City of Grant. Said child may be transferred home, turned over to parent or guardian and a "receipt of child" form signed by same.

Section VII. Definition - Adult.

For purposes of this ordinance the term "adult" shall mean a person over the age of twenty-one (21) years unless the minor who is being accompanied by a person is the natural or adopted child of the person accompanying the minor. The term "adult" shall also mean any person who has been legally emancipated pursuant to the laws and statutes of the State of Michigan.

Section VIII. Penalty.

Any person who violates this ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days or a fine of not more than \$100.00, or both in the discretion of the court, together with the costs of prosecution for said violation. Further, upon the offender failing to pay any such fine imposed, and the costs of prosecution, said offender may be imprisoned in the county jail of Newaygo County for a term not exceeding six (6) months unless payment thereof be sooner made. (MCL Section 89.2; MSA Section 5.1718.)

This ordinance shall be effective on July 7, 1992.

Commissioner Hallman moved the adoption of the foregoing ordinance which was supported by Commissioner Wardie and thereupon adopted by the City Commission of the City of Grant at a regular meeting held June 9, 1992.

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Mayor

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Clerk

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