

## Chapter 7 MINORS<sup>1</sup>

### SECTIONS:

- 6-7-1: Loitering of Minors**  
**6-7-2: Responsibility of Parents**  
**6-7-3: Penalty for Violations**

#### **6-7-1: Loitering of Minors**

It shall be unlawful for any minor under the age of eighteen (18) years to loiter, idle, wander, or play in or upon the public streets, alleys or other public grounds, public places and public buildings, vacant lots or other unsupervised places, between the hours of 10:30 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. of the following day. These hours will be enforced Sunday thru Thursday. On Fridays and Saturdays the hours are extended to 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m. provided however, that the provisions of this Section do not apply to a minor accompanied by his or her parent, guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor, or where the minor is upon an emergency errand of legitimate business directed by his or her parent, guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor. Each violation of the provisions of this Section shall constitute a separate offense. (Ord. 136, 10-2-1950; Ord. 1-1984, 2-6-1984)

#### **6-7-2: Responsibility of Parents**

It shall be unlawful for any parent, guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of a minor under the age of eighteen (18) years to knowingly permit such minor to loiter, idle, wander or play in or upon the public streets, alleys, or other public grounds, public places, and public buildings, vacant lots or other unsupervised places, between the hours of 10:30 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. of the following day Sunday thru Thursday. On Fridays and Saturdays between 2:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. provided, however, that the provisions of this Section do not apply when the minor is accompanied by his or her parent, guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor or when the minor is upon and emergency errand or legitimate business directed by his or her parent, guardian, or other adult person having the custody of the minor. Each violation of the provisions of this Section shall constitute a separate offense. (Ord. 136, 10-2-1950; Ord. 1-1984, 2-6-1984)

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Title 6, Chapter 7, Section 1,2,3,4,5&6 are repealed and reenacted. Ord. 1-1984, 2-6-1984.

**6-7-3: Penalty for Violations**

Any minor violating the provisions of Section 1 shall be dealt with in accordance with Juvenile Court Law and Procedure. Any parent, guardian or other adult person having the care and custody of a minor in violation is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, for each offense, be fined in a sum of not more than three hundred (\$300.00) dollars and not less than fifty (\$50.00) dollars or imprisoned not to exceed ninety (90) days, or both so fines and imprisoned. (Ord. 13, 10-2-1950; Ord. 1-1984, 2-6-1984, Ord. 6-1986, 10-7-1986)