

1. Loitering of Minors Prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any minor under the age of twelve (12) years to loiter, wander, stroll, play or idle in or upon public streets, highways, alleys, parks, playgrounds, public places, places of amusement or entertainment, vacant lots or public unsupervised places in the City between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. of the following day: and it shall be unlawful for any minor under the age of sixteen (16) to loiter, wander, stroll, play or idle in or upon the public streets, highways, alleys, parks, playgrounds, public places, places of amusement or entertainment, vacant lots or public unsupervised places in the City between the hours of 12:00 o'clock midnight and 6:00 o'clock a.m. of the following day, unless such minors are accompanied by his or her parent, guardian or legal custodian, or adult member of the family. Provided, however, it shall be lawful for minors to be upon the public streets during the hours aforesaid while returning home from (1) A party of dance held under the auspices of a public or parochial school; (2) An entertainment, festival or bazaar held under the auspices of any duly and lawfully organized ecclesiastical corporation or the Y.M.C.A.; (3) An entertainment held by any religious, educational or other organization primarily organized for young people, held under a special permit issued by the City Council upon recommendation of the Police Chief. In all the foregoing cases, the minor attending such function must have the permission of his or her parent, guardian, legal custodian or teacher to attend the party, dance or entertainment and may be required by any police officer to furnish satisfactory evidence thereof. Any minor shall also have the right to be on the public streets or other public places of the City during the hours aforesaid while engaged in the performance of an errand or duty directed by his or her parent, guardian, or legal custodian, or in cases where the legal employment of such minor makes it necessary for him or her to be upon the streets, alleys, or other public places during the hours hereinbefore specified, provided the minor is able to furnish satisfactory proof of the errand, duty or legal employment requiring such presence.

(Rev. 03-26-1979)

9.63 Amusement Places; Responsibility.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation operating a place or places of amusement and entertainment to permit any minor or minors to enter or remain in such places of amusement and entertainment during the hours prohibited in this Chapter; 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 legal care and custody of the minor.

(Rev. 02-11-1971)

9.64 Permit of Police Chief.

If lawful employment, business or other lawful purposes require a minor under the age of sixteen (16) years to be or remain upon the public streets or other public places between the hours of 12:00 o'clock midnight and 6:00 a.m., the Police Chief upon written application by the parent or guardian of such minor, and for good cause shown, may

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issue a written permit for such minor under the age of sixteen (16) years to be or remain on the streets or other public places at the time or times specified in such permit. No such permit shall be issued for a period longer than thirty (30) days from the date of application.

(Rev. 02-11-1971)

9.65. Violations of Minor.

Any minor under sixteen (16) years of age violating the provisions of this Chapter shall be deemed a delinquent or neglected child and may be complained against in the Juvenile Court of Oakland County as such by any police officer or other person having knowledge of such violation, and such minor shall be dealt with by said Court as provided by law.

(Rev. 02-11-1971)