Chapter 9-08

CARE AND USE OF SIDEWALKS

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Section 9-08-01SIDEWALKS; OBSTRUCTING

Any person who shall obstruct, injure or impair, any of the sidewalks, streets or alleys in the City and shall continue such obstruction for a period of twenty-four (24) hours after notice from any police officer, or City Clerk Licensing Enforcement Officers to remove the same shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; that this section shall not prohibit the operation of a sidewalk cafe pursuant to a permit issued by the City Clerk. (Ord. 1397, Sec. 1; 1936 Code, Sec. 9-101; 1952 Code, Sec. 19-1301)(Ord. No. 5467, Amended, 07/20/93; Ord. No. 5467, Amended, 07/20/93)

Section 9-08-02SIDEWALKS; MARKING ON

It shall be unlawful for any person to post, paste, paint, print, mark, stencil or nail any handbill, poster, advertisement or notice of any kind upon any curbing, sidewalk, fire alarm box or fire hydrant within the City. (1922 Code, Sec. 636; 1936 Code, Sec. 9-102; 1952 Code, Sec. 19-1302)

Section 9-08-03(Repealed by Ord. 2933; 3-17-69)

Section 9-08-04SIDEWALKS, VEGETABLE WAGONS

It shall be unlawful for any person to wheel or draw any vegetable wagon or other vehicle except tricycles, velocipedes and hand carriages for children upon any of the sidewalks within the City, and no person having the charge or control of any beast of burden or vehicle shall intentionally cause or permit the same to stand upon any sidewalk or street crossing or so near thereto as to obstruct travel on the same, and no person shall carry on the sidewalk any vegetables, clothes, garbage or other matter in baskets or buckets in any manner so as to obstruct, hinder or delay pedestrians. (1922 Code, Sec. 638; 1936 Code, Sec. 9-104; 1952 Code, Sec. 19-1304)

Section 9-08-05SWEEPINGS ON SIDEWALK

It shall be unlawful for any person in charge of any place or premises to permit any dust, dirt or refuse matter therefrom to be thrown, placed or swept upon any sidewalk or street; and any person so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; provided that in case of accident or necessity while properly using the street such person shall not be liable to the foregoing penalty if he shall immediately clean up the dirt, refuse, or litter caused thereby, and on his failure to do so the same may be done by the City at his cost and expense, together with the costs of the action to recover the same. (1952 Code, Sec. 19-1305

to 19-1307)

Section 9-08-06CLEANING SIDEWALKS

Every owner or occupant of any building or vacant lot and every person having the charge of any church, jail or public building in this City abutting upon any paved street shall daily (Sundays and holidays excepted) or more often if required, sweep up and keep clean the sidewalk in front of such premises and shall remove the dirt and sweepings there from in a manner so as not to litter either street or sidewalk and must do this between the hours of 4:00 A.M. and 9:00 A.M. on each day, and every such person neglecting or refusing to sweep and keep clean such portion of the sidewalk as is in front of his premises and to comply with the provisions of this Section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. (1922 Code, Sec. 642; 1936 Code, Sec. 9-108; 1952 Code, Sec. 19-1308)

Section 9-08-07REMOVING SNOW FROM SIDEWALKS

Every owner of any building or vacant lot, and every person having the charge of any church, jail or public building in this City shall during the time snow shall be on the ground by 9:00 A.M. every morning, when necessary, clear the sidewalks and gutters in front of his property from snow, and keep conveniently free therefrom during the day, so as to allow citizens to use the sidewalks in an easy, safe and commodious manner, and every person neglecting or refusing to comply with the provisions of this Section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. (1922 Code, Sec. 643; 1936 Code, Sec. 9-109; 1952 Code, Sec. 19-1309)

Section 9-08-08DRAINING SIDEWALKS

Any person having charge of or the care of any lot bordering on or adjacent to any sidewalk shall keep such sidewalk drained so as not to permit or allow water to stand thereon, and no person shall leave or allow, any water hose to remain on such sidewalk during the nighttime. Any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (1922 Code, Sec. 644; 1936 Code, Sec. 9-110; Ord. 2136, Sec. 1; 1952 Code, Sec. 19-1310)