

ORDINANCE NO. 3957

An Ordinance to amend the Flint City Code of Ordinances by amending Chapter 31, General Offenses.

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF FLINT:

Sec. 1. An Ordinance to amend the Flint City Code of Ordinances by amending Chapter 31, General Offenses, Article I, In General, by amending and renumbering Section 31-9.4, Back to the Bricks and Other Public Events Curfew – Minors Under 17, which shall read in its entirety as follows:

~~§ 31-9.4~~ §31-7.4. BACK TO THE BRICKS AND OTHER PUBLIC EVENTS CURFEW – MINORS UNDER 17

(a) The presence of unsupervised Minors under the age of SEVENTEEN (17) at Back to the Bricks and other public events creates a public nuisance and health and safety hazard. Unsupervised Minors create disorderly and dangerous situations at such events. There is a need to restrict the presence of unsupervised Minors at such events as the Chief of Police shall deem necessary from time to time to preserve the health, safety and welfare of the public.

The provisions of this section shall extend the curfew hours for Minors under the age of SEVENTEEN (17) during “Back to the Bricks” and other public events as deemed necessary by the Chief of Police to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public.

(b) During the Back to the Bricks event and other public events as set forth by subsection (a), from 6:00 p.m. To 6:00 a.m., it shall be unlawful for a Minor under the age of SEVENTEEN (17) years, to be on any public street, sidewalk, alley, park, playground, vacant lot, any other unsupervised public place in the City, or any public place used for the purpose of facilitating the Back to the Bricks event or other public event as

restricted by subsection (a), and as specifically identified in a public notice by the Chief of Police.

(c) If a Minor is in violation of the Back to the Bricks and other public events curfew, it will be prima facie evidence that the Minor’s Parent or Guardian is in violation of their parental responsibility to exercise reasonable control and supervision over the Minor. ~~child~~

(d) A Parent or Guardian who violates subsection (c) is guilty of failure to meet their parental responsibility to ensure their Minor ~~child~~ complies with the Back to the Bricks and other public events curfew.

(e) Any individual found responsible for a violation of ~~§ 31-9.4~~ 31-7.4 shall pay a Two Hundred and Fifty Dollar (\$250.00) fine and will be subject to costs in the amount of the actual cost to the Police Department in arresting and detaining the Minor. ~~child.~~

Sec. 2. ~~This Ordinance shall become effective this~~ 27th day of April, 2015, A.D.

Adopted this 25th day of April, 2015, A.D.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Gerald Ambrose, Emergency Manager

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