

ORDINANCE NO. 1269

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LANSING, MICHIGAN, TO AMEND THE LANSING CODIFIED ORDINANCES (CODE) BY AMENDING CHAPTER 602 SECTION 602.11, TO PREVENT DISEASE, PROLONG LIFE AND PROMOTE PUBLIC HEALTH BY PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF STATE AND LOCAL HEALTH ORDERS OR REGULATIONS ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC HEALTH CODE, BEING 1978 PA 368, AS AMENDED, MCL 333.1101, ET SEQ.; TO PROVIDE FOR PENALTIES FOR WILLFUL VIOLATION OF SUCH ORDERS OR REGULATIONS WITH PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE AS A MISDEMEANOR, OR UPON BEING INFORMED OF SUCH ORDER OR REGULATION BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, AS A CIVIL INFRACTION.

THE CITY OF LANSING ORDAINS AND FINDS AN EMERGENCY EXISTS TO CONTROL THE SPREAD OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC:

Section 1. That Chapter 602, Section 602.11, of the Code be and is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

- (A) NO PERSON SHALL WILLFULLY AND KNOWINGLY FAIL TO OBEY ANY EMERGENCY ORDER OR REGULATION ISSUED BY THE STATE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OR LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER OF INGHAM OR EATON COUNTY PURSUANT TO THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC HEALTH CODE, BEING 1978 PA 368; MCL 333.1101, ET SEQ. TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND CONTROL THE SPREAD OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, REGULATED ACTIONS

DESCRIBED IN ORDERS NAMED INGHAM 2020-21, INGHAM 2020-22,
INGHAM 2020-23 AND INGHAM 2020-24

- (B) VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (A) IS A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE AS PROVIDED IN CODE SECTION 202.99.
- (C) NO PERSON WITH KNOWLEDGE OF AN ORDER OR REGULATION ISSUED BY THE STATE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OR A LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (A), OR AFTER BEING INFORMED OF THE ORDER OR REGULATION BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THE ACT PROSCRIBED BY AN ORDER OR REGULATION DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (A), SHALL FAIL TO IMMEDIATELY OR REPEATEDLY COMPLY WITH A DIRECTIVE OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER TO OBEY THE ORDER OR REGULATION.
- (D) VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (C) IS A MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION PUNISHABLE AS PROVIDED IN CODE SECTION 202.99(C).

Section 2. All ordinances, resolutions or rules, parts of ordinances, resolutions or rules inconsistent with the provisions are repealed.

Section 3. Should any section, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof other than the part so declared to be invalid.

Section 4. This emergency ordinance is enacted pursuant to Section 3-308 of the City Charter to compel compliance with public health regulations and orders issued under the Michigan Public Health Code to control the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic and shall take effect immediately upon publication and shall expire at the end of 60 days.


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Lansing City Clerk