

**VILLAGE of CASNOVIA
COUNTIES of KENT and MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN**

At a regular meeting of the Village Council of the Village of Casnovia, held at the Village Office, 141 North Main Street, within the Village, on the 11th day of November 2024, at 6:30pm

PRESENT: Members: Morris, Kahrs, Frary, Bennitt, Palinski.

ABSENT: Members: None.

The following ordinance was offered by Member Kahrs and supported by Member Palinski.

ORDINANCE NO. Δ2024-08 Amended 2020-07 Δ.

AN ORDINANCE to establish Village ordinance 2024 – 08 Ordinance number, to Secure the Public Health, Safety, and General Welfare of the Residents, Visitors, and Property Owners of the Village of Casnovia, Counties of Kent and Muskegon, Michigan by the Regulation of disorderly Conduct and Other Unlawful Conduct by Persons Within the Village, and to Prescribe penalties for the Violation Thereof.

THE VILLAGE OF CASNOVIA ORDAINS:

Section 1. Purpose: This ordinance shall be known as the Village of Casnovia Disorderly Conduct Ordinance. The purpose is to permit the Village to regulate the response to disorderly or unlawful conduct by persons within the Village and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof.

Section 2. Definitions: The following words, terms, and phrases, when used in this ordinance, shall have the meaning stated below in this section: Public place shall mean any street, alley, park, public building, any place of business or any place of assembly and any other place which is open to the public view or to which the public has or may gain access.

Section 3. *Acts and Conduct Prohibited:*

No person shall:

- (a) Commit an assault.
- (b) Engage in any disturbance, fight, or quarrel in a public place.
- (c) Be drunk in any public place or under the influence of any narcotic drug in any public place.
- (d) Willfully destroy, remove, damage alter or in any manner deface any property not of his or her own.

- (e) Engage in peeking in the windows of any inhabited place.
- (f) Solicit or accost any person for the purpose of inducing the commission of any illegal act.
- (g) Disturb the public peace by loud, boisterous, or seriously offensive conduct.
- (h) Allow any place occupied or controlled by such person to be a place used, frequented or occupied by noisy, boisterous, or disorderly persons.
- (i) Obstruct, resist, hinder, or oppose any member of a police force, or any police officer or sheriff's department officer in the discharge of his or her duties.
- (j) Knowingly furnish to any police officer or sheriff's department officer, or other Official a false name, false address, or false information in connection with any arrestor investigation.
- (k) Knowingly make to any police officer, sheriff's department officer, or other official, a fictitious report of the purported commission of any crime or misdemeanor.
- (l) Trespass or unlawfully remain upon the premises of another, to the annoyance or disturbance of the lawful occupant or his or her agent.
- (m) Wrongfully throw or propel any snowball, missile, or object from any moving motor vehicle.
- (n) Wrongfully throw or propel any snowball, missile, or object toward any person or motor vehicle.
- (o) Purchase or knowingly possess or transport any alcoholic liquor, or knowingly possess, transport, or have under his or her control in any motor vehicle any alcoholic liquor, if such person is under 21 years, unless such person is licensed to do so and is possessing, transporting, or having such alcoholic liquor in a motor vehicle under his or her control during regular working hours and in the course of employment."

Section 4. *Violations and Penalties:* Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed \$500.00 together with court costs, in the discretion of the court. Each day that such violation occurs shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 5. Severability: The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and if any clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or sub-section is declared to be void or ineffective for any reason, it shall not affect any other part or portion hereof.

Section 6 Effective Date of Publication: This ordinance shall become effective 30 days following its publication or the publication of a summary of its provisions in a local newspaper of general circulation in the Village.

ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.

AYES: Morris, Kahrs, Frary, Bennett, Palinski
NAYES: None

Pamela Manciu

Pamela Manciu, Village of Casnovia Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of an ordinance adopted by the Village Council of the Village of Casnovia at a regular meeting held on the date first stated above, and I further certify that public notice of such meeting was given as provided by law.

Pamela Manciu

Pamela Manciu, Village of Casnovia Clerk