

CITY OF MUNISING

CONSTRUCTION OF CEMENT SIDEWALKS

ORDINANCE NO. 16

An ordinance regulating to the construction of cement sidewalks in the City of Munising.

THE CITY OF MUNISING ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. That hereafter all persons in the City of Munising wishing to put cement sidewalks in front of their property shall first notify the City Commission in writing, and receive permission from the Commission before building the sidewalk.

SECTION 2. All sidewalks shall be constructed as follows: All walk beds to be thoroughly puddled, preparing the same in a solid, compact condition to receive the concrete which shall be three inches thick, and composed of six parts gravel, and one of cement, and over the concrete shall be spread a surface of two parts sand, and one of cement, one inch thick, making a total thickness of four inches.

Where deemed necessary by the commission, curbing shall be put in of sufficient strength and thickness to support the walk.

All cement used in the construction of the walks shall be of standard make subject to the approval of the council.

SECTION 3. Costs for the construction of any sidewalk so initiated shall be shared 50% by the property owner and 50% by the City.

SECTION 4. The property owner is responsible for maintaining all sidewalks upon their property in a safe condition. Costs of maintaining the sidewalk(s) in this condition are the sole responsibility of the property owner.

SECTION 5. PENALTY-CIVIL INFRACTION/MISDEMEANOR. A person responsible for activity that violates Section 1 shall be guilty of a civil infraction or a misdemeanor, as provided below.

A person found responsible hereunder shall be guilty of a civil infraction as defined in RJA Section 113, MCLA 600.113, punishable by civil fine according to the following schedule:

First offense within one year \$50.00;

Second offense within one year \$100.00.

Any person who commits three or more violations of Section 1 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than \$500.00, and/or imprisoned for not more than 90 days.

For purposes of computing the one year period, time shall run from the date the first ticket was issued.

SECTION 6. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portions shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holdings shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion.

SECTION 7. NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED. The City Clerk shall publish this ordinance in the manner required by law.

SECTION 8. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect in this governmental unit ten (10) days after the date of publication.

ADOPTED: March 15, 1993.



GLENN CHAMPAGNE, Mayor



ELIZABETH ANN WILLIAMS, City Clerk

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