

**PROPOSED  
RESOLUTION  
of the  
CITY OF MINNEAPOLIS**

**Approving the adoption of an Administrative Enforcement Fine Schedule for violations Nuisance Ordinances.**

Whereas, the Minneapolis City Council has adopted an Amendment to Title 1 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances by adding therein a Chapter 2 relating to an Administrative Enforcement and Hearing Process; and

Whereas, Section 2.60 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances provides for the imposition of a civil fine for violations of certain Articles of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances; and

Whereas, Section 2.70 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances provides that the City Council shall adopt by Resolution a schedule of fines for administrative offenses; and

Whereas, the Minneapolis City Attorneys Office has submitted a proposed civil fine schedule for consideration by the City Council;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the City Council of the City of Minneapolis:

That the proposed civil fine schedule presented for consideration by the Minneapolis City Attorneys Office be adopted, as set forth in Petn No \_\_\_\_\_ on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ENFORCEMENT

### Proposed Fine Schedule

Violations of a more serious nature will be considered “Major Violations” and be subject to a higher penalty. Violations of a lesser nature will be considered “Minor Violations” and a lesser fine imposed.

A second or subsequent violation of the same type by the same person or entity in a twenty-four (24) month period of time shall be subject to a fine that is double the amount of fine imposed for the previous violation, up to a maximum of \$2,000 per violation.

#### Standard Violations with \$80 Fines

Violation	Cite	Fine
Begging	385.60	\$80
Consuming in Public	364.40	\$80
Loiter with an Open Bottle	364.45	\$80
Noise Violations (boom cars)	385.65	\$80
Public Urination	Proposed Ordinance	\$80

#### Significant Violations with \$240 Fines

Violation	Cite	Fine
Drug Paraphernalia in a Public Place	Proposed Ordinance	\$240
Graffiti	244.495	\$240
Loitering	385.50	\$240
Lurking	385.80	\$240
Minor Consumption	370.40	\$240

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER NIZIOLEK

Council Member Niziolek moves the introduction of the subject matter of an ordinance amending Title 11, Health and Sanitation Regulations, Chapter 227, Nuisances Generally, Article II Specific Conditions and Activities, of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances, providing for an ordinance prohibiting public urination, for referral to the Public Safety and Regulatory Services Committee for setting a public hearing.

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Council Member Niziolek moves the introduction of the subject matter of an ordinance amending Title 11, Health and Sanitation Regulations, Chapter 223, Drugs, Article IV, Drug Paraphernalia, of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances, providing for an ordinance prohibiting possession of drug paraphernalia in a public place, for referral to the Public Safety and Regulatory Services Committee for setting a public hearing.