CHAPTER EIGHT

ARTICLE I Miscellaneous Offenses

8.1.2 Attempts; Aiding and Abetting; Procuring Offense

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to attempt to commit any act which is prohibited by this Code or other ordinance or by any rule, regulation, order or notice duly promulgated or given pursuant to authority thereof; and it shall be unlawful for any person to aid or abet another in the commission or attempted commission of any act which is prohibited by this Code or other ordinance or by any rule, regulation, order or notice duly promulgated or given pursuant to authority thereof.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to attempt to avoid the doing of any act which is required by this Code or other ordinance or by any rule, regulation, order or notice duly promulgated or given pursuant to authority thereof; and it shall be unlawful for any person to aid or abet another in the avoidance or attempted avoidance of any act which is required by this Code or other ordinance or by any rule, regulation, order or notice duly promulgated or given pursuant to authority thereof.

(c) Any person who aids, abets or procures another to commit an offense may be prosecuted and punished as if he were the principal offender.

8.1.3 Indecent Exposure; Obscenity – No person shall appear upon the streets or any other public place within the Town in a state of nudity, or in any indecent or lewd attire; or make an obscene or indecent exposure of his person, or make any such indecent or obscene exposure of person in any dwelling or other place

wherefrom the same may be seen in any such street or other public place; or commit any obscene, indecent or lewd act or be guilty of any indecent, obscene or lewd behavior, nor exhibit, sell or offer to sell any indecent or lewd book, picture or other thing.

8.1.4 Sale, Possession, or Giving Away of Obscene Literature – It shall be unlawful for any person within the Town to sell, distribute, lend, give away, exhibit, or offer to sell, distribute, lend, give away, exhibit, or have in his possession for any such purposes any obscene, lewd, lascivious or immoral book, pamphlet, paper, writing, advertising, picture, circular, or newspaper.

8.1.5 Indecent Words, Pictures, etc., at Places Exposed to Public View – It shall be unlawful for any person to write, draw, mark or otherwise display any obscene, lewd or indecent word, picture or figure upon any street or sidewalk or upon any pole, wall or other structure in any public place or upon any pole, wall or other structure so as to be visible to a person in any public place.

8.1.6 Indecent Shows or Exhibitions – No person shall take part in any entertainment, play, opera, lecture, museum, circus, menagerie or exhibition of animals, panorama, exhibit of a painting, sculpture, wax works, or other representations, tricks of legerdemain, gymnastics, game, ball, musical party, concert or any other exhibition, entertainment, show or amusement of whatever name or nature, at any place in the Town, whether as an actor, performer, director, manager, exhibitor, lecturer, or employee, in which entertainment any person shall use indecent language, or conduct himself in any indecent manner, or sing any songs or render any music of an indecent character, or take part in any song, act, farce, or play wherein any person

shall make any indecent motion, sign or movement, or make any indecent gestures, or exhibit himself in a manner offensive to common decency, or wherein anything whatsoever shall appear or be in anywise presented or exhibited which in any manner is offensive to common decency.

8.1.7 Prostitution and Related Offenses

(a) Prostitution – No person shall submit or offer to submit to sexual intercourse with any other person for hire or reward or follow the practice of prostitution or lewdness.

(b) Keeping Immoral House; Persons Under Age Sixteen --

No person shall, within the City, keep, maintain, superintend or manage a bawdy house, house of ill fame, house of prostitution or assignation, or harbor, secrete or permit any child under the age of sixteen years to remain in, visit or frequent such bawdy house, house of ill fame or house of ill repute, prostitution or assignation.

(c) Frequenting Immoral House – No person shall knowingly resort to or frequent a house of ill fame, bawdy house or house of ill repute, prostitution or assignation or be found an inmate of such house.

(d) Use of Premises for Prostitution – No person shall knowingly permit any house, apartment, motel, hotel or other house, room or tenement in his possession or under his charge and control to be used for the purposes of prostitution or as a house of bad repute.

(e) Enticing For Prostitution – No person shall invite, entice, or persuade any person, or address any person for the purpose of inviting, enticing or

persuading such person, to submit to sexual intercourse with him or her for hire or reward or to follow the practices of prostitution or lewdness.

(f) Inhabiting or Keeping Immoral House – No person shall inhabit or eat or sleep in any house of prostitution, bawdy house, house of bad repute or house of assignation, or be in any way connected with the keeping, management or control of any such house.

(g) Enticing to Place of Prostitution – No prostitute or other person or any inmate of any bawdy house, house of prostitution or house of assignation, shall invite, entice or persuade any person, or address any person for the purpose of inviting, enticing or persuading such person, in or upon any street, open space, public square or enclosure in the Town, to accompany, go with or follow him or her to any house or building, enclosure or other place for the purpose of prostitution. It shall be unlawful for any prostitute or person of lewd character to invite, entice or persuade any person, or address any person for the purposes of inviting, enticing, or persuading such person, from any door, window, porch or portico of any house or building, to enter any house or go with, accompany or follow him or her to any place whatever for the purpose of prostitution.

(h) Use of Vehicle in Aid of Illicit Sexual Intercourse – Any owner, chauffeur or driver of any taxicab, bus, automobile, truck, van or other vehicle who shall knowingly use it or permit it to be used as a means or aid for promoting prostitution or illicit sexual intercourse shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

8.1.8 Peeping Toms – It shall be unlawful for any person to peer or look inspectingly into any building for a lustful, lewd, wanton or lascivious purpose, or to annoy or molest the occupant thereof.

8.1.9 Suspicious Persons – It shall be unlawful for any suspicious person to be found strolling, loitering or lingering within the Town.

For the purpose of this section, a "suspicious person" shall be deemed to be a person who, not being licensed or privileged by State and Federal law to possess it, is found with opium, opium pipe, cocaine, heroin, cannabis indica, cannabis sativa, marijuana or other controlled substance in his possession; and any person in whose possession shall be found concealed any device, tool, instrument or thing for use in the commission of burglary, larceny or other crime, or for picking locks or pockets, or for use in obtaining money or other property of value by swindle, trick or false pretence; and any person who is known to obtain his living by criminal means and practices or who is known to be a companion and associate of criminals or other dissolute persons.

8.1.10 Vagrancy – It shall be unlawful for any person to be found loitering about any street, park or public or private place without any visible means of support, and, being able to work for the support of himself at honest industry, intentionally to live idly and without endeavoring in good faith to obtain lawful work or employment.