

ORDINANCE NO. 28 -71

By: John H. Mason

To prohibit loitering within the city.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to loiter, loaf, wander, stand or remain idle either alone and/or in consort with others in a public place in such manner so as to:

- (a) Obstruct any public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building by hindering or impeding or tend to hinder or impede the free and uninterrupted passage of vehicles, traffic or pedestrians.
- (b) Commit in or upon any public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building any act or thing which is an obstruction or interference to the free and uninterrupted use of property or with any business lawfully conducted by anyone in or upon or facing or fronting on any such public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building, all of which prevents the free and uninterrupted ingress, egress, and regress, therein, thereon and thereto.

Section 2. When any person causes or commits any of the conditions enumerated in ~~Section 1~~ Section 1 herein, a police officer or any law enforcement officer shall order that person to stop causing or committing such conditions and to move on or disperse. Any person who fails or refuses to obey such orders shall be guilty of a violation of the Section.

Section 3. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine not exceeding Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars or imprisonment not exceeding ten (10) days, or both, and shall pay the costs of prosecution. Any such violation shall constitute a separate offense on each successive day continued.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: Oct 12, 1971

J. Ruth Leable
President of Council

Attest:

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Clerk of Council

Approved: 10/12, 19 71

K. D. McClure
MAYOR

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