

**CODE OF ORDINANCES
CITY OF CORUNNA, MICHIGAN
Chapter 50 OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

ARTICLE II. OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY

Sec. 50-36. Possession of instruments, things used for burglary, larceny, picking locks.

It shall be unlawful for any person in the city to be found with any instrument or thing used for the commission of burglary, larceny or for picking locks or pockets, or anything used for obtaining money under false pretenses, and unable to give a good accounting for possession of such items.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(29))

Sec. 50-37. Trespass.

(a) Posted properties. Any person who shall enter and or remain upon the lands or premises of another without lawful authority, after having been warned of the owner's regulations governing access to and use of the property through the conspicuous posting of informational signs is trespassing.

(b) Nonposted properties. Any person who shall willfully enter upon the lands or premises of another without lawful authority after having been forbidden to do so by the owner, occupant, agent or servant of the owner or occupant or a duly authorized police officer, or any person being upon the land or premises of another, upon being notified either verbally or in writing to depart therefrom by the owner, occupant, agent or servant of the owner or occupant or a duly authorized police officer, who without lawful authority neglects or refuses to depart therefrom is trespassing.

(c) Trespass on premises. No person shall enter willfully upon the lands or premises of another without lawful authority, after having been forbidden so to do by the owner or occupant, agent or servant of the owner or occupant, or any person being upon the land or premises of another, upon being notified to depart therefrom by the owner or occupant, the agent or servant of either, without lawful authority, neglects or refuses to depart therefrom.

(d) Penalties. Anyone violating this section or any subsections, paragraphs, clauses and parts hereof, is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$300.00, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not more than 90 days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court of competent jurisdiction.

(Ord. No. 96-07, § 1B, 2, 7-15-96)

Sec. 50-38. Destruction of property.

It shall be unlawful for any person in the city to maliciously destroy, deface or injure any public property or any private property not his own.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(16))

Sec. 50-39. Defacing walls, buildings, fences, other structures.

It shall be unlawful for any person in the city to print, cut, mark, paint or design on or upon any wall, building, hall, fence, walk or other structure of any kind or on any public place any indecent, vile or obscene language, words, pictures or representations.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(15))

Sec. 50-40. Loitering.

(a) The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this section, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Loitering means remaining idle in essentially one location and shall include the concept of spending time idly; to be dilatory; to linger; to stay; to saunter; to delay; to stand around and also includes the colloquial expression "hanging around."

Public place means any place to which the general public has access and a right of resort for business, entertainment or for lawful purpose, but does not necessarily mean a place devoted solely to the uses of the public. It shall also include the front or immediate area of any store, shop, restaurant, tavern or other place of business and also public grounds, parking lots, area or parks.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person within the city to loiter, loaf, wander, stand or remain idle either alone or in consort with others in a public place in such a manner so as to:

(1) Obstruct any public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building by hindering or impeding or tending to hinder or impede the free and uninterrupted passage of vehicles, traffic or pedestrians after having been told to move on by a police officer.

(2) 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 after having been told to move on by a police officer.

(3) Obstruct the entrance to any business establishment, without so doing for some lawful purpose, if contrary to the expressed wish of the owner, lessee, managing agent or person in control or charge of the building or premises.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(8), (9))

Sec. 50-41. Malicious acts.

No person of any age shall intentionally and/or willfully and/or maliciously do any act which shall damage or destroy any property of another or any publicly owned property in the city, or take part in any disturbance or commotion wherein acts are done by any participant therein intentionally and/or willfully and/or maliciously which shall cause damage to any property of another, or which is publicly owned in the city.

(Code 1979, § 9.191)

Sec. 50-42. Damage or nonreturn of library materials.

(a) Whoever willfully or negligently damages, detains or fails to return to the public library a book, magazine, pamphlet, map, manuscript, picture, microfilm, photograph, record, clipping or other property belonging to such library, or who shall fail to pay the reasonable value thereof, within 30 days from the date of notice addressed to such person at the last known address given by such person to the public library and which notice may be given at any time after the date on which the person under the rules of the public library should have returned the loaned property or material, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this section.

(b) Any person convicted of a violation of this section shall be fined as prescribed in section 1-14 of this Code.

(Code 1979, § 9.105)

Sec. 50-43. Simple or petty larceny.

Any person who shall commit the offense of larceny by stealing of the property of another, any money, goods or chattels, or any bank note, bank bill, bond, promissory note, due bill, bill of exchange or other bill, draft, order or certificate of any book of account for or concerning any money, or goods due or to become due or to be delivered, or any deed or writing containing a conveyance of land or any other valuable contract in force, or any receipt, release or conveyance or any written process of public record of a value of \$50.00 or less shall be guilty of a violation of this Code punishable as prescribed in section 1-14 of this Code.

(Code 1979, § 9.103)

Sec. 50-44. Buying, receiving, concealing stolen property.

Any person who shall buy, receive or aid in the concealment of any stolen, embezzled or converted money, goods or property knowing them to have been stolen, embezzled or converted which property is of the value of \$50.00 or less shall be guilty of a violation of this Code punishable as provided in section 1-14.

(Code 1979, § 9.111)

Sec. 50-45. Burning refuse near streets.

It shall be unlawful for any person in the city to cause, permit or allow the burning of any refuse, garbage, rubbish, ashes, paper, cardboard, tin cans, yard clippings, leaves, wood, grass, bedding or litter of any kind on or within three feet of any paved and/or hard surfaced street, alley or boulevard within the city.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(37))

Sec. 50-46. Littering streets, sidewalks.

It shall be unlawful for any person in the city to throw or drop any paper, tin can, cardboard or similar containers and material upon the sidewalks or the streets of the city.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(35))

Sec. 50-47. Unauthorized parking on private property.

It shall be unlawful for any person in the city to park or leave standing any motor vehicle, trailer or similar apparatus or equipment upon private property without the consent and permission of the owner of the property or his authorized agent.

(Code 1979, § 9.102(34))

Secs. 50-48--50-75. Reserved.