

ORDINANCE NO. 3

AN ORDINANCE imposing a curfew on minors under the age of sixteen years, providing penalty on parents for violation and effective date.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BETHEL,

ALASKA:

No person under sixteen years of age shall be upon the public streets, alleys, parks, public buildings, places of amusement and entertainment, vacant lots, or other unsupervised places, between the hours of nine o'clock p.m. during school term, and ten o'clock p.m. otherwise, and five o'clock a.m. of any day, unless such person shall be accompanied by and in the charge of its parent or other competent and adult person, or upon an emergency errand or legitimate business directed by his or her parent, guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor.

No parent, guardian or other person having the custody and control of children under the age of sixteen years shall allow such child to go or be upon any public street, or other places as listed in this section, between the hours of nine o'clock p.m., during the school term, and ten o'clock p.m. otherwise, and five o'clock a.m. of any day, unless such child shall be accompanied by its parent or other competent and adult person, or is upon an emergency errand or legitimate business directed by his or her parent, guardian, or other adult person having the care and custody of the minor. In any prosecution for the violation of any provision of this section, the presence of any person under sixteen years of age, unattended as herein required, upon any of the public streets, or other places as listed in this section shall be deemed prima facie evidence of the guilt of such parent and the violation of the provisions hereof.

Any parent who shall allow, suffer or permit his, her or their child to violate the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction thereof be fined in any sum, not to exceed TEN (10) DOLLARS for the first offense and not to exceed ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS for a second or subsequent offense.

Passed and Approved by the Council of the Village of Bethel, Alaska, this 24 day of September, 1958.

ATTEST:

Ma L...  
Clerk

Re G. ...  
President