

ORDINANCE NO. 26

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE PEDDLING OF GOODS, WARES, MERCHANDISE, BOOKS, MAGAZINES, AND PERIODICALS, AND SOLICITING OF SUBSCRIPTIONS TO MAGAZINES AND PERIODICALS, OR OTHER COMMODITIES BY NONRESIDENTS OF BUFFALO TOWNSHIP, BUTLER COUNTY, PA., IN AND UPON ANY OF THE PUBLIC STREETS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BUFFALO, OR BY GOING FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING SUCH SALE, OR OBTAINING SUCH SUBSCRIPTIONS, OR BY GOING FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE SOLICITING ORDERS FOR GOODS, WARES, MERCHANDISE, BOOKS, MAGAZINES, AND PERIODICALS OR ANY OTHER COMMODITY WITHOUT FIRST PROCURING A LICENSE FOR THAT PURPOSE; PROVIDING THE METHOD FOR PROCURING A LICENSE; FIXING SAID LICENSE FEES, AND PROVIDING FINES AND PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATING OF THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF BUFFALO TOWNSHIP, BUTLER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, and it is hereby ordained and enacted with and by the authority of the same:

SECTION 1: That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation not a resident or having a permanent place of business in Buffalo Township, to peddle, sell, or offer for sale any goods, wares, merchandise, books, periodicals, magazines, or other commodity or services, or to solicit subscriptions to books, magazines or periodicals, in, upon, or along any of the public streets, alleys, or public places of the Township of Buffalo, or by going from house to house for the purpose of such peddling,

agreements to purchase any goods, wares, merchandise, books, magazines, and periodicals, or other commodity or services, or to solicit subscriptions to books, magazines or periodicals, in, upon, or along any of the public streets, alleys, or public places of the Township of Buffalo or by traveling from house to house for such purposes, without having first procured a license to do so.

SECTION 2: It shall be the duty of any person, firm, or corporation not residing in Buffalo Township desiring to do any of the things set out in Section 1 above, within the limits of the Township of Buffalo, to make application to the Township Secretary for a license so to do, and it shall be the duty of the said Secretary of the Township to investigate the said application, the character of the person desiring the license, the character of the goods to be sold, and the contracts to be entered into in relation to the same, and if, after such investigation, the Secretary is convinced that the transactions desired to be carried on are fair, honest and in the public interest, a license shall be granted on payment of the fees hereinafter set out. If the Secretary be of the opinion that the transactions sought to be carried out by the license are not honest, fair and in the public interests, he shall refuse the license, and the petitioner may, if he so desires, appeal from the decision of the Secretary to the Board of Supervisors within ten days, who, after due investigation and consideration, may authorize the issuing of the license if they see proper so to do on payment of the license fees

SECTION 3: The fees for such licenses shall be as follows: For each person soliciting orders for the sale of goods, wares, merchandise, books, magazines and periodicals, or other commodities by going from house to house, or upon any of the streets, alleys or public places of the Township of Buffalo shall be Three (\$3.00) Dollars per day, Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars per week, Forty (\$40.00) Dollars per month, or Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars per year.

For each person selling or offering for sale goods, wares, merchandise, books or other commodities by going from house to house and traveling on foot, same as above.

For each vehicular peddler, as above, Three (\$3.00) Dollars per day for the driver of each vehicle, and Three (\$3.00) Dollars per day for each person selling or assisting in the sale of goods, wares, merchandise, books or other commodities from such vehicle Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars per week and Seventy-five (\$75.00) Dollars per month.

Provided, however, that this ordinance shall not apply to persons selling or offering for sale milk, farm products, or foods.

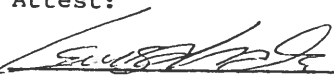
SECTION 4: Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a penalty of not less than Twenty-five Dollars or more than Fifty Dollars for each offense, with costs of suit, same to be for the use of the Township of Buffalo and to be collected as similar fines are now by law collectible.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED at a meeting of the Board of
Supervisors of Buffalo Township held this 8th day
of May, 1972.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
BUFFALO TOWNSHIP,

By _____
President

Attest:


Secretary

AMENDMENT #1
TO ORDINANCE #26

AMENDMENT #1 TO ORDINANCE NO. 26, DEFINING
THE NATURE OF SOLICITATION. THE AMENDMENT TO THE
ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR HOURS OF SOLICITATION AND
INCREASING THE FINE.

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of
Buffalo Township, County of Butler, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby
enacted and ordained by the authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1 of Ordinance No. 26 is amended to read as follows:

That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation
not a resident or having a permanent place of business in Buffalo Township,
to peddle, sell, solicit for contribution for profit, non profit,
charitable organizations or individuals or offer for sale any goods, wares,
merchandise, books, periodicals, magazines, or other commodity or services,
or to solicit subscriptions to books, magazines or periodicals, in, upon,
or along any of the public streets, alleys, or public places of the Township
of Buffalo, or by going from house to house for the purpose of such peddling,
selling, soliciting for contributions for non profit or profit, or charity
organizations or individuals; or offer to sell, or to solicit orders for
or agreements to purchase any goods, wares, merchandise, books magazines,
and periodicals, or other commodity or services, or to solicit subscriptions
to books, magazines or periodicals, in, upon, or along any of the public
streets, alleys, or public places of the Township of Buffalo or by traveling
from house to house for such purposes, without having first procured a
license to do so.

SECTION 3 of Ordinance No. 26 is amended to read as follows:

The fees for such licenses shall be as follows: For each person
soliciting for contributions for non profit or profit, or charity organizations
or individuals or soliciting orders for the sale of goods, wares, merchandise,
books, magazines and periodicals, or other commodities by going from house
to house, or upon any of the streets, alleys or public places of the Township
of Buffalo shall be Three (\$3.00) Dollars per day, Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars
per week, Forty (\$40.00) Dollars per month, or Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars
per year.

For each person selling or offering for sale goods, wares, merchandise, books or other commodities or soliciting for contributions for non profit or profit, or charity organizations or individuals by going from house to house and traveling on foot, same as above.

For each vehicular peddler, as above, Three (\$3.00) Dollars per day for the driver of each vehicle, and Three (\$3.00) Dollars per day for each person selling or assisting in the sale of goods, wares, merchandise, books or other commodities from such vehicle Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars per week and Seventy-five (\$75.00) Dollars per month.

Provided, however, that this ordinance shall not apply to persons selling or offering for sale milk, farm products, or foods.

Provided no solicitation of any sort and in any manner shall be made prior to 9 a.m. daily and one hour before sunset. Providing, no peddling or solicitation shall be made on Sunday.

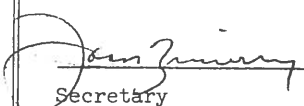
SECTION 4 of Ordinance No. 26 is amended to read as follows:

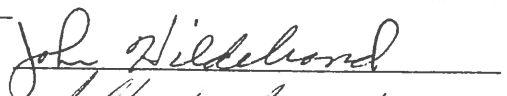
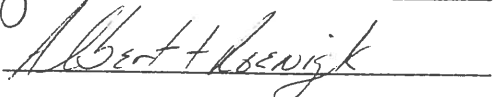
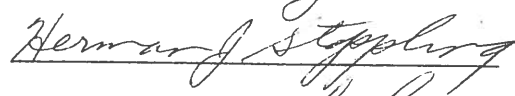
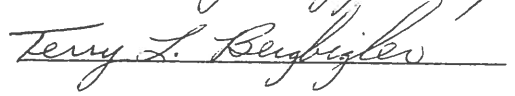
Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a penalty of not less than Three hundred dollars (\$300.00), with costs of suit, same to be for the use of the Township of Buffalo and to be collected as similar fines are now by law collectible.

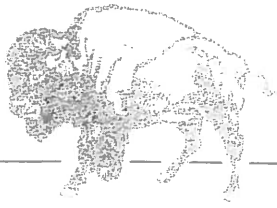
ORDAINED AND ENACTED at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Buffalo Township held this 11th day of Feb, 1987.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF BUFFALO TOWNSHIP

BY:


Secretary



Buffalo Township Supervisors

Butler County, Pa.

109 Bear Creek Road • Sarver, PA 16055

TOWNSHIP OF BUFFALO BUTLER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO BUFFALO TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NO. 26 DEFINING THE NATURE OF SOLICITATION

**THIS AMENDMENT TO THE ORDINANCE EXPANDS SOLICITATION TO
INCLUDE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS.**

BEING enacted and ordained by the Board of Supervisors of Buffalo Township, County of Butler, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted with and by the authority of the same:

Section 1 of Ordinance No. 26 is amended to eliminate the words "not a resident or having a permanent place of business in Buffalo Township", so that Section 1 of Ordinance No. 26 now reads as follows:

That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to pedal, sell, solicit for contribution for profit or non-profit, charitable organizations, or individuals or offer for sale any goods, wares, merchandise, books, periodicals, magazines, or other commodity or services, or to solicit subscriptions to books, magazines, or periodicals, in, upon, or along any of the public streets, alleys, or public places of the Township of Buffalo, or by going from house-to-house for the purpose of such pedaling, selling, soliciting for contributions for non-profit or profit, or charitable organizations or individuals; or offer to sell, or to solicit orders for or agreements to purchase any goods, wares, merchandise, books, magazines, and periodicals, or other commodity or services, or to solicit subscriptions to books, magazines, or periodicals, in, upon, or along any of the public streets, alleys, or public places of the Township of Buffalo, or by traveling from

house-to-house for such purposes, without having first procured a license to do so.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Buffalo Township, held this 26th day of January, 2000

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OF BUFFALO TOWNSHIP**

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Linda Stover, Vice-Chairman

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Secretary/Treasurer