

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HUDSON,  
INDIANA, ESTABLISHING CURFEWS AND CURFEW TIMES.**

WHEREAS, the current State Curfew Statute has been determined to be in violation of juvenile rights.

WHEREAS, the Town Council deems it necessary to establish Curfew Times.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL TOWN OF HUDSON,  
STEUBEN COUNTY, INDIANA, as follows:

**SECTION I.**

(a) Curfews - Local option. - It is a curfew violation for a child fifteen (15), sixteen (16), or seventeen (17) years of age to be in a public place:

- (1) Between 12 P. M. and 5 A.M. on Saturday or Sunday;
- (2) After 10 P.M. on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday;
- (3) Before 5 A. M. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday.

(b) It is a curfew violation for a child under fifteen (15) years of age to be in a public place after 10 P.M. on any day.

(c) This section does not apply to a child who is:

- (1) Accompanied by his parent, guardian or custodian; or
- (2) Accompanied by an adult specified in writing by his parent, guardian, or custodian; or
- (3) On an emergency errand for a parent, guardian, or custodian as specified in writing for the specific errand; or

(4) Participating in, going to, or returning from:

- (A) Lawful employment;
- (B) A school sanctioned activity
- (C) A religious event; or
- (D) Any other organized community or politically sponsored event.

**SECTION II.**

(a) Penalties. The child, custodial parent, or legal guardian of any child who commits a curfew violation, as defined herein, violates this article and shall be subject to the following fines:

- (1) Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for a first offense;
- (2) One hundred dollars (\$100.00) for a second offense within a one-year period, plus court costs; or
- (3) Two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for a third offense and every subsequent offense within a one-

year period, plus court costs.

(b) First offense fine payable through Ordinance Violation Bureau. Any first offenders found in violation of this article shall be fined the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as set forth in section II- (a). Such violations shall be considered an ordinance violation and the fine shall be payable through the Town's Ordinance Violation Bureau.

(c) Monies deposited in special fund. Fifty (50) percent of all monies collected and retained by the Town for violation of this article shall be deposited in the Juvenile Positive Assistance Fund and shall be used solely for the purposes designated therein.

**SECTION III.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2000.

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Chad Minier, President, Town Council

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Brian Hayes, Member

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Gene Hamm, Member

ATTEST:

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Atta Hayes, Clerk-Treasurer

Ordinance No. 00-\_\_\_\_

**AN AMENDMENT TO THE ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN  
OF HUDSON, INDIANA, ESTABLISHING CURFEWS AND CURFEW TIMES.**

WHEREAS, the Town Council adopted a local ordinance establishing a juvenile curfew.

WHEREAS, the times in that ordinance may be open to an interpretation outside the intent of the ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL, TOWN OF HUDSON,  
STEUBEN COUNTY, INDIANA, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** In Ordinance Number 00-02, Curfews and Curfew Times, the reference in Section 1 (a) to 12 P.M. is  
changed to midnight.

**SECTION II.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided  
by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2000.

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Chad Minier, President, Town Council

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