

ADVERTISING

ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

Sec. 3-1. Posting bills, etc.

It shall be unlawful for any person to post any bills or other advertising matter upon any permanent or temporary structure or building, pole or tree located in any street, or other public way or place within the corporate limits of the city.

Sec. 3-2. Destroying lawful posters.

It shall be unlawful for any person wrongfully and maliciously to tear down, deface or cover up any posted advertisement or bill of any person when the same is rightfully posted and put up and during the time such sign or advertisement shall be of value.

Sec. 3-3. Sound trucks and sound amplifying devices.

It shall be unlawful for any person to operate or permit to be operated in the city any sound amplifying devices or equipment for any purpose whatever, whether the same be stationary or operated from a vehicle or other carriage unless a permit has been obtained from the city to do so; provided however, that it shall be unlawful for any person to make any loud and raucous noise to the disturbance of the peace. Any person to whom a permit has been issued under this section who abuses his discretion and causes or permits loud and raucous noises shall subject the permit to immediate revocation. The term "sound amplifying equipment" as used in this section shall mean any machine or device for the amplification of any sound.

ARTICLE II. DISTRIBUTION OF HANDBILLS

Sec. 3-16. Definitions.

For the purpose of this article, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them:

Handbill: Any printed or written matter, any sample or device, dodger, circular, leaflet, pamphlet, paper, booklet or any other printed or otherwise reproduced original or copies of any matter of literature.

Newspaper: Any newspaper of general circulation as defined by general law, any newspaper duly entered with the post office department of the United States, in accordance with federal statute or regulation, and any newspaper filed and recorded with any recording officer as provided by general law; and in addition thereto, shall mean and include any periodical or current magazine regularly published with not less than four (4) issues per year, and sold to the public, and shall mean and include any other copyrighted material.

Vehicle: Every device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a highway, including devices used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks.