

ORDINANCE NO. 1653

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE VI OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, 1960 EDITION, BY REPEALING CHAPTER 1, SECTION 39, THEREOF PERTAINING TO VAGRANCY; PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS
DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Title VI, Chapter 1, Section 39 of the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1960 Edition, is hereby repealed.

(6-1-39: VAGRANCY:

(A) Every person is a vagrant who:

1. Solicits anyone to engage in or who engages in lewd or dissolute conduct in any public place or in any place open to the public or exposed to public view;
2. Solicits any act of prostitution;
3. Is a pimp, panderer or procurer or lives in or about houses of prostitution;
4. Accosts other persons in any public place or in any place open to the public for the purpose of begging or soliciting alms;
5. Goes from house to house begging food, money or other articles, or seeks admission to such houses upon frivolous pretexts for no other apparent motive than to see who may be therein, or to gain an insight of the premises;
6. Keeps a place where lost or stolen property is concealed;
7. Loiters in or about any toilet open to the public for the purpose of engaging in or soliciting any lewd or lascivious or any unlawful act;
8. Loiters or wanders upon the streets or from place to place without apparent reason or business and who refuses to identify himself and to account for his presence when requested by any peace officer so to do, if the surrounding circumstances are such as to indicate to a reasonable man that the public safety demands such identification;
9. Is found in any public place under the influence of intoxicating liquor, or any drug, or the combined influence of intoxicating liquor and any drug, in such a condition

that he is unable to exercise care for his own safety or the safety of others, or by reason of his being under the influence of intoxicating liquor, or any drug, or the combined influence of intoxicating liquor and any drug, interferes with or obstructs or prevents the free use of any street, sidewalk or other public way.

10. Loiters, prowls or wanders upon the private property of another in the nighttime, without visible or lawful business with the owner or occupant thereof, or who, while loitering, prowling or wandering upon the private property of another, in the nighttime, peeks in the door or window of any inhabited building or structure located thereon, without visible or lawful business with the owner or occupant thereof;

11. Lodges in any building, structure or place, whether public or private, without the permission of the owner or person entitled to the possession or in control thereof;

12. Loiters about any school or public place at or near which children attend or normally congregate and who refuses to identify himself and to account for his presence when requested to by any peace officer to do so, if the surrounding circumstances are such as to indicate to a reasonable man that the safety of such school children demands such identification.

(B) Every vagrant is guilty of a misdemeanor.)

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances, sections, subsections, phrases, sentences, clauses or paragraphs contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1960 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 19th day of
September, 1973.

APPROVED:


ORAN K. GRAGSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:


EDWINA M. COLE, City Clerk

The above and foregoing Ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the Board of Commissioners on the 5th day of September, 1973, and referred to the following committee composed of Commissioners Franklin and Morelli for recommendation; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the 19th day of September, 1973, which was a regular meeting of said Board; that at said regular meeting, the proposed Ordinance was read by title to the Board of Commissioners as first introduced and adopted by the following vote:

VOTING "AYE": Commissioners Christensen, Lurie, Franklin and Mayor Gragson
VOTING "NAY": None Absent: Commissioner Morelli (excused)

ATTEST:


EDWINA M. COLE, City Clerk

APPROVED:


ORAN K. GRAGSON, MAYOR

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF NEVADA, }
COUNTY OF CLARK } ss.

ROBERT E. HUNTER, being first duly sworn,

deposes and says: That he is COMPOSING ROOM FOREMAN of the LAS VEGAS SUN, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published at Las Vegas, in the County of Clark, State of Nevada, and that the attached was continuously published in said newspaper for a period of 1 day

from Sept. 22 1973 to

inclusive, being the issues of said newspaper for the following dates, to-wit:
Sept. 22, 1973

That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on each of the dates above named.

Signed *Robert E. Hunter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24
day of Sept, 1973



Notary Public by and for Clark County, Nevada
RUTH V. DESKIN

My Commission Expires

Notary Public—State of Nevada
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My Commission Expires April 14, 1977

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September 8, 1973

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Signed Robert E. Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th
day of September, 1973

My Commission Expires



Robert E. Hunter
Notary Public in and for Clark County, Nevada
Notary Public—State of Nevada
COUNTY OF CLARK
My Commission Expires April 14, 1977

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