

ORDINANCE NO. 224

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

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Section 1. Whenever any proprietor, lessee or manager of any traveling show, traveling skating rink, circus, hippodrome, menagerie or carnival intending to exhibit in the open air or under a tent or in any public hall, club room, assembly hall or theatre, any performance or exhibition within the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, shall apply to the City Clerk for a license to operate the same; the said application shall be referred to the Board of Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, which Board shall in turn refer the said application to some suitable person who shall investigate the character of the applicant and the character of business which the applicant intends to operate; or the said Board, in lieu thereof, shall personally investigate the said applicant or applicants and the character of the business which the applicant intends to operate, whichever in the judgment of the Board may be more feasible. If the facts reveal to the Board, the findings of which shall be conclusive, after such investigation, that the character of the applicant or the business sought to be conducted is of such nature and character as to be a menace to the public peace, or public health, or public safety or public morals of the City of Las Vegas, then and in such event the said application shall be rejected and the license denied. Otherwise the City Clerk shall be directed to issue such license upon the payment of the ~~required~~ fee required by law.

Section 2. It is deemed by the Board that the immediate operation of the provisions of this ordinance is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, public morals, public health and public safety of the City of Las Vegas. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall be and become immediately in force and effect from and after its passage and approval and publication as provided by law.

Vote on the passage of this ordinance was Commissioners Down, Krause, Marble and Perry and His Honor the Mayor voting aye.

Noes, none.  
Absent None.

INTRODUCED and passed on this 6th day of May, 1937, and was thereafter published in the Las Vegas Evening Review Journal, a daily newspaper published in the City of Las Vegas for two consecutive weeks.

Attest:

*V. B. Burns*  
City Clerk.

*W. H. Perry*  
Mayor of the City of  
Las Vegas, Nevada.

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 City Clerk.  
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**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

STATE OF NEVADA, }  
 COUNTY OF CLARK } ss.

**Dick Lochrie**

, being first duly sworn,

deposes and says: That he is foreman of the **LAS VEGAS EVENING REVIEW-JOURNAL**, 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 **Two weeks**

from **May 6th 1937** to **May 13th 1937**

inclusive, being the issues of said newspaper for the following dates, to-wit:

**May 6th-13th**

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

Signed Dick Lochrie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
 day of

**June 1937** <sup>3rd</sup>

[Signature]

Notary Public in and for Clark County, Nevada

My Commission Expires  
**Jan 12 1939**