

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-02

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 50, "OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS", ARTICLE VI. MINORS, BY AMENDING SECTION 50-202, (d).

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, A HOME RULE UNIT OF GOVERNMENT AS FOLLOWS:

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Stickney (the "Village") is a home rule municipality in accordance with the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970; and

**WHEREAS**, The Village of Stickney wants to establish better regulations to amend the community curfew time to enable families and children to "trick or treat" during the holiday known as "Halloween".

**WHEREAS**, the President and the Board of Trustees find it is in the best interests of the citizens of the Village of Stickney to amend Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, as follows:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEE OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

**Section 1. Recitals.** The facts and statements contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted as part of this Ordinance.

**Section 2. Adoption.** Chapter 50, Article VI, Minors, Section 50-202, (d) of the Municipal Code of the Village of Stickney shall be amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 50-202 Minors.**

(d) Curfew for Halloween: Notwithstanding the provisions as contained in subsection (b) above, the curfew for any child on the holiday commonly known as "Halloween", when children are engaging in what is commonly known as "trick or treating" and/or wearing any type of costume, disguise or concealing themselves in any manner in any type of masquerade, the hours for such children shall be limited during the hours of ~~1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.~~, **3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** central standard time.

**Section 3. Home Rule.** This ordinance is enacted under the Home Rule powers of the Village as set forth in the Constitution and laws of the State of Illinois.

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval and publication in the manner provided by law.

**Section 5. Conflicts.** This Ordinance supersedes all ordinances or parts of ordinances directly conflicting with the terms and provisions contained herein, but only to the extent of such conflict.

**Section 6. Severability.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

**Section 7. Certification and Publication.** The Village Clerk of the Village of Stickney shall certify to the adoption of this Ordinance and cause the same to be published in pamphlet form.

**PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Stickney, Illinois this 7th day of February, 2012**

AYES: Trustees Mares, Morelli, Schimel, Walik, White and Zeedyk

NAYS: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED by me this 8th day of February, 2012

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President Daniel A. O'Reilly of the Village  
of Stickney, Cook County, Illinois

ATTESTED, Filed in my office,  
and published in pamphlet form  
this 8th day of February, 2012

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Audrey McAdams  
Clerk of the Village of Stickney, Cook County, Illinois