

ORDINANCE NO. 878

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 166 AND THE SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS THERETO AND ESTABLISHING CERTAIN CURFEW RULES AND REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of Eureka Springs, Arkansas, first passed a curfew ordinance on May 10, 1895, said ordinance being Ordinance No. 166, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of Eureka Springs, Arkansas, has amended said Ordinance No. 166 several times during subsequent years thereafter, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of Eureka Springs, Arkansas, deems it in the public interest to repeal Ordinance No. 166 and the amendments thereto and enact a new curfew ordinance.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Commission of the City of Eureka Springs, Arkansas;

SECTION I. That it shall be unlawful for any boy or girl under the age of 18 years to be found on the city streets, alleys, reservations, parks or other public places within the city limits of Eureka Springs, Arkansas, either as a pedestrian or as the occupant of any automobile or other vehicle, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian, after the hour of ten (10:00) p.m. on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of each and every week, and after twelve (12:00) p.m. (midnight) on Friday and Saturday night of each and every week.

SECTION II. That the only exception to the curfew hours as specified in SECTION I of this Ordinance shall be in the case of an official school or church function which may extend past the curfew hours as above specified, provided, however, that said minors shall have only 30 minutes in which to reach their home or place of residence after the conclusion of said official school or church function, without being in violation of this ordinance.

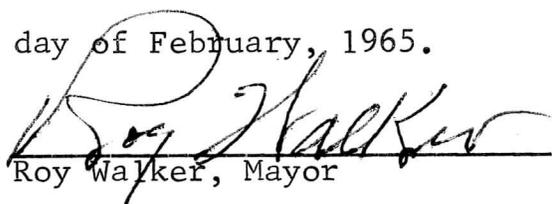
SECTION III. That any person found guilty of violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction in the Mayors Court of said City, be fined a sum of not less than \$5.00 and not

more than \$25.00 for each offense of this Ordinance; that parents and/or guardians of any person found guilty of violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be held responsible for the payment of fines.

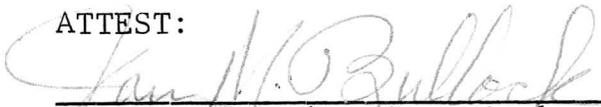
SECTION IV. That all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION V. That this Ordinance is necessary to preserve the public peace, health and safety, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its approval, passage and publication.

Passed and approved this 25th day of February, 1965.

  
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Roy Walker, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Jan M. Bullock, City Clerk

