

Missouri Revised Statutes

Chapter 77 Third Class Cities Section 77.510

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May regulate lumber yards--running at large of animals and fowls--provide pounds and impose penalties.

77.510. The council may prescribe limits within the city within which no lumber yard or wood yard or coal yard shall be kept, and may regulate, restrain and prohibit the erection or maintenance of any fence, composed in whole or in part of barbed wire, along or adjacent to any public street, avenue, alley, park, cemetery or other public place. The council may also regulate or prohibit the running at large of cattle, hogs, horses, mules, sheep, goats and other animals and domestic geese, ducks, chickens and turkeys, and cause such as may be running at large to be impounded and sold in such manner and time as may be provided by ordinance. The council may also provide penalties for the owners or keepers who shall permit such animals or geese, ducks, chickens or turkeys to run at large. The council may also provide for the erection of all needful pounds, pens and buildings for the use of the city within or without the city limits, and appoint and compensate keepers thereof, and establish and enforce rules governing the same. The council may also tax, restrain and prohibit the running at large of dogs, and provide for their destruction when at large contrary to ordinance, and impose penalties on the owners or keepers thereof.

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Prior revisions: 1929 i_c½ 6805; 1919 i_c½ 8292; 1909 i_c½ 9229

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Chapter 79 Fourth Class Cities Section 79.400

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Powers--regulation of lumberyards, fences, animals and poultry--may establish pounds.

79.400. 1. The board of aldermen may prescribe limits within the city within which no lumberyard or woodyard shall be kept, and may regulate, restrain or prohibit the erection or maintenance of any fence composed in whole or in part of barbed wire, along or adjacent to any public street, avenue, alley, park, lane, cemetery or other public grounds.

2. The board of aldermen may also regulate or prohibit the running at large of cattle, hogs, horses, mules, sheep, goats and all other domestic animals, also geese, ducks, chickens, turkeys and all other domestic fowls and cause such animals or fowls as may be running at large to be impounded and sold in such manner and at such time as may be prescribed by ordinance.

3. They may also provide penalties for the owners or keepers who shall permit such animals or fowls to be at large.

4. The board of aldermen may also provide for the erection of all needful pounds, pens and buildings for the use of the city, within or without the city limits, and appoint and compensate keepers thereof and establish and enforce rules governing the same.

5. The board of aldermen may also tax, regulate and restrain and prohibit the running at large of dogs, and provide for their destruction when at large contrary to ordinance, and impose penalties on the owners or keepers thereof.

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Chapter 80
Towns and Villages
Section 80.090

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Trustees--power to pass certain ordinances.

80.090. Such board of trustees shall have power:

- (1) To pass bylaws and ordinances to prevent and remove nuisances;
- (2) To prevent, restrain and suppress bawdy-houses, gambling houses and other disorderly houses within the limits of such town, or any addition to said town, or any commons thereto attached;
- (3) To restrain and prohibit gambling;
- (4) To license, tax and regulate merchants, peddlers and auctioneers, and to regulate and prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors under merchants' licenses in such towns; provided, that druggists and pharmacists may sell upon prescriptions, as is provided by law;
- (5) To provide for licensing and regulating and prohibiting dramshops and tippling houses, public shows, circuses, theatrical and other amusements, to the distance of one-half mile from the corporate limits of such town;
- (6) To prohibit the firing of firearms;
- (7) To prevent furious and unnecessary riding or driving of any horse or other animal within such town, or such part thereof as they may think proper;
- (8) To establish night watches and patrols;
- (9) To erect and maintain calaboooses, poorhouses and hospitals;
- (10) To prevent the introduction and spreading of contagious diseases;
- (11) To organize and maintain fire companies;
- (12) To prevent and extinguish fires;
- (13) To establish fire limits and to define the limits within which wooden buildings, stables, manufactories and other structures which may increase the danger of calamities from fires shall not be erected;
- (14) To establish and provide for wells, cisterns and pumps;
- (15) To regulate the construction of chimneys and flues thereof, and to appoint an inspector of chimneys and flues, and to define the duties and fix the compensation thereof;
- (16) To establish and regulate markets;

- (17) To erect and repair bridges and culverts;
- (18) To erect, repair and regulate wharves and the rate of wharfage;
- (19) To regulate the landing and stationing of steamboats, rafts and other watercraft;
- (20) To provide for the inspection of lumber, building material and for provisions to be used or offered for sale in such town, or to be exported therefrom;
- (21) To regulate the storage of gunpowder and other combustible materials;
- (22) To regulate the slaughtering of animals;
- (23) To license, tax, regulate and prohibit ball and tenpin alleys, billiards and pool tables, or other tables upon which games are played for pay or amusement;
- (24) To license, tax, regulate and prohibit all other games for pay or amusement; provided, that no permission shall be given to bet money, property or other thing upon any game, or to license any such game;
- (25) To license, tax and regulate wagons and teams, livery, sale and feed stables, and any vehicle or team kept or let for pay;
- (26) To license, tax and regulate hay, grain and stock scales;
- (27) To levy and collect taxes upon property and the licenses herein provided for;
- (28) To borrow money for the improvement of such town, or to supply the same with water or gas;
- (29) To open and form public squares, avenues, drains and sewers, and to keep the same cleaned and in order;
- (30) To locate and lay out new streets and alleys;
- (31) To establish the grade of streets and alleys;
- (32) To determine and fix the width of sidewalks, and the material of which the same may be built; and
- (33) To widen streets heretofore laid out in such town, and to appoint three commissioners to assess the damages done to property upon which such street or alley may be located, deducting from such damages the amount of benefit, if any, such street or alley, or the widening thereof, may be to the same; but all assessments so made by the commissioners shall be reported, as soon as may be, to the board of trustees, who may approve or reject the same; and all persons aggrieved by such assessment may, within fifteen days after receiving notice of such assessment,

appeal therefrom to the next circuit court of the county, by giving notice of such appeal to said board of trustees at least fifteen days before the first day of the term to which said appeal is taken; and the circuit court, on such appeal, shall be possessed of the case and proceed therewith to final judgment, according to law. In all cases of assessment or appeal, the land to be used for or occupied by the street or alley may be taken possession of for the purpose of establishing and improving such street or alley, as soon as the amount of damages so assessed shall be tendered to the owner;

(34) Also to open, clear, regulate, grade, pave or improve the streets and alleys of such town;

(35) To provide for lighting the streets and erecting lamps thereon;

(36) To regulate and prohibit the running at large of dogs, hogs, cattle and horses in the streets and alleys of such town, and to impose and collect tax on dogs not exceeding one dollar each;

(37) To impose and appropriate fines for forfeitures and penalties for breaking or violating their ordinances;

(38) To levy and collect taxes;

(39) To regulate the enclosure of any common field belonging to or within the limits of such town; and

(40) To pass such other bylaws and ordinances for the regulation and police of such town and commons thereto appertaining as they shall deem necessary, not repugnant to and contrary to the laws of the state.

(RSMo 1939 $\frac{1}{2}$ 7248)

Prior revisions: 1929 $\frac{1}{2}$ 7097; 1919 $\frac{1}{2}$ 8547; 1909 $\frac{1}{2}$ 9436

CROSS REFERENCES:

Auctioneers, not maintaining a business office in municipality, exempt from license, 71.620

Farmers, selling own produce, exempt from license, 150.030