

ORDINANCE NO. 00-20
#551

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO penalties for ordinance violations; to raise the maximum fine amount to \$500; to incorporate language on abatement of nuisances; to harmonize with state law; to repeal conflicting ordinances and sections; to provide an effective date.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. Section(s) 1-1001; 2-301; 3-1101; 4-401; 4-402; 5-501; 6-401; 6-402; 7-501; 7-502; 8-601; 9-701; 10-501 & 11-501 of the Municipal Code of Friend, Nebraska, (is/are) amended to read as follows:

VIOLATIONS; PENALTY.

(A) Any person, or any person's agent or servant, who violates any of the provisions of this (municipal code/chapter), unless otherwise specifically provided herein, shall be deemed guilty of an offense and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$500. A new violation shall be deemed to have been committed every 24 hours of failure to comply with the provisions of this (code/chapter).

(B) (1) Whenever a nuisance exists as defined in this (code/chapter), the municipality may proceed by a suit in equity to enjoin, abate, and remove the same in the manner provided by law.

(2) Whenever, in any action, it is established that a nuisance exists, the court may, together with the fine or penalty imposed, enter an order of abatement as a part of the judgment in the case.

Statutory reference:

Neb. RS 17-505, 18-1720, 18-1722

Section 2. Sections 1-1001; 2-301; 3-1101; 4-401; 4-402; 5-501; 6-401; 6-402; 7-501; 7-502; 8-601; 9-701; 10-501 & 11-501 and any other ordinance or section passed and approved prior to passage, approval, and publication or posting of this ordinance and in conflict with its provisions are repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval, and publication or posting as required by law.

Passed and approved this 6th day of June, 2000.



(SEAL)

Mayor

Ann L. Betka

Clerk