



Township of River Vale
County of Bergen
State of New Jersey

ORDINANCE #441-2024

Date of 1 st Reading: May 20, 2024	Motion to Adopt: Councilman Tolomeo
Date of Public Hearing: June 10, 2024	Motion Second: Councilman Donovan

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RIVER VALE, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY, REPEALING CHAPTER 170 OF THE CODE ENTITLED “PEACE AND GOOD ORDER” SECTION 170-6 “LOITERING”

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of River Vale that Chapter 170 of the Code entitled “Peace and Good Order” Section 170-6 “Loitering” is hereby repealed as follows:

~~Section 170-6 Loitering~~

~~A. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the terms used herein are defined as follows:~~

~~LOITER — To remain idle in essentially one location, and includes the concepts of spending time idly, loafing or walking about aimlessly.~~

~~PUBLIC PLACE — Any place or area open to the public and includes the quasi-public area in front of or adjacent to any store, shop, luncheonette, restaurant or other place of business, as well as any parking lot or other vacant private property not owned or under the dominion of the person charged with a violation of this section.~~

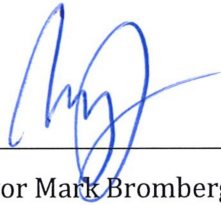
~~B. Types of loitering prohibited. No person shall loiter in a public place in such a manner as to:~~

- ~~(1) Obstruct the free passage of pedestrians or vehicles.~~
- ~~(2) Obstruct, molest or interfere with any person lawfully in a public place.~~
- ~~(3) Create or cause to be created a danger or a breach of the peace.~~
- ~~(4) Create or cause to be created any disturbance or annoyance to the comfort or repose of any person which causes or is likely to cause a breach of peace.~~
- ~~(5) Beg or receive alms for himself.~~

~~C. Discretion of police officer. Whenever any police officer shall, in the exercise of reasonable judgment, decide that the presence of any person in any public place is causing or is likely~~


~~to cause any of the conditions enumerated under Subsection B, he may, if it is necessary for the preservation of the public peace and safety, order that person to leave that place. Any person who shall refuse to leave that place after being ordered to do so by a police officer shall be in violation of the provisions of this section.~~

This Ordinance shall take effect following adoption and approval in a time and manner prescribed by law.



 Mayor Mark Bromberg

ATTEST:



 Karen Campanelli, Township Clerk
 Date: 6/12/2024

Council Member	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B	Council Member	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B
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