

CURFEW
ORDINANCE NO. 419

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A CURFEW FOR CERTAIN MINORS
AND TO REGULATE THE CONDUCT OF MINORS WITHIN THE CITY OF ST
JOHNS AND TO PROVIDE THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

THE CITY OF ST JOHNS ORDAINS:

Section 1. No minor under the age of 12 years shall loiter or congregate in or on any public street, highway, park, vacant lot, alley, plaza, or other place open to the general public within the city limits of the City of St. Johns between 10:00 PM and 6:00 AM, unless the minor is accompanied by a parent, guardian, or an adult delegated by the minor's parent or guardian to accompany the child.

Section 2. No minor between the ages of 12 years and 16 years shall loiter, idle, or congregate in or on any public street, highway, park, vacant lot, alley, plaza, or other place open to the general public within the city limits of the City of St. Johns between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 AM on the day immediately following unless the minor is accompanied by a parent, guardian, or a person delegated by the minor's parent or legal guardian to accompany the minor and where the minor is upon an errand or other legitimate business, specifically directed by his/her parent or guardian.

Section 3. Any person of the age of 16 years or over, assisting, aiding, abetting, allowing, permitting, or encouraging any minor under the age of 16 to violate any of the provisions of Sections 1 or 2 herein may be found responsible as an aider or abettor and subject to penalties as set forth herein.

Section 4. Penalty. Any violation of Section 1, 2, or 3 of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a civil fine of not more than FIVE HUNDRED and 00/100 (\$500.00) DOLLARS, plus costs or by up to ninety (90) days in the Clinton County Jail.

Section 5. The within ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after its passage.

PASSED, ORDAINED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY THE CITY
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD
THE 22ND DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D., 1993.