



**ORDINANCE NO. 72**

**AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO BAWDY HOUSES AND HOUSES OF ILL-FAME, AND DEFINING OFFENSES AGAINST THE PEACE, TRANQUILITY AND MORALITY OF INHABITANTS OF THE CITY OF REXBURG.**

BE IT ORDINANED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REXBURG, IDAHO:

**SECTION I:** If any person shall, within the corporate limits of the City of Rexburg, or within three miles from the outer boundary thereof, keep a house of ill-fame, bawdy house, or other disorderly house, or place resorted to for illicit sexual commerce or lewdness, or shall reside in or resort to, for the purpose of lewdness, illicit sexual gratification, prostitution or disorderly conduct, or who shall loiter in or around any house of ill-fame, bawdy or other disorderly house, or place resorted to for illicit sexual gratification, prostitution or lewdness, or used by one or more females for the purpose of illicit sexual commerce or lewdness, or shall let or lease any place or house for any such purpose he shall be liable to a fine in any sum not to exceed one hundred dollars, or to imprisonment not exceeding one hundred days, or both such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court. Every person having charge care or control of any of the houses named in this Ordinance shall, for the purpose of prosecution, be deemed the keeper thereof.

**SECTION II:** Whenever any peace officer of the City has reasonable grounds to believe that any house or place is kept for the purposes named in section one, it shall be lawful for such officer to enter such house or place without warrant, and to arrest all persons found therein, and take them before the police justice of the City for trial.

**SECTION III:** Any person or persons who shall conduct themselves in a noisy, boisterous, riotous or disorderly manner, within the corporate limits of the City of Rexburg, or shall in any manner commit a breach of the peace, or do anything that shall be offensive to the senses or dangerous to the peace of the inhabitants of the City of Rexburg shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

**SECTION IV:** Any person who shall be in the streets, or alleys, or other public places, within the corporate limits of the City of Rexburg, or in view of the public gaze, in a state of drunkenness, or shall expose his or her person indecently, or obscenely, or who shall in any such public place of said City of Rexburg, in a loud, angry, or threatening manner, use any vulgar, obscene, or profane language of an insulting character, tending in any way to injure, or harm, or offend the senses of any person or persons, or whereby the peace and quiet of the inhabitants of said City of Rexburg may be disturbed, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

**SECTION V:** Any person who shall sell, circulate, or exhibit any obscene print, picture or figure, or any obscene literature, or shall utter or speak or write any obscene or lewd language, or sing any vulgar or lewd song, within the limits of the City of Rexburg, shall be liable to a fine in any sum less than one hundred dollars or to imprisonment in the City jail for any period less than one hundred days, or both such fine and imprisonment for each offense.

**SECTION VI:** No person shall, either directly or indirectly, whether by look, word, sign or deed, practice begging or mendicancy within the limits of the City, or on any of the streets, highways, thoroughfares or public places thereof, or in view of the public gaze ; nor shall any person who is diseased, maimed, mutilated or in any way deformed so as to be an unsightly or disgusting object or an improper person to be allowed in or on the street, highways, thoroughfares, or public places in the City, or in view of the public gaze, therein or thereon expose himself to public view. Any person violating any provision of this section shall be liable to a fine of not more than ten



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