

Ordinances of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado

ORDINANCE NO. 192.

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation that occupies or controls any lot, corral, barn, stable, shed, building or other place where horses, mules, cattle, or any of them, are kept or fed within this city, shall provide and maintain upon such premises, a tight covered box, bin or vault of suitable capacity for receiving and holding the manure produced or brought on such premises; the cover of such box, bin or vault shall be screened with wire screen of sufficient fineness so as to not permit the admission of flies therein. The manure shall be moved at least once a week and taken beyond the city limits; provided, that the manure may be used within the city limits when it has been thoroughly saturated or mixed with lime, chloride of lime, or petroleum. The presence of maggots, when used within the city limits, shall be sufficient evidence that it has not been thoroughly saturated or mixed with any of the above named substances, and therefore shall be considered a violation of this ordinance.

Sec. 2. No person, firm or corporation shall keep, offer for sale, or expose for sale any meat, game, fish, fowl, vegetables, fruit, or prepared food products in open receptacles or broken packages less than two (2) feet above the floor of any building, storeroom, or place in which the same may be sold or offered for sale.

Sec. 3. No person, firm or corporation shall keep, expose or offer for sale any meat, fish, fowl, vegetables, fruit, bread, pastry, confectionery, dried fruits, nuts, or any prepared food, unless the same is protected in such manner as to exclude dust, flies, or other insects from coming in contact therewith. All fruits, vegetables, meats, or other foods kept, sold or offered for sale, shall be kept in receptacles free from decayed matter of any kind.

Sec. 4. Any person or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Passed and adopted this 3d day of August, A. D. 1911.

Attest:

Charles K. Holmberg
City Clerk.

J. M. Tol
Mayor.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance for the Preservation of the Public Health," was introduced and read at a regular adjourned meeting of the city council of the City of Grand Junction, held on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1911, and that the same was published in full in the Daily News, a daily newspaper published and in general circulation in said city, at least ten days before its passage,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said city this 3d day of August, A. D. 1911.

Charles K. Holmberg
City Clerk.