

TITLE 6

LAW ENFORCEMENT

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CHAPTER 1

POLICE AND ARREST¹

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6-101. Policemen subject to orders and regulations. All policemen shall obey and comply with such orders and administrative rules and regulations as the city council and police chief may officially issue. (1973 Code, § 1-401)

6-102. Policemen to preserve law and order, etc. Policemen shall preserve law and order within the town. They shall patrol the town and shall assist the city court during the trial of cases. Policemen shall also promptly serve any legal process issued by the city court. (1973 Code, § 1-402)

6-103. Policemen to wear uniforms and be armed. All policemen shall wear such uniform and badge as the city council shall authorize and shall carry a service pistol and billy club at all times while on duty unless otherwise expressly directed by the chief for a special assignment. (1973 Code, § 1-403)

¹Municipal code reference

Issuance of citations in lieu of arrest in traffic cases: title 15, chapter 7.

6-104. When policemen to make arrests.¹ Unless otherwise authorized or directed in this code or other applicable law, an arrest of the person shall be made by a policeman in the following cases:

(1) Whenever he is in possession of a warrant for the arrest of the person.

(2) Whenever an offense is committed or a breach of the peace is threatened in the officer's presence by the person.

(3) Whenever a felony has in fact been committed and the officer has reasonable cause to believe the person has committed it. (1973 Code, § 1-404)

6-105. Policemen may require assistance. It shall be unlawful for any person to willfully refuse to aid a policeman in maintaining law and order or in making a lawful arrest when such a person's assistance is requested by the policeman and is reasonably necessary. (1973 Code, § 1-405)

6-106. Disposition of persons arrested. Unless otherwise authorized by law, when a person is arrested for any offense other than one involving drunkenness he shall be brought before the city court for immediate trial or allowed to post bond. When the arrested person is drunk or when the city judge is not immediately available and the alleged offender is not able to post the required bond, he shall be confined. (1973 Code, § 1-406)

6-107. Police department records. The police department shall keep a comprehensive and detailed daily record in permanent form, showing:

(1) All known or reported offenses and/or crimes committed within the corporate limits.

(2) All arrests made by policemen.

(3) All police investigations made, funerals convoyed, fire calls answered, and other miscellaneous activities of the police department. (1973 Code, § 1-407)

6-108. Honorarium presentation of gun and badge to retiring and disabled officers. The Ashland City Police Department shall surplus and make an honorarium the officer's gun and badge to all retiring police officers who have at least twenty (20) years of service, or as recommended and presented from the chief of police and approved by council, upon their retirement and also to police officers who, regardless of years of service, receive a disability in the line of duty pension. To be eligible to receive this honorarium, the police officer must retire

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in good standing and be eligible to receive a service or disability pension. (as added by Ord. #478, Dec. 2017 *Ch12_6-11-19*)

CHAPTER 2

WORKHOUSE

SECTION

6-201. County workhouse to be used.

6-202. Inmates to be worked.

6-203. Deleted.

6-201. County workhouse to be used. The county workhouse is hereby designated as the municipal workhouse, subject to such contractual arrangement as may be worked out with the county. (1973 Code, § 1-601)

6-202. Inmates to be worked. All persons committed to the workhouse, to the extent that their physical condition shall permit, shall be required to perform such public work or labor as may be lawfully prescribed for the county prisoners. (1973 Code, § 1-602)

6-203. Deleted. (1973 Code, § 1-603, as deleted by Ord. #514, Dec. 2018 *Ch12_6-11-19*)