

CHAPTER 56

PROHIBITING PETTY DAMAGE TO PROPERTY

SECTION 1.

Whoever intentionally causes damage to any physical property of another without the person's consent, if the total property so damaged is reduced in value by not more than \$50 is guilty of a violation of this ordinance, and shall be penalized as provided in Section 5 of this ordinance.

SECTION 2.

Where more than one item of property is damaged pursuant to a single intent and design, the damage to all the property may be prosecuted as a single ordinance violation.

SECTION 3.

Definitions.

- a. "property of another" means property in which a person other than the actor has a legal interest which the actor has no right to defeat or impair, even though the actor may also have a legal interest in the property.
- b. "intentionally" means that the actor either has a purpose to do the thing or cause the result specified or believes that his act, if successful, will cause that result.

SECTION 4.

Penalty.

Any person who violates this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be subject to a forfeiture of not more than \$500 together with costs of prosecution and penalty assessment; and in default of payment of such forfeiture and costs, shall be subject to imprisonment in the County Jail until such forfeiture and cost be paid, but not to exceed 30 days.

SECTION 5.

Any future amendments, revisions, or modifications of Wisconsin Statutes Sections, 943.01(1), 943.01(3), 939.22(28) and 939.23(3) incorporated herein, are intended to be made part of this ordinance as such amendments, revisions, or modifications are made to said Statutes.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its proper passage and publication pursuant to Wisconsin Law

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