

Ordinance No. 00180

[\(Council Minutes 98/07/20\)](#)

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AN ORDINANCE of the City Council of the City of Lakewood, Washington, amending Section 9.78.010 of the Lakewood Municipal Code and creating a new Section 9.78.030 of the Lakewood Municipal Code, relating to public disturbances

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WHEREAS, in order to provide better understanding and use in enforcement of the code sections, certain clarifications and modifications have been developed as set forth hereinbelow:

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN as Follows:

Section 1. That Section 9.78.010 of the Lakewood Municipal Code be, and the same is amended to read as follows:

9.78.010 Disorderly conduct.

A. A person is guilty of disorderly conduct if he or she:

1. Fights or encourages others to fight in any public place within the city;
2. Willfully annoys, molests, bothers, insults, offers an affront to another person and thereby intentionally creates the risk of assault;
3. Willfully breaks, impairs, injures or defaces any building, fence, awning, window, sign, signboard, tree, shrub, or other thing of value being the property of another;
- ~~4~~3. Intentionally obstructs vehicular or pedestrian travel or traffic without lawful authority;
- ~~3~~4. Intentionally obstructs vehicular or pedestrian travel or traffic without lawful authority;
5. Removes, interferes with, carries away or destroys the property of another, or tears down, destroys or mutilates any notice or handbill lawfully posted in the city;
- ~~6~~4. Intentionally disrupts any lawful assembly or meeting of persons without lawful authority; or
- ~~4~~5. Intentionally disrupts any lawful assembly or meeting of persons without lawful authority; or
7. Looks into the windows of the residence of another without a lawful right to do so; and,
- ~~9~~5. Urinates or defecates in any place open to the public view.
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Section 2. That a new Section 9.78.030 of the Lakewood Municipal Code be, and the same is created to read as follows:

9.78.030 Violating Privacy.

A. It shall be unlawful for any person to enter or remain in or upon the curtilage of a building or premises of another for the purposes of observing, photographing, video taping or filming another person, other than a family or household member, under circumstances where the other person has a reasonable expectation of privacy. For the purposes hereof, Acurtilage@ shall mean any premises located within 10 feet of the exterior wall of any building, regardless of whether the premises are enclosed.

B. Violation of this section shall be a gross misdemeanor punishable by a jail sentence of up to 365 days and/or a fine of up to \$5,000.

Section 3. That if any portion of this Ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, the remainder and its application to any other persons or circumstances shall be unaffected.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect five (5) days after publication of the Ordinance Summary .

ADOPTED by the City Council this 20th day of July, 1998.

CITY OF LAKEWOOD

Bill Harrison, Mayor

Attest:

Alice M. Bush, CMC, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

Daniel B. Heid, City Attorney

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