

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to create Section 14.220 of the Manitowoc Municipal Code regulating Lewd and Lascivious Behavior and Display.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Manitowoc do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 14.220 is created to read as follows:

“14.220 Lewd and Lascivious Behavior and Display Prohibited.

(1) Definitions.

Genitals shall mean the sexual or reproductive organs located on the outside of the human body.

Pubic area shall mean the area immediately surrounding a person’s genitals.

Lewd exhibition shall mean the display of less than fully and opaquely covered genitals or pubic area of a person or the display of genitals or pubic area in a way that places an unnatural or unusual focus on the genitals or pubic area.

(2) Conduct Prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person to publicly expose their genitals or pubic area, or to lewdly exhibit same. This prohibition shall include the display of less than fully and opaquely covered genitals or pubic area of a person in a way that places an unnatural or unusual focus on the genitals or pubic area.

(3) Exceptions. This prohibition does not apply to a mother breast-feeding her child. This prohibition does not apply to adult entertainers, as defined in Section 11.030(1), while engaged in a performance within an adult entertainment tavern.”

Section 2. The bond schedule for violations of 14.220 shall be as follows:

Adult: \$175 + costs
Juvenile: \$60 + costs

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect the day after publication.

INTRODUCED _____ ADOPTED _____

APPROVED _____
Justin M. Nickels, Mayor

Fiscal Impact: \$0
Funding Source: n/a
Finance Director Approval: /sc
Approved as to form: /km

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