

## **ARTICLE I TRAFFIC ARRESTS**

### **10.03.180 Appearance in police court**

Whenever any person is halted by a Police officer for any violation of this Ordinance, the person shall, in the discretion of the officer, either be given a traffic citation as hereinafter provided, or be taken without unnecessary delay before the Police Judge when the person does not furnish satisfactory evidence of identity or where the officer has reasonable and probable grounds to believe such person will disregard his written promise to appear in Police Court. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).

### **10.03.190 Traffic citations**

Whenever a person is halted by a police officer for violation of this Ordinance and is not taken before the Police Judge as hereinbefore required or permitted the officer shall prepare in quadruplicate a written traffic citation containing a notice to appear in Court, the name and address of the person charged, the time and place when and where the offense charged occurred, and the time when the person charged shall appear in Police Court, and such other pertinent information as may be necessary. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).

### **10.03.200 Posting of bail**

Whenever any person is taken into custody by a Police Officer for the purpose of taking him before the Police Court and the Police Judge is not available at the time of arrest, such person shall be released upon depositing with the desk officer at the Police Department office, the amount of bail established by the Police Judge for the particular offense charged and his signing a promise to appear before the Police Court at the time required. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).

### **10.03.210 Failure to appear**

It shall be unlawful for any person to violate his written promise to appear in court given to an officer upon the issuance of a traffic citation, regardless of the disposition of the charge upon which such citation was originally issued. A written promise to appear in court may be complied with by an appearance by counsel. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).

### **10.03.220 Arrest without warrant**

The foregoing provisions of paragraph 4 shall govern all police officers in making arrests without a warrant for violations of this Ordinance, but the procedure prescribed herein shall not otherwise be exclusive of any other method prescribed by law for the arrest and prosecution of a person for an offense of like grade. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).

### **10.03.230 Evidence not permissible in civil action**

No evidence of the conviction of any person for any violation of this Ordinance shall be admissible in any Court in any civil action. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).

### **10.03.240 Parking citations**

Citations for violations of parking regulations may be issued by any police officer by placing the same upon the windshield of the vehicle in a secure manner, or inside the vehicle in a prominent place. Depositing such citation with the amount of penalty stated thereon with the Police Department or in any collection box shall be designated by the police Department shall be a compliance with the citation. It shall be unlawful for any person to fail to comply with any such citation for parking violations. (Ord. 482(part), 1968).