ORDINANCE 629

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 13, ARTICLE III, ENTITLED "NOISE", OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina that:

Section 1. Chapter 13, Article III, is hereby amended by the deletion of subsection (e) in its entirety, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"(e) Sound trucks and sound-amplifying equipment - use of.

The use of a truck or other vehicle to which sound-amplifying equipment is attached, whether motorized or not, on a public street or on publicly-owned grounds is prohibited.

The use of sound-amplifying equipment on private property that produces a sound which is cast upon the public streets or sidewalks for the purpose of commercial advertising or attracting the attention of the public to any building or structure is prohibited.

The use of sound-amplifying equipment by a person or persons in the amplification or broadcasting of music, speeches, or general entertainment of a non-commercial nature is prohibited when it results in the sound being cast upon any public street or sidewalk at a noise level exceeding 85 decibels as measured at any point upon the street or sidewalk, or if the event creates an obstruction to pedestrian or vehicular traffic.

"Sound-amplifying equipment" as used in this section shall mean any machine or device for the amplification of the human voice, music or any other sound-amplifying equipment, and shall include megaphone, amplifier, "walkie-talkie", amplifiers on fronts of business buildings or other sound device. Sound amplifying equipment as used herein shall not be construed as including standard automobile radios when used and heard only by occupants of the vehicle in which installed, or warning devices on authorized emergency vehicles, or horns or other warning devices on trucks selling ice cream products on the streets to the consuming public.
This section shall not apply to any event held in recognition of a community celebration of national, state or city events, public festivals, or to those activities for which a permit is required under Article IV of this chapter and Sec. 20-81(B)(2) of Chapter 20.

Section 2. Chapter 13, Article III, is further amended by the deletion of subsection (g) in its entirety, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

(g) Radios, phonographs, etc.

The using, operating or permitting to be played, used or operated any radio receiving set, musical instrument, phonograph, or other machine or device for the producing or reproducing of sound in such manner as to disturb the peace, quiet and comfort of the neighboring inhabitants, or at any time with louder volume than is necessary for convenient hearing for the person or persons who are in the room, vehicle or chamber in which such machine or device is operated and who are voluntary listeners thereto. The operation of any such set, instrument, phonograph, machine or device between the hours of eleven (11) o'clock p.m. and seven (7) o'clock a.m. in such manner to be plainly audible at a distance of fifty (50) feet from the building, structure or vehicle in which it is located shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of this section.

Section 3. Chapter 13, Article III, subsection (i) is hereby amended by the deletion of the word "six" in the second line, and substituting in lieu thereof the word "seven", and by deleting the period after the word "purposes", substituting in lieu thereof a comma, and adding the following phrase:

"except in case of urgent necessity in the interest of public health and safety."

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

Approved as to form:

[Signature]
City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of May, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 62, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 22, at page 37.

Ruth Armstrong, City Clerk
ORDINANCE NO. 630-X


Section 1.

WHEREAS, weeds and grass located on the premises at (address) Lots 1100 & 1200 blocks Queens Rd. has been found to be a nuisance by the Supervisor of Community Improvement Division of the Public Works Department, and the owner or those responsible for the maintenance of the premises has/have been ordered to remove the same, pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte; and

WHEREAS, the owner(s) or person(s) responsible for the maintenance of these premises has (have) failed to comply with the said order served by registered mail on April 29, 1975; and

WHEREAS, The City Council, upon consideration of the evidence, finds as a fact that the aforesaid premises are being maintained in a manner which constitutes a public nuisance because of weeds and grass.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, that the Supervisor of the Community Improvement Division of the Public Works Department, is hereby ordered to cause removal of weeds and grass from the aforesaid premises in the City of Charlotte, and that the City assess costs incurred, and this shall be a charge against the owner (owners), and shall be a lien against this property, all pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte:

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of May, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 62, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 22, at Page 88.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk
ORDINANCE NO. 631-X


Section 1.
WHEREAS, weeds and grass located on the premises at (address)
1301 Ashbrook Place has been found to be a nuisance by the Supervisor of Community Improvement Division of the Public Works Department, and the owner or those responsible for the maintenance of the premises has/have been ordered to remove the same, pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte; and

WHEREAS, the owner(s) or person(s) responsible for the maintenance of these premises has (have) failed to comply with the said order served by registered mail on May 6, 1975; and

WHEREAS, The City Council, upon consideration of the evidence, finds as a fact that the aforesaid premises are being maintained in a manner which constitutes a public nuisance because of weeds and grass .

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, that the Supervisor of the Community Improvement Division, of the Public Works Department, is hereby ordered to cause removal of weeds and grass from the aforesaid premises in the City of Charlotte, and that the City assess costs incurred, and this shall be a charge against the owner (owners), and shall be a lien against this property, all pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte:

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of May, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 62, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 22, at Page 89.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk
AN ORDINANCE ORDERING THE REMOVAL OF WEEDS & GRASS PURSUANT TO
SECTION 6.103 AND 6.104 OF THE CITY CHARTER, CHAPTER 10, ARTICLE I,
STATUTES OF NORTH CAROLINA

Section 1.
WHEREAS, weeds and grass located on the premises at (address)

V/lot adjacent 2525 Knollwood Lane has been found to be a nuisance by the
Supervisor of Community Improvement Division of the Public Works Department,
and the owner or those responsible for the maintenance of the premises has/have
been ordered to remove the same, pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9
of the Code of the City of Charlotte; and

WHEREAS, the owner (s) or person (s) responsible for the maintenance of
these premises has (have) failed to comply with the said order served by
registered mail on April 28, 1975; and

WHEREAS, The City Council, upon consideration of the evidence, finds as a
fact that the aforesaid premises are being maintained in a manner which con-
stitutes a public nuisance because of weeds and grass ____________________.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of
Charlotte, North Carolina, that the Supervisor of the Community Improvement
Division, of the Public Works Department, is hereby ordered to cause removal
of weeds and grass ____________________ from the aforesaid premises in the
City of Charlotte, and that the City assess costs incurred, and this shall be
a charge against the owner (owners), and shall be a lien against this property,
all pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of
Charlotte:

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte,
North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of May, 1975,
the reference having been made in Minute Book 62, and recorded in full in
Ordinance Book 22, at Page 90.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk
ORDINANCE NO. 633-X


Section 1.
WHEREAS, trash and rubbish located on the premises at (address) Arrowood Road area (acreage) has been found to be a nuisance by the Supervisor of Community Improvement Division of the Public Works Department, and the owner or those responsible for the maintenance of the premises has/have been ordered to remove the same, pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte; and

WHEREAS, the owner (s) or person (s) responsible for the maintenance of these premises has (have) failed to comply with the said order served by registered mail on April 25, 1975; and

WHEREAS, The City Council, upon consideration of the evidence, finds as a fact that the aforesaid premises are being maintained in a manner which constitutes a public nuisance because of trash and rubbish.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, that the Supervisor of the Community Improvement Division, of the Public Works Department, is hereby ordered to cause removal of trash and rubbish from the aforesaid premises in the City of Charlotte, and that the City assess costs incurred, and this shall be a charge against the owner (owners), and shall be a lien against this property, all pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte:

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

[Signature]
City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of May, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 62, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 22, at Page 91.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk
ORDINANCE NO. 634-X


Section 1. WHEREAS, trash and rubbish located on the premises at (address) 2908 Park Road, Charlotte, N. C. has been found to be a nuisance by the Supervisor of Community Improvement Division of the Public Works Department, and the owner or those responsible for the maintenance of the premises has/have been ordered to remove the same, pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte; and

WHEREAS, the owner (s) or person (s) responsible for the maintenance of these premises has (have) failed to comply with the said order served by registered mail on April 30, 1975; and

WHEREAS, The City Council, upon consideration of the evidence, finds as a fact that the aforesaid premises are being maintained in a manner which constitutes a public nuisance because of trash and rubbish

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, that the Supervisor of the Community Improvement Division, of the Public Works Department, is hereby ordered to cause removal of trash and rubbish from the aforesaid premises in the City of Charlotte, and that the City assess costs incurred, and this shall be a charge against the owner (owners), and shall be a lien against this property, all pursuant to Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-9 of the Code of the City of Charlotte:

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

[Signature]
City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of May, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 62, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 22, at Page 92.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk