

ORDINANCE BILL NO. 4 FOR 1944

ORDINANCE NO. 608

Active 6-13

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING SIGNS

The people of the City of Lebanon do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. No person, firm or corporation shall place or maintain, or cause or suffer to be placed or maintained, upon or over any street or sidewalk of the City, in front of or adjacent to any building, structure or premises any sign, advertisement, flag, or banner, or other contrivance, except such as shall be authorized by the Committee on Streets for holiday, festivals, days of public parades, etc., for display or advertisement purposes, except as hereinafter provided:

(a) Electric signs may be hung over the sidewalks in front of the building to which they are attached at right angles to the street, and may extend as far out as the curb line and no further, and the bottom of said signs shall not be less than nine feet above the level of the sidewalk over which they are placed.

(b) Other signs may be hung over the sidewalk in front of the building to which they are attached and, when hung so as to stand at right angles to the street, shall not extend farther than four feet out from the property line, but signs may be placed on marquees parallel with the street provided the same are securely attached thereto; provided, however, that in no case shall the bottom of such signs hang less than eight feet above the sidewalk over which they are hung.

(c) No signs shall be hung from a post, or posts, except a post, or posts, constructed of concrete or iron, or of either iron or concrete and veneered with brick, which post, or posts, shall be of sufficient strength and embedded in the ground to a sufficient depth to support said signs so that the same may not be dangerous to the public and shall be approved by the Street Superintendent before use thereof shall be permitted; provided further that such post, or posts, shall be located inside the property line.

SECTION 2. Any sign which shall not be securely fastened or bolted to the post, building or marquee to which it is attached or which shall not be erected or maintained in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to condemnation by the Superintendent of Streets by giving written notice thereof to the owner or person in possession of the property to which it is attached or from which it extends, and if not properly secured or removed, or made to comply with this ordinance within forty-eight hours shall be removed by the Street Commissioner.

SECTION 3. This ordinance being necessary for the peace, health, and safety of the people of the City of Lebanon, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council and approved by the Mayor.

Passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 18th day of January, 1944. ✓

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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RECORDER