

A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO)
THE POLICE FORCE AND REPEALING ORD-)
INANCES NO. 837, 1080, and 1239 AND)
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY)

ORDINANCE BILL NO. 20
FOR 1968
ORDINANCE NO. 1312

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LEBANON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Composition of Police Force. The police force shall consist of the chief of police and such personnel as the council may deem necessary, including a regular force of policemen, clerk-matrons and other full time personnel, and special and reserve police not a part of the regular force. Except for the chief of police, who is an officer of the city, all members of the regular police force are city employes and subject to the applicable city personnel regulations.

Section 2. Chief of Police. The chief of police, under the general supervision of the police committee, shall be the chief executive officer of the police force and shall have control and management of all members, equipment and functions of the police force. The chief of police, subject to the approval of the council, shall have authority to adopt rules and regulations for the administration and discipline of members of the police force to supplement city personnel regulations.

Section 3. Special Police.

(1) The employment of special police for emergencies shall be authorized only by the Mayor; provided, however, that in the absence of the mayor from the city, such employment may be authorized by the chairman of the police committee, and, in the absence of both such officers, by any member of the police committee.


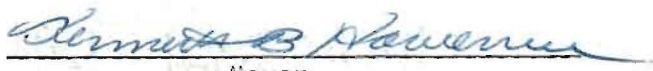
(2) A department head shall have the power in connection with sidewalk, street or highway repairs or construction, and during emergencies and the obstruction of interferences with normal traffic flow, to appoint himself or persons in his department as "special police" for

the purpose of directing, regulating or controlling pedestrian and vehicular traffic on the streets, alleys, sidewalks, and all other roads or thoroughfares within the city; and the failure or refusal of a person to obey the lawful, reasonable signals, directions or orders of such "special police" shall constitute a misdemeanor.

Section 4. Repeal. Ordinances No. 837, enacted February 19, 1952, No. 1080, enacted August 2, 1960, and No. 1239, enacted March 7, 1967 are repealed.

Section 5. Emergency Clause. Inasmuch as the provisions of this ordinance are necessary for the immediate preservation of 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 immediately upon its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 21st day of May, 1968.

Mayor

ATTEST:



City Recorder