

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND LICENSING)
PUBLIC DANCES, AND REPEALING ORDINANCES)
NO. 237, 327, 376, 387, 443 and 1198.)

ORDINANCE BILL NO. 42
for 1980
ORDINANCE NO. 1808

THE CITY OF LEBANON ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Definitions. A public dance means any dance where the public is invited or permitted to attend and where a fee is charged or a voluntary contribution is paid by any person for the privilege of attending, or any money is raised to defray the expenses of such dance.

Section 2. License Required, Fee. No person may conduct a public dance without first obtaining a dance license, for which the applicant shall pay a fee of \$10.00 for a single dance or \$25.00 for a year or fraction thereof.

Section 3. Application for License.

(1) An applicant for a dance license shall provide to the City Administrator or his designate, the following information:

a) The name and residence of the applicant or if the applicant is a corporation, association or firm, the names and residences of the officers or directors thereof.

b) The particular location for which the license is desired at which the dance is to be held.

c) The date or dates of all dances to be held under the license.

(2) The Chief of Police shall cause an investigation to be made to determine whether the applicant or the activity meet the requirements of this ordinance. The license may be denied if:

a) the applicant is under twenty-one (21) years of age;

b) the applicant has been convicted of a crime or violation of any City Ordinance or State Statute involving any of the following: assault, disorderly conduct, fraud, illegal gambling, narcotics, sex violations, civil disorder, or liquor law violations;

c) the applicant has presented any false or misleading information in relation to his application for the license.

Section 4. Exceptions. Dances held by school officials, church authorities, or the Lebanon Senior Citizen's Center on their own premises, regardless of whether a fee is charged, are not required to be licensed under the provisions of this ordinance; however such dances are subject to the provisions of Section 5 of this Ordinance.

Section 5. Inspection. All public dances shall be open for inspection by any Police Officer of the City during the continuance of the dance.

Section 6. Violation. Violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor.

Section 7. Repeal. Ordinances No. 237, 327, 376, 387, 443, and 1198 are hereby repealed.

Passed by the Council by a vote of 5 for and 0 against and approved by the Mayor this 27th day of August, 1980.

Michael J. Wheaton
Mayor

ATTEST:

Edwin R. Jones
Recorder