# Appendix J - City of Altoona - Disorderly Conduct Ordinance

# V. OFFENSES AGAINST THE PUBLIC PEACE Chapter 9.34

# **Disorderly Conduct**

### Sections:

- 9.34.010 Disorderly conduct prohibited.
- 9.34.020 Use of telephone as disorderly conduct.
- 9.34.030 Violation—Penalty.
- 9.34.010 Disorderly conduct prohibited.

## No person shall within the city:

- A. In any public or private place engage in violent, abusive, indecent, profane, boisterous,
- unreasonably loud, or otherwise disorderly conduct under circumstances in which such conduct tends to cause or provoke a disturbance;
- B. Intentionally cause, provoke or engage in any fight, brawl, riot or noisy altercation other than a bona fide athletic contest. (Ord. A-133, 1976: prior code § 12.02(1))

# 9.34.020 Use of Telephone as Disorderly Conduct.

A person who uses a telephone in any of the following manners shall be guilty of disorderly

#### conduct:

- A. With intent to frighten, intimidate, threaten, abuse, or harass, makes a telephone call and
- threatens to inflict injury or physical harm to any person or the property of any person.
- B. With intent to frighten, intimidate, threaten, abuse, harass or offend another and uses obscene, lewd or profane language or suggests any lewd or lascivious act.
- C. Makes or causes the telephone of another repeatedly to ring, with intent to harass any person at the called number.
- D. Makes repeated telephone calls, whether or not conversation ensues, with intent solely to harass any person at the called number.
- E. Makes a telephone call, whether or not conversation ensues, without disclosing his or her
- identity and with intent to abuse, threaten, or harass any person at the called number.
- F. Knowingly permits any telephone under his or her control to be used for any

purpose prohibited by this section. (Ord. 1B-05, 2005).

# 9.34.030 Violation—Penalty.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this chapter shall upon conviction incur a penalty as provided in Chapter 1.08. (Ord. A-135 (part), 1976: prior code § 12.02(a)