

ORDINANCE NO. 94-18

ORDINANCE REGULATING PUBLIC INDECENCY

The Board of Supervisors of the Town of Alexandria, possessing the powers enumerated in M.S.A. Sec. 368.01, ordains:

SECTION 1. PURPOSE. The purpose of this Ordinance is to establish the regulations governing public indecency in the Township of Alexandria.

SECTION 2. PUBLIC INDECENCY; INDECENT EXPOSURE.

A. A person who knowingly and intentionally, in a public place:

- (1) engages in sexual intercourse;
- (2) engages in deviate sexual conduct;
- (3) appears in a state of nudity; or
- (4) fondles the genitals of himself/herself or another person;

commits the crime of public indecency, a misdemeanor.

B. A person who knowingly and intentionally, in a public place, appears in a state of nudity commits the crime of public indecency, a misdemeanor.

(1) "Nudity" means the showing of the human male or female genitals, pubic area, or buttocks with less than a fully opaque covering, the showing of the female breast with less than a fully opaque covering of any part of the nipple, or the showing of covered male genitals in a discernibly turgid state.

C. A person who, in a place other than a public place, with the intent to be seen by persons other than invitees and occupants of that place:

- (1) engages in sexual intercourse;
- (2) engages in deviate sexual conduct;
- (3) fondles the genitals of himself/herself or another person; or
- (4) appears in a state of nudity;

where he/she can be seen by persons other than invitees and occupants of that place commits the crime of indecent exposure, a misdemeanor.

SECTION 3. VIOLATION. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, shall be punished not more than the maximum penalty for a misdemeanor as prescribed by law.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and publication.

Passed by the Board of Supervisors this 1st day of August, 1994.

TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA,
DOUGLAS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

/s/ Donald Welton, Chairman
/s/ Luverne Ludwig, Supervisor
/s/ Russell M. Niskanen, Supervisor
/s/ Larry Zilliox, Supervisor
/s/ T. Michael Thompson, Supervisor

Attest:

/s/ Gordie R. Billmark, Town Clerk