

OFFICIAL

BOROUGH OF AVALON

ORDINANCE NO. 1147

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF AVALON ENTITLED "FALSE ALARM ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF AVALON"; SETTING FORTH PROVISIONS AGAINST RENDERING FALSE ALARMS FOR FIRE AND BURGLARIES: AND PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the Borough of Avalon has been receiving false alarms for fires and burglaries endangering the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Borough of Avalon; and

WHEREAS, because of the number of false alarms, the Council of the Borough of Avalon has deemed it necessary to pass this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained and enacted into law by the Council of the Borough of Avalon and it is hereby enacted and ordained by and with the authority of the same as follows:

Section 1: This Ordinance shall be known and entitled "False Alarm Ordinance of the Borough of Avalon".

Section 2: It shall be illegal for any person, firm, corporation, or association to render a false alarm to the Borough Building of the Borough of Avalon. Such false alarm to be defined as any criminal activity or any fire alarm notice given to the Borough fire or police office that there is a fire burning or criminal misconduct being committed when in fact, no fire or crime was in evidence.

Section 3:

Unless otherwise provided in this Ordinance, any person, firm, corporation or association who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be severally for each and every violation respectfully, be guilty of a summary offense punishable by fine of not more than ~~Five~~ ^{\$100.00} ~~(\$50.00)~~ Dollars or by imprisonment for not less than three (3) days nor more than five (5) days in the Allegheny County Jail, or both.

In the case of firms or association, the penalties may be imposed on the partners or members thereof; in the case of corporation, upon the officers thereof.

Section 4:

Any Ordinance or part thereof conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and the same is hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this Ordinance.

ORDAINED and ENACTED into law this 19th day of MAY, 1982.

ATTEST:

BOROUGH OF AVALON

Ray E. Costello
Secretary

John C. Murphy
President of Council

THIS ORDINANCE examined and approved
by me this 26th day of May, 1982.

Joseph E. Elm
Mayor