

ARTICLE XI. GENERAL PROVISIONS

City Council and Charter Review – no changes.

Sec. 11.01. Penalties.

Violations of ordinances shall be punishable in accordance with the uniform fines and penalties set by general law or ordinances of the city.

State law reference(s)—Uniform fines and penalties, F.S. §§ 775.082, 775.083.

City Council and Charter Review – same changes.

Sec. 11.02. Oath of office.

Every elected or appointed officer of the city shall, before entering upon the duties of office, take and subscribe an oath in the form required for state and county officers under the laws of the State of Florida. Such oath shall be kept on file with the city ~~filed in the office of the city clerk.~~

State constitution reference(s)—Oath required of state and county officers, Fla. Const., art. II, § 5.

State law reference(s)—Oath required, F.S. § 876.05.

City Council and Charter Review – no changes.

Sec. 11.03. Severability clause.

If any article or any part thereof, or any section or part thereof of this Charter as it now exists or as it may be amended is held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such holding shall not invalidate or impair the validity, force or effect of any other article or part thereof, or any other section or part thereof, unless it clearly appears that such other article or part thereof, or section or part thereof, is wholly or necessarily dependent for its operation upon the article or part thereof, or section or part thereof, held to be invalid or unconstitutional. If the application of this Charter or any of its provisions to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the application of this Charter and its provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.