

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-30

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA ADOPTING A REVISED SCHEDULE OF VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES CONSISTENT WITH SECTION 2-333 OF THE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Venice has a Schedule of Violations and Penalties that identifies the maximum civil penalty for violation of a city code or ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Schedule of Violations and Penalties has not been updated or amended in a number of years; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-333(3) of the City of Venice Code of Ordinances authorizes city council to adopt and amend a Schedule of Violations and Penalties by resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA, as follows:

SECTION 1. The whereas clauses above are ratified and confirmed as true and correct.

SECTION 2. The Venice City Council hereby adopts the Schedule of Violations and Penalties attached hereto as "Exhibit A".

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its approval and adoption as required by law.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE VENICE CITY COUNCIL HELD ON THE 22ND DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2020.

Ron Feinsod, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk

I, Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk of the City of Venice, Florida, a municipal corporation in Sarasota County, Florida, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and complete, true and correct copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the City of Venice Council at a meeting thereof duly convened and held on the 22nd day of September, 2020 a quorum being present.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of the said city this 22nd day of September 2020.

Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk

(SEAL)

Approved as to form:

Kelly Fernandez, City Attorney

SCHEDULE OF VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES

Ordinance/Code Violation Classification	First Offense	Applicable Civil Penalty	Subsequent Offense
Class I	Non-Contested	\$ 75.00	\$ 175.00
	Contested	\$ 175.00	\$ 375.00
Class II	Non-Contested	\$ 150.00	\$ 250.00
	Contested	\$ 250.00	\$ 450.00
Class III	Non-Contested	\$ 175.00	\$ 300.00
	Contested	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00
Class IV	Non-Contested	\$ 200.00	\$ 375.00
	Contested	\$ 375.00	\$ 500.00
City Code	Description	Class Violation	
6-40	Drinking, consuming or possessing an open container on public property.	Class III	
10-2	Dogs running at large.	Class I	
10-6	Animals in or on parks, playgrounds, school premises, public buildings or beaches.	Class I	
10-8	Removal of animal waste deposited on public or private property.	Class I	
34-62	Burning of land clearing and tree cutting debris.	Class IV	
34-81	Offensive accumulations.	Class I	
42-3	Damaging or disturbing trees, shrubbery or other plants on city property.	Class II	
42-5	Security measure requirements for owners and operators of retail gas pumps.	Class II	
46-62(a)(9)	Animals in prohibited areas.	Class II	
46-62(a)(10)	Use of tobacco products in prohibited areas.	Class II	
46-63	Fishing in swim area of Venice Municipal Beach.	Class II	
46-64	Fishing lines, bikes, shark fishing on Venice Fishing Pier.	Class III	
54-3	Prohibited dumping.	Class IV	
54-51	Storage of solid waste.	Class I	
62-1	Obstructing street drainage or drainage facilities.	Class II	
62-62	Right-of-way use.	Class II	
62-121	Sale of merchandise on public right-of-way or property without permit.	Class II	
62-124	Café permit, outside dining.	Class I	
66-102	No business tax receipt.	Class III	
70-55	Trailer not to be detached from towing vehicle while parked on street.	Class I	
74-131	Prohibited discharges.	Class IV	
86-153 thru 86-154	Dog at outdoor dining.	Class I	
86-156	Garage sales.	Class I	
86-400	Sign without obtaining a permit.	Class I	
86-405	Prohibited signs.	Class I	
86-406	Unlawful, obsolete or unsafe signs.	Class I	
86-410 thru 86-423	Off-street parking.	Class I	
86-500	Parking, storage or use of certain recreational equipment.	Class I	
86-501	Parking and storage of unlicensed vehicles; parking of commercial vehicles in residential districts.	Class I	
106-34 to 106-35	Violation of turtle lighting ordinance.	Class IV	

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106-38	Prohibition of activities disruptive to marine turtles.	Class IV
Chapter 118	Tree preservation, protection and replacement.	Class IV