

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF WEST WYOMING REGULATING
CANVASSING, PEDDLING AND /OR SOLICITING**

WHEREAS: The Borough of West Wyoming and its Council desires to regulate the canvassing, peddling and/or soliciting in the borough.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Council of the Borough of West Wyoming and it is hereby ordained by the authority of same:

Section I: Definitions

The following words and phrases when used in this ordinance shall have the meanings given to them in this section and unless the context clearly indicated otherwise:

“Borough” The Borough of West Wyoming

“Canvassing, Peddling and/or Soliciting” The taking of orders for goods, wares or merchandise, including subscriptions for magazines or other printed matter and the obtaining of contracts for home and building devices, repairs and improvements. In no manner shall this section apply to any religious or political activities or causes.

“Person” – any natural person

Section II: Permit Required

No person shall engage in canvassing, peddling and /or soliciting in the Borough for commercial purposes without first having registered and obtained a permit form the Police department.

Section III. Application: Issuance of Permit

- a. Any person desiring to engage in canvassing, peddling, and /or soliciting shall submit a written application on a form provided by the borough to the police department, during regular business hours and pay an application fee as required.
- b. The application shall state name, business address, name and address of employer, if any, what he desires to canvas, peddle and/or solicit for, the length of time he wishes to engage in this work, the make and type of vehicle, if any, he will use, its registration number and whether and by whom he is being paid. The applicant shall provide acceptable proof of identification, a copy of which will be made a part of the permit.

- c. The Police Department will issue a permit to the applicant.
- d. A permit will be valid for the balance of the calendar year in which it is issued. Such permit may not be transferred from one person to another.

Section IV: Condition of Permit

The applicant shall conduct his canvassing, peddling and /or soliciting in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the ordinances of the Borough and only during the hours of 9:00a.m. to 9:00p.m..

Section V: Exceptions

This section shall not apply to boys or girls under the age of 16 who take orders for and deliver newspapers, greeting cards, candy and the like or who represent the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts or similar organizations which take orders for cookies and the like.

Section VI: Enforcement

The police of the borough shall be charged with the responsibility of enforcing the provisions of the several sections of this section.

Section VII. Violations and Penalties:

Any person or persons, corporation, partnership or other entity whatsoever violating any of the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine not to exceed the maximum fine of \$600.00 plus costs of prosecution, and, in default of payment of such costs and prosecution, imprisonment for a term not exceeding thirty days; provided, however, that if the District Justice determines that the defendant is without the financial means to pay th fines and costs immediately or in a single remittance, such defendant shall be permitted to pay the fines or costs in installments and over such periods of time as the District Justice deems to be just.

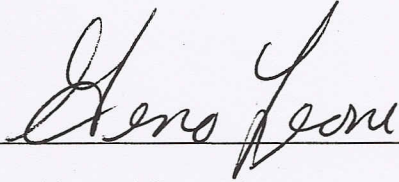
Section VIII. Severability

The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the validity of the remaining provision shall be unaffected thereby.


Section IX. Repealer

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Passed by West Wyoming Borough Council on 11th day of September, 2006 and signed by the Mayor on the 11th day of September, 2006.

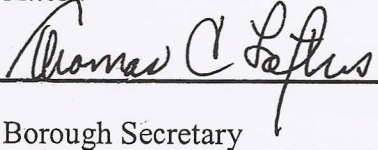


President of Council



Mayor

Attest:



Borough Secretary