

ARTICLE 725
Noise

- 725.01 Motor vehicle or all purpose vehicle noise.
- 725.02 Prohibited noise; exceptions.
- 725.99 Penalty.

CROSS REFERENCES

- Power to prohibit disorderly practices - see First Class Twp. Code Sec. 1502(9) (53 P.S. Sec. 56509)
- Motor vehicle noise control - see 75 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 4523
- Snowmobile noise control - see 75 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 7743

725.01 MOTOR VEHICLE OR ALL PURPOSE VEHICLE NOISE.

No person shall operate any motor vehicle, motorcycle, motorbike, snowmobile, trail bike or any other type of four or two wheel motor vehicle, either on public highways or on private property which are not adequately or properly equipped with mufflers in operating condition or which emit loud, unusual or unnecessary noise so as to cause discomfort and inconvenience to nearby residents of the Town and/or to visitors to the Town. (Ord. 833 Sec. 1. Passed 1-25-82.)

725.02 PROHIBITED NOISE; EXCEPTIONS.

No person or his/her agent, servant, employee, customer or invitee shall cause to be made or continue any loud, unusual or unnecessary noise, whether the same be by horns, bells, voice, hammering, grinding, singing, music, radio, television, loud speaker, dance or any form or manner of noise or sound whatsoever which either annoys, injures or endangers the comfort, repose, health or general welfare of nearby residents and/or visitors. The provisions of this section shall not apply to any mechanical device, apparatus or equipment used or connected with emergency public work and shall also not apply to the use of lawnmowers, chainsaws and other mechanical or motorized tools commonly used on residential property, provided the same shall only be used during daylight hours, but not before 8:00 a.m., prevailing time, and shall not be used in the operation of any business on the property. The provisions of this section shall also not apply to noise created by (1) normal land development and construction activities carried on during the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., and (2) snow removal equipment. (Ord. 1298. Passed 3-22-04.)

725.99 PENALTY.

Whoever violates this article shall, upon conviction thereof before a District Magistrate, be fined not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for each violation and each day such violation continues may be considered a separate offense. (Ord. 833. Sec. 3. Passed 1-25-82.)