

CHAPTER 7

FIRE PREVENTION AND FIRE PROTECTION

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[53 P.S. §46202(20): 53 P.S. §46202(6)]

§101. Police to Keep Order at Fires. The police of the Borough shall have power in case or occasion of fire to disperse all collection of idle, disorderly or suspicious persons, and otherwise to preserve order, and to prevent the commission of offenses on such occasions; and any person interfering with or refusing to obey such officers in discharging their duty shall be subject to penalty provisions of §105 hereof. (Ord. 53, 8/18/1896, §1)

§102. Care and Housing of Borough Fire Apparatus. The Borough Council shall provide a proper place, easy of access, for the fire engines and other fire apparatus belonging to the Borough, and shall see that the same are kept in good order, and ready for immediate use. (Ord. 53, 8/18/1896, §2; as amended by Ord. 957, 10/13/1986)

§103. Prohibiting Removal, Injury or Improper Use of Fire Apparatus. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to remove or make use of any fire engine or other fire apparatus belonging to the Borough otherwise than for the purpose for which such engine or apparatus is intended, or to injure, deface or destroy the same, or any part thereof. (Ord. 53, 8/18/1896, §3; as amended by Ord. 957, 10/13/1986)

§104. Stepping on or Applying External Pressure to Fire Hose Prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person wilfully to step upon or be subject to any external pressure whatsoever, any of the fire hose belonging to the Borough of Scottdale, or the Fire Department thereof, while said hose is being used at any fire or alarm of fire or for cleaning any street of the Borough. (Ord. 136, 9/6/1907; as amended by Ord. 957, 10/13/1986)

§105. Penalties. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provision of this Part 1 shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00); and/or to imprisonment for a term not to exceed ninety (90) days. Every day that a violation of this Part 1 continues shall constitute a separate offense. (Ord. 53, 8/18/1896; as amended by Ord. 136, 9/6/1907; and by Ord. 957, 10/13/1986)

