

**ASTON TOWNSHIP
DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE No. 1047

AN ORDINANCE OF ASTON TOWNSHIP, DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA REPEALING AND RESTATING SECTION 202.99 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF ASTON TOWNSHIP ENTITLED "GENERAL CODE PENALTY; COMPLICITY" TO SET FORTH PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF SECTIONS OF SAID CODIFIED ORDINANCES AND COMPLICITY WITH SUCH VIOLATIONS.

Be it ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Aston Township that:

1. Repeal and Restatement of Section 202.99. Section 202.99 of the Codified Ordinances of Aston Township (the "Code") is hereby repealed and restated to read as follows:

§ 202.99 GENERAL CODE PENALTY; COMPLICITY.

- (a) Except as otherwise set forth in any Section of this Code and in (b) below, any person violating any provision of this Code shall be liable for a civil penalty not to exceed \$600 per violation.
- (b) Violation of any Section of this Code regulating building, housing, property maintenance, health, fire, public safety, parking, solicitation, curfew or water, air or noise pollution shall be enforced by a criminal action in the same manner provided for the enforcement of summary offenses under the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure. Chapters of this Code subject to this subsection shall include, but not be limited to: 660; 680; 1420; 1426; 1428; 1440; 1442; 1444; 1446; 1448; 1450; 1452; 1460; 1610; 1804; 1808; 1816; 1824; 1828; 1844; 1856; 1860; and 1868. Violators of any Section covered by this subsection shall be subject to a criminal fine not to exceed \$1,000 per violation and imprisonment to the extent allowed by law for the punishment of a summary offense.
- (c) A separate violation shall arise for:
 - a. each day of violation; and
 - b. each Code Section violated.

(d) The penalties provided by this Section shall be in addition to any fee, deposit, charge, surcharge, interest, insurance or bond requirement or equitable remedy provided in this Code or available to the Township under the First Class Township Code, at law or in equity.

(e) Every person who commits or aids or abets in the commission of any act declared in this Code to be an offense, whether individually or in concert with another person, or as principal, agent or accessory shall be guilty of such offense. Every person who falsely, fraudulently, forcibly or willfully induces, causes coerces, requires, permits or directs another to violate any provision of these codified ordinances or any other ordinance of the Township shall likewise be guilty of such offense.

2. Repealer. All Ordinances, Resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions directly inconsistent with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies only.

3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its enactment by the Aston Township Board of Commissioners.

ENACTED and ORDAINED this ___ day of _____ 2025

COMMISSIONERS ASTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF

Michael J. Higgins
President

Attest:

Kelly A. Pippin
Secretary