

ORDINANCE NO. 6

TITLE V. Public Order, Safety & Health.

Title. An Ordinance establishing a Smoke-Free Courthouse of  
Butler County, Iowa.

Be It Enacted by the Board of Supervisors of Butler County, Iowa:

SECTION 1. Purpose. This ordinance provides for the establishment of a Smoke-Free Courthouse Building pursuant to Chapter 142B of the Iowa Code, 1993, in the interest of the general health of the Butler County employees and the visitors to the Butler County Courthouse Building.

SECTION 2. Smoking prohibited in the Courthouse. No person shall smoke in any of the areas of the Butler County Courthouse Building, except where permitted.

SECTION 3. Permitted smoking areas. There are no areas where smoking is permitted in the Butler County Courthouse Building.

SECTION 4. Penalty. Any person found in violation of this ordinance shall be subject to a civil fine of \$25.00, to be deposited in the County Treasury, without surcharge or court costs, as provided by Iowa Code Sections 142B.6 and 805.8(11).

SECTION 5. Failure to pay fine. Any person failing to pay the civil fine in a timely manner may be charged with a criminal offense and a warrant may be issued for the person's arrest pursuant to Iowa Code Sections 805.8(11) and 804.1.


SECTION 6. Removal of receptacles for smoking. All ash trays and similar tobacco receptacles shall be removed from the premises of the County Courthouse Building by the effective date of this ordinance.

SECTION 7. Repealer. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

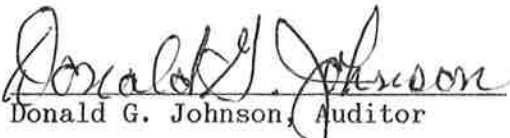
SECTION 8. Severability. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 9. Effective date. This ordinance shall be effective the upon the ordinance's final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed and approved this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1993.

  
Vern Echelberger, Chairman  
Butler County  
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

  
Donald G. Johnson, Auditor