

Ordinance #3

Section 1.

That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation owning or having a present interest in any real estate in the Borough of Deer Lake to permit weeds and similar vegetation, not edible or planted for some useful or ornamental purpose to grow or remain on the premises owned by them in the Borough of Deer Lake, and all such vegetation are hereby declared to be nuisances and detrimental to the health, safety, and comfort of the inhabitants of the Borough.

Section 2.

All weeds or other vegetation permitted to grow or remain contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, shall be cut and removed by or under the direction of the President of Council or Borough Engineer, or other person designated by Council, and the cost thereof together with the penalties provided by law, shall be collected by lien or by action in assumpsit, or any such other manner as may be provided by law.

Section 3.

Any person violating this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than five (\$5.00) Dollars or more than twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, for each offense, and it is hereby declared that each refusal or neglect to comply with the terms of this ordinance shall be considered a separate violation thereof, and notice to the offender by the Borough shall not be necessary in order to constitute an offense, and in default of payment of the fine be committed to the Schuylkill County Prison for a period not exceeding 24 hours.

Approved: July 8th, 1937