

Village of Almena, WI  
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## Chapter 191. Open Sales and Storage Areas

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Almena as Ch. 17 of the former Village Code. Amendments noted where applicable.]

### § 191-1. Definitions.

As used in this chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

#### **OPEN SALES AREA**

Any outside area used or occupied for the purpose of displaying for sale or trade new or secondhand merchandise, not enclosed or screened from public view.

#### **OPEN STORAGE AREA**

Any outside area used or occupied for the purpose of storage of any product, or part of any product, either before, during or after manufacture, servicing, or repair, and not displayed for retail sale.

### § 191-2. Prohibitions; exceptions.

- A. No open sales area shall be allowed except for Village licensed/permitted automobile, farm equipment, and home improvement and accessory sellers. License/permit shall be granted upon application to the Board and payment of such fee and upon such other conditions as the Board sets from time to time.
- B. No open storage areas shall be allowed except by permit from the Village. Permits shall be granted upon application to the Board and payment of such fee and upon such terms as the Board sets from time to time.
- C. This chapter shall not prohibit, nor require a permit for, activities commonly and variously known as "yard sales," "garage sales," "rummage sales" and the like, as long as no person holds such sales more than three times in any twelve-month period.  
[Amended at time of adoption of Code (see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. II)]

### § 191-3. Violations and penalties.

- A. Any person, corporation or other entity violating this chapter shall be subject to a forfeiture of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 for each violation.
- B. Each day, or part thereof, that a violation of this chapter occurs is a separate offense subject to the penalty set forth.