CHAPTER XIII

STREET EXCAVATIONS, OCCUPANCY AND PRIVILEGES

SECTION 13.00. <u>Permit Required</u>. No person shall do any of the following without a permit from the Town Chairman:

- a. Erect, construct, place or maintain, or cause to be erected, constructed, placed or maintained, any telephone, telegraph or electric light pole or poles of any scaffold, platform, bay window, sign or canopy, wood or glass awning, any extension of a building or any rope, wire or chain within or over any street, sidewalk, or other public ground.
- b. Excavate for and build, or cause to be excavated for and built, any cellar, vault, coal bin or other room under any sidewalk or street in front of his store or place of business.
- c. Injure or tear up any pavement, sidewalk, crosswalk, drain or sewer, or any part thereof, or dig any hole, ditch, or drain in any street, pavement or sidewalk.
- d. Place or cause to be placed any stones, timber, lumber, planks, boards or other materials for building or any hoisting machine or other machinery used for building purposes in or upon any street, sidewalk or other public ground. If a permit is issued that allows any pavement to be disrupted, the permit shall require that the person to whom a permit has been granted shall fill the excavation, including four (4) feet beyond the edges of the disrupted pavement, with a slurry and shall re-pave the excavation in conformity with the standards set forth in the Town of Lyons Ordinance Chapter IV, "Dedication and Construction of Streets and Roads."
- e. Build or repair any building next to or adjoining any street or sidewalk, whereby material may be placed or work performed within such street or sidewalk.
- f. Move or cause to be removed any building upon, within, along over or across any street, sidewalk, alley or other public ground.
- g. Attach or fasten any object to any street lightpost.
- 13.01. No such permit shall authorize the obstruction of more than one-third of the street opposite the premises for which such permit is granted.

13.02. All persons to whom a permit for any obstruction has been granted shall keep such excavation or obstruction properly guarded by day and lighted at night.

SECTION 13.10. Applications. Every person applying for a written permit shall present his application in writing to the Town Chairman and pay a fee of \$20.00. Such application shall be signed by the applicant or his duly authorized agent, shall state his name and place of residence, the purpose or work for which such permit is desired, the period of time at which such work is to be begun and finished, and the location thereof. application shall also contain an agreement on his part that in case a permit is granted, he will conform to and comply with all of the rules and regulations of the Town pertaining to the work or purpose for which the permit is asked and that he will keep and save the Town free and harmless from any damages of claims against it by reason of any failure, fault, or neglect of himself, his agents, servants, or employees in the execution of the work or exercise of the privilege for which such permit is granted.

SECTION 13.20. <u>Exemptions</u>. No authorized Town employee or person having a contract with the Town for doing any work on any street, sidewalk, alley, park or other public ground within the Town shall be required to obtain a written permit for any work required to be done or included in such contract.

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