

CHAPTER 14
PUBLIC SAFETY
ARTICLE 1
PUBLIC NUISANCES

§14-101. Purpose

The purpose of this Article is to prohibit as public nuisances, the use of any building or part of a building for the purposes of fornication, lewdness, assignation, or prostitution and to provide procedures to abate the same (and penalties for violations thereof).

Ord. No. 2-1989, 4/3/89.

§14-102. General

- A. Any building, or part of a building, used openly for fornication, lewdness, assignation and/or prostitution which constitutes a nuisance in fact is hereby declared unlawful.
- B. Any building, or parts of buildings, which are found in violation of this Article hereof are hereby declared to be public nuisances and may be abated as described.

Ord. No. 2-1989, 4/3/89.

§14-103. Violations and Penalties

Any person, individual, partnership, firm, association, corporation, or other legal entity who violates any provision of this Article shall be deemed guilty of a summary offense and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and costs, and to undergo imprisonment of not more than thirty (30) days. Such conviction, fine and costs, however, shall not preclude the Township from abatement of the nuisance on either public or private grounds after notice, and in default thereof to collect the costs of such removal and/or abatement.

Ord. No. 2-1989, 4/3/89.