

CITY OF GENOA
DEKALB COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NO. 2017 - 26

ADOPTED BY
THE MAYOR AND
CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF GENOA

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY CODE
TITLE 5, CHAPTER 4, SECTION 18

Adopted September 5, 2017, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Genoa
DeKalb County, Illinois, and approved and published in pamphlet form
this 5th day of September 2017.

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THE CITY OF GENOA TITLE 5, CHAPTER 4, SECTION 18

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the CITY OF GENOA, DeKalb County, Illinois, as follows:

WHEREAS, it is necessary from time to time to amend the City Code to remain up-to-date with changing practices and community standards; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire and intention of the Council of the City of Genoa to more adequately address the needs of the citizens of Genoa; and

WHEREAS, The City of Genoa has heretofore adopted an ordinance relating to the offense of theft of property valued at \$500.00 or less;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Municipal Code of the City of Genoa be amended as follows:

SECTION 1: That Title 5, Chapter 4, Section 18 read:

5-4-18 THEFT:

A. Offense of Theft: An act of theft is committed when a person knowingly commits one or more of the following acts enumerated herein and the value of the property does not exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00):

1. Obtains or exerts unauthorized control over property of the owner; or
2. Obtains by deception control over property of the owner; or
3. Obtains by threat control over property of the owner; or
4. Obtains control over stolen property knowing the property to have been stolen or under such circumstances as would reasonably induce him or her to believe that the property was stolen; or
5. Obtains or exerts control over property in the custody of any law enforcement agency which a law enforcement officer or any individual acting in behalf of a law enforcement agency explicitly represents to the person as being stolen or represents to the person such circumstances as would reasonably induce the person to believe that the property was stolen; and

6. Intends to deprive the owner permanently of the use or benefit of the property; or

7. Knowingly uses, conceals or abandons the property in such manner as to deprive the owner permanently of such use or benefit; or

8. Uses, conceals, or abandons the property knowing such use, concealment or abandonment probably will deprive the owner permanently of such use or benefit.

B. Any person who violates this section and has been issued a citation, signed by a City Law Enforcement Officer, shall be required to make restitution to the owner and shall also be fined in accordance with section 1-4-1.

C. Any minor under the age of eighteen (18) years of age who violates this section and has been issued a citation, signed by a City Law Enforcement Officer, is required to attend a mandatory court appearance in accordance with section 1-4-1.

SECTION 2: That Title 1, Chapter 4, Section 1 shall be amended to add the following:

5-4-18-B Theft	\$200
5-4-18-C Theft Committed by a Minor	Mandatory

SECTION 3: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and following its passage and approval.

AYES: 7 - Carroll, DiGuido, Stevenson, Winter, Cravatta, Brust, Lang

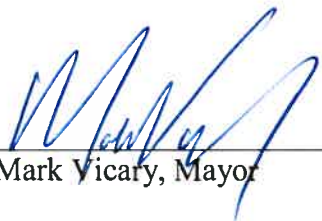
NAYES: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

ABSENT: 1 - Wesner

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Genoa, DeKalb County, Illinois this 5 day of September, 2017.

Approved by me this 5th day of Sept., 2017.



Mark Vicary, Mayor



(SEAL)

ATTESTED and filed in my office this 7th day of September, 2017.

Kim Winker, City Clerk