

ORDINANCE NO. 1983-15

WHEREAS, it is the purpose of the governing body of the Town of Boswell to maintain the public sidewalks of the Town in a safe condition free from obstruction for the use and convenience of the citizens and pedestrians:

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Boswell, Benton County, Indiana:

(1) That after legal publication of this Ordinance and on and after June 1, 1972, it shall be declared a nuisance and unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, or legal entity to obstruct or block any portion of any public sidewalk with any object or article which will prevent the full use of said sidewalk by citizens desiring to use the same.

(2) Section (1) above shall not apply to the temporary obstruction of sidewalks in unloading, loading, or moving merchandise or other property. Section (1) shall not apply to barriers erected for the safety of pedestrians when any sidewalk is under construction or repair, nor upon such occasions as a substantial number of merchants of the town conduct "sidewalk" sales.

(3) Violation of the provisions of Section (1) above not excepted by Section (2) shall constitute a nuisance and on conviction such violator shall be fined the sum of \$10.00 with each day of violation constituting a separate offense.

BLOCKING SIDEWALK