

ORDINANCE NO. 310

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF  
MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, PRO-  
HIBITING PEDDLERS WITHIN SAID  
CITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES  
FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, peddlers of fruit, vegetables, meats, poultry, eggs, butter, and other produce, products, and articles, within the City of Miami Beach, Florida, have become a public nuisance and detrimental to the health, safety, peace, and general welfare of said City for the reason that

They sell under unsanitary conditions articles which by reason thereof are unfit for consumption and use; and

Sales are often accompanied by cheating, fraud, and misrepresentation;

That said City has a large geographical area with a relatively small population in the summer and a large population in the winter; that in the summer many hotels, apartment houses, and homes are closed, and that many persons adopt the guise of peddlers for the sole purpose of visiting said homes, apartment houses and hotels for the sole purpose of obtaining information thereof, or obtaining admittance thereto in furtherance of some criminal or unlawful object or design, the present economic situation making it impossible to maintain an adequate police force for proper protection of the aforesaid conditions at all times;

That they cry their wares in a manner that disturbs the peace and quietness of the residential portion of said City, which is one of our greatest assets; and

That by reason of their numbers that, frequently, with their vehicles, and otherwise, obstruct traffic,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the above, and to promote the health, safety, peace, and general welfare of the City of Miami Beach, Florida,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1: It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in the business of peddling at retail within the City of Miami Beach, Florida.

SECTION 2: Any persons violating this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than Five Dollars (\$5.00) and not more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), or be confined in the City Jail of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, for not more than thirty (30) days, or both within the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20th day of October,  
A. D. 1932.

Richard Mead  
President of City Council

ATTEST:

C. W. Tomlinson  
City Clerk

APPROVED by me this 25th day of October, A. D.,  
1932.

Val. C. Cleary  
Mayor

First Reading, October 12th, 1932.  
Second Reading, October 12th, 1932.  
Third Reading, October 20th, 1932.  
Posted, October 25th, 1932.

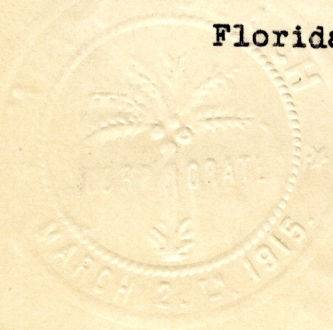


STATE OF FLORIDA)

COUNTY OF DADE )

I, C.W. TOMLINSON, City Clerk in and for the City of Miami Beach, Florida, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 310, entitled " AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, PROHIBITING PEDDLERS WITHIN SAID CITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF " having been duly passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, has been posted by me in three conspicuous places in the City of Miami Beach, one of which was at the door of the City Hall in said City on the 25th day of October, A.D., 1932, and that said ordinance remained posted for a period of at least thirty days in accordance with the City Charter of the said City of Miami Beach.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, on this the 14th day of December, A.D., 1932.

  
C. W. Tomlinson  
City Clerk

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