



# Lake County Illinois

## Legislation Text

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Ordinance amending Chapter 131: the Curfew Ordinance, of the Lake County Code.

- The Lake County Board adopted the Lake County Curfew Ordinance establishing curfew for minors throughout Lake County on December 18, 1961.
- Amendments clarifying provisions and providing administrative adjudication as an additional enforcement mechanism are needed.
- These changes are part of an overall set of ordinance amendments and proposed ordinances by the Lake County Sheriff's Office.

### **ORDINANCE**

**WHEREAS**, the County Board adopted the Lake County Curfew Ordinance for unincorporated Lake County on December 18, 1961 and incorporated Chapter 131 into the Lake County Code; and

**WHEREAS**, 55 ILCS 5/5-1078, statutorily bestows the capability to a County Board to establish a curfew for minors applicable throughout such county, except within the corporate limits of any city, village, or incorporated town; and

**WHEREAS**, the Lake County Sheriff's Office, is making recommendations for changes to the Ordinance to clarify certain provisions and provide for administrative adjudication as an enforcement mechanism; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to 55 ILCS 5/5-43005, specified counties including, Lake County, were given authority to create a system of administrative adjudication for any violation of a county ordinance; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 13, 2011, the Lake County Board adopted the Lake County Administrative Adjudication Ordinance.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that the amendment of this ordinance, attached as Exhibit A hereto and made part of this Ordinance, be adopted and be made effective May 1, 2015.

**DATED**, at WAUKEGAN, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, on this 14th day of April, A.D., 2015.