ORDINANCE NO. B-384

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XI, ARTICLE 2, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, KANSAS, ADDING THERETO SEC. 11-204, MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO LOITER IN CERTAIN PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, KANSAS:

Section 1. Chapter XI, Article 2, of the Code of Ordinance of the City of Victoria, Kansas, is hereby amended by adding thereto Sec. 11-204, to read as follows:

Sec. 11-204. Loitering. It shall be unlawful for any person to loaf or loiter along any street, alley, park, schoolhouse, school yard, church or church yard or other public building or place or about the doorway of any hotel, restaurant, store, or other business house in the city between the hours of ten (10:00) P.M. and seven (7:00) A.M. of any day without having lawful business or cause to be in any such place. All such persons found loafing or loitering in or about any of the places named herein at the hours specified shall upon being warned or ordered by any police officer of the city to disperse or move on and who shall fail to observe the directions of any such officer of the city lawfully given shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or be imprisoned for not less than five (5) days or more than thirty (30) days or be both so fined and imprisoned.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Ellis County Star, the official city newspaper.

PASSED by the Governing Body on July 8, 1996.

Allen P. Dreiling, Mayor

ATTEST:

Alice K. Sander, City Clerk