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130.01 DEFINITIONS.

For the purpose of this chapter, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

PUBLIC NUDITY. As used in this chapter means knowingly or intentionally displaying in a public place any individual's genitals or anus with less than a fully opaque covering, or any female individual's breast with less than a fully opaque covering of the nipple and areola, for payment or promise of payment.

PUBLIC PLACE. As used in this chapter means any premises within the township used or controlled in whole or in part for the purpose of displaying an individual's genitals, anus or female breast for payment or promise of payment, and which is open to the general public as a business, club or association.
(Ord. 21, passed 9-10-1996)

130.02 PROHIBITED.

(A) No person, corporation, business, club or association shall knowingly or intentionally cause, promote, invite, employ or encourage any person to knowingly or intentionally display in a public place for payment or promise of payment his or her genitals or anus with less than a fully opaque covering, or her female with less than a fully opaque covering of the nipple and areola.

(B) No person shall knowingly or intentionally display his or her genitals or anus in a public place for payment or promise or payment with less than a fully opaque covering.

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(C) No female shall knowingly or intentionally display her breast in a public place for payment or promise of payment with less than a fully opaque covering of the nipple and areola. A woman's breast feeding of a baby does not under any circumstances constitute public nudity within the purview of this chapter.

(Ord. 21, passed 9-10-1996) Penalty, see 130.99

130.03 PUBLIC NUISANCE.

Any premises, building, dwelling or other structure in which public nudity as defined in this chapter is offered, promoted, allowed or encouraged shall constitute a public nuisance, and shall be subject to civil abatement proceedings initiated by the township before the circuit court.

(Ord. 21, passed 9-10-1996)

130.99 PENALTY.

Violation of 130.02 shall be a misdemeanor punishable as provided in 130.03.

(Ord. 21, passed 9-10-1996)