

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 08-0254
(First Reader)**

Introduced by: Councilmembers Kraft, Henry, D'Adamo, Curran

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Assigned to: Judiciary and Legislative Investigations Committee

REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: City Solicitor, Police Department, Department of Finance

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning

2 **Street Regulations – Sand, Water, etc.**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing obsolete or otherwise unnecessary provisions dealing with the use
4 of sand and other materials on streets and alleys and with the discharge of water on repaved
5 streets.

6 BY repealing

7 Article 19 - Police Ordinances

8 Subtitle 50, Part 9, in its entirety

9 Baltimore City Code

10 (Edition 2000)

11 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That the
12 Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

13 **Baltimore City Code**

14 **Article 19. Police Ordinances**

15 **Subtitle 50. Street Regulations**

16 [*Part 9. Sand, Water, etc.*]

17 [**§ 50-61. Sand, ashes, etc., prohibited on streets.**

18 (a) *In general.*

19 It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, or corporation, to deposit or scatter sand,
20 ashes, or other matter on any part of the streets or alleys of the City of Baltimore,
21 excepting sidewalks thereof, in time of ice or sleet.

22 (b) *Exceptions.*

23 Provided, that nothing in this section shall be construed as to prevent street railway
24 companies from placing sand on their rails at heavy grades.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 (c) *Penalties.*

2 Any person or persons, or corporation, violating the provisions of this section shall forfeit
3 and pay a fine of \$10 for each and every offense, to be recovered as other fines and
4 forfeitures for the violation of City ordinances are recovered.]

5 **[§ 50-62. Water on repaved streets.**

6 (a) *In general.*

7 It shall not be lawful for any person or persons or body corporate to discharge or permit
8 to be discharged, any water from any street washer or hose on the sidewalk or street bed
9 of any portion of any street while such portion of said street is being repaved, nor for 2
10 weeks after such repaving has been completed.

11 (b) *Penalties.*

12 Any person or persons or body corporate violating the provisions of this section shall
13 forfeit and pay the sum of \$10 for each and every such offense, to be recovered as other
14 fines and penalties are recovered.]

15 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance
16 are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior
17 Ordinance.

18 **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day
19 after the date it is enacted.