

## Ordinance No. 110. X

An Ordinance, providing sanitary regulations for Calaveras County, California, and prescribing the penalty for the violation thereof.

Section 1: It shall be unlawful for any person being a resident within any unincorporated town or village in Calaveras County, to have upon his, her or their premises or permit to accumulate upon the half of any street or alley contiguous thereto, or upon any ditch or canal supplying the inhabitants of any town or village with water for drinking purposes, or contiguous to said ditch or canal, any filth or sewerage, or to have any deposit of excrement or other filth or public nuisance upon either, or to permit such premises to become in any manner filthy or in an unhealthy or unsanitary condition, or in any manner to pollute the waters of any such canal or ditches.

Section 2: It is hereby made the duty of the County Health Officer to serve written notices upon any and all persons, residents of said Calaveras County, who maintain or permit on their premises or permit to accumulate upon the half of any street or alley contiguous thereto, any filth or rubbish or any deposit of excrement or other filth, or to permit such premises on the half of any street or alley contiguous thereto, to become in any manner in a filthy, unhealthy or unsanitary condition, or who in any manner maintain any sewerage or nuisance which pollutes the waters of any ditch or canal supplying the inhabitants of any unincorporated town or village in Calaveras County with water for drinking purposes;

And it is further made the duty of the said County Health Officer to prosecute any and all persons neglecting or refusing to abate any of the nuisances mentioned in this section or in Section one of this Ordinance.

Any person who maintains any of the nuisances aforesaid, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and each day that any or all persons maintaining or permitting any of the aforesaid nuisances to exist, after having been notified by the said County Health Officer, shall be deemed a separate and distinct offence.

Section 3: It is the duty of the Constable of every township in Calaveras County to inspect the premises of every street, alley or vacant lot within the limits of his township, at least once during each month and in case that he finds that any premises or the half of any streets or alleys contiguous thereto have upon them any filth or rubbish or any deposit of excrement or other filth, he shall give written notice to the owner or occupant of such premises to remove the same; and in case the same be not removed within three days thereafter, he shall cause it to be done and such premises thoroughly cleaned in the manner directed by the County Health Officer, at the expense of the owner or occupant, including a reasonable fee to be allowed by the Board of Supervisors as other bills against the County, for each premises so cleaned by him;

And it is the duty of said County Health Officer to give written directions to such Constable as to how he shall cleanse such premises, and such County Health Officer, shall, at the request of any citizen, examine any premises and require such Constable to cleanse the same and see that such cleansing is properly and efficiently done. Any Constable failing or neglecting to carry out the provisions of this Section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 4: If the Constable cannot find the owner or occupant of any premises within the limits of the town, for personal service of the notice hereinabove mentioned, such notice may be served by posting the same upon some conspicuous place upon such premises.

Section 5: The County Health Officer of the County of Calaveras, is hereby authorized and empowered to quarantine any person or persons afflicted or deemed to be afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease, for such length of time as he shall deem advisable;

The said County Health Officer is also authorized and empowered to quarantine or cause to be quarantined any and all persons who have been exposed or any and all persons whom he has reason to believe have been exposed to a contagious or infectious disease. The said quarantine shall continue for such time as said Health

Officer shall deem advisable; He is further authorized and empowered to remove any person or persons afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease to such place or places, quarter or quarters, as he may deem necessary in order to protect the public health; He is further authorized and empowered to cause to be disinfected any and all buildings or things of whatever kind, which, in his judgment, may require disinfection;

And it shall be the duty of every owner or lessee of a building or thing required to be disinfected by the County Health Officer to disinfect said building or thing forthwith, in accordance with the instructions of the said County Health Officer.

Section 6: The said County Health Officer, for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this ordinance, may employ such guards, and procure necessary supplies, as may in his judgment be required for making the quarantine hereinabove authorized, effective, and the expense of such guards, and supplies shall be a County Charge.

Section 7: Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, or any of the orders of the said County Health Officer or any quarantine regulations ordered by such Health Officer shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than three months or by a fine of not less than ten dollars or more than one hundred dollars, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 8: The District Attorney of Calaveras County is hereby directed to draw all notices and perform all legal services required by any Constable or the County Health Officer in carrying out any of the provisions of this Ordinance, and he is authorized to enter suit against all persons for the expenses incurred by the Constable in carrying out the provisions of Section Null of this Ordinance.

Section 9: It shall be the duty of every Physician or Surgeon of Calaveras County to immediately notify and report to the County Health Officer the name and residence of any person or persons afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease, that they may be called

upon to attend or prescribe for. Every Physician or Surgeon failing to comply with this section is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 10: This Ordinance before taking effect shall be published for one week in the Calaveras Prospect, a newspaper published in said county of Calaveras and shall take effect and be in force on and after the 26th day of July, 1900.

Passed and approved by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Calaveras, State of California this 11th day of July, 1900, by the following vote, viz:

Ayes: Supervisors, J. St. Roberts, W. M. Burkson  
H. B. Stigand, J. C. Stigate.

Noes, none.

Absent J. A. Lott,

H. B. Stigand, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

Attest.

J. S. Jack, Clerk.

By W. M. McLary, Deputy Clerk.

Filed and recorded this 11th day of July, 1900.

J. S. Jack, Clerk.

Witnessed

Filed July 11th 1900.

J. S. Jack, Clerk

By W. M. McLary Deputy.