

# TOWN OF BELVILLE

## CRIMINAL ORDINANCES CHART

<b>Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)</b>	<b>Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance</b>	<b>Other Notes</b>
Article 22, Section 22.1 (Garage Sales)	Garage Sales in residential districts limited to certain hours (8AM to 8PM) and not more than 2 days, 2 times per year	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.*
Article 22, Section 22.2 (Adult Entertainment)	Adult entertainment establishments not to be located within 1500' of certain other types of establishments, as described in the Ordinance	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.*
Article 22, Section 22.3 (Public Nuisances)	(1) Property Maintenance--maintaining properties with various types of unsanitary, unsafe or otherwise hazardous conditions. (3) Animals--failure to vaccinate dogs or cats, and letting animals run-at-large resulting in damage to properties or injury to persons. (4) Noise Disturbances--causing or creating noise disturbances (as described in the Ordinance) which are excessive, loud and unnecessary.	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.*
Article 22, Section 22.4 (Livestock and Exotic Animals)	Exotic Animals prohibited, and requiring permitting (with density limits) for the keeping of livestock.	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.*
Article 22, Section 22.5 (Firearms)	Discharge of firearms (except by law enforcement or in connection with licensed shooting gallery) prohibited.	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.*
Article 22, Section 22.6 (Swimming pools)	Requiring enclosures and imposing other requirements for swimming pools.	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.*
Article 22, Section 22.7 (Electronic Gaming)	Regulating number of machines, location and hours of operation for electronic gaming operations.	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.

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Article 22, Section 22.8 (Temporary Uses)	Regulating temporary uses and requiring permits, including for temporary food establishments	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.
Article 22, Section 22.9 (Expressive Conduct)	Requiring a notice to be provided to Town and Sheriff's Department for gatherings of 10 or more persons for "expressive conduct" (as defined in the Ordinance) and requiring that it not block or otherwise interfere with pedestrian or vehicular traffic	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.
Article 22, Section 22.10 (Emergency Management)	Authorizing the Town Board to declare State of Emergency and providing for criminal enforcement of violations of restrictions imposed during declared state of emergency	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200. Also authorizing civil penalties up to \$500
Article 22, Section 22.11 (Golf Carts)	Requiring inspection and registration of golf carts if they are used on roadways within the Town, and restricting use to persons 16 and older.	Punishable as Class 3 misdemeanor or infraction, with fines ranging from \$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> offense) to not more than \$200.

\*As of 5/10/21