

**CODE SECTION****DESCRIPTION OF PROHIBITED CONDUCT**

Sec. 5-2	Unlawful to emit unreasonably loud or raucous noise to endanger health or seriously disturb
Sec. 5-3	List of specific noises declared unlawful in addition to generality of Sec. 5-2
Sec. 5-4	Unlawful to do following in residential are or w/in 300' of any dwelling: operate garage, service station, construction machinery, lawn mowers or other tools b/w 11:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m.
Sec. 5-6	Unlawful to exceed noises in Sec. 5-2 without a permit; process to get permit
Sec. 5-8	Unlawful to fire or discharge dangerous weapons in City; unlawful to carry weapon on city premises
Sec. 5-9	Unlawful to operate public enterprise w/o franchise from City
Sec. 5-10	Unlawful to possess or consume alcohol upon public street, sidewalk, alley, parking lot, etc. subject to exceptions listed therein
Sec. 5-11	Unlawful to sell alcohol before 10:00 a.m. on Sunday
Sec. 5-12	No person can build or impound any lake or pond without approval from planning commission
Sec. 5-13	No person may spit on any sidewalk, on the floor of any public building, or on the floor of any public conveyance
Sec. 5-14 (a)	No person may enter upon municipally owned or operated properties or facilities except when the property or facility is open during regular hours
Sec 5-14 (b)	No person may refuse to leave any municipally owned or operated property or facility when asked to leave for listed reasons
Sec. 5-15	No person can sell goods or merchandise within city parks or other recreational facilities except as provided therein
Sec. 5-16	Wrecker companies cannot solicit business from accident scenes
Sec. 5-17	Unlawful to ask, beg, solicit, or offer to work for money by accosting or forcing oneself upon another
Sec. 5-18	Indecent exposure
Sec. 5-19	Unlawful to urinate or defecate on any public place, sidewalk, street, alleyway or right of way or in any public building, except in bathrooms, or on private property
Sec. 5-20	Unlawful to loiter with the intent to violate the NC Controlled Substance Act including factors to consider in assessing intent
Sec. 5-21	Unlawful to smoke, carry or possess burning tobacco in any vehicle, public building or facility owned or leased or occupied by the City
Sec. 5-22	Events including but not limited to carnivals, circuses and rodeos may be permitted by City Council approval
Sec. 5-23	Unlawful to ride skateboard, roller skates or scooters in places in the city including on the sidewalk
Sec. 5-24	Registered sex offenders are prohibited in public recreational facilities except if its being used as a polling location
Sec. 5-25	Prohibition on graffiti
Sec. 5-26 (g)	Unlawful to obstruct city's removal of graffiti
Sec. 6-16	At established intersection, unlawful to turn right on red
Sec 6-19	Unlawful to drive incorrect direction on a designated one-way street
Sec. 6-21 (a)	Unlawful to make U-turn upon any street except at the end of a dead-end street
Sec. 6-21 (b)	Unlawful to make turns contrary to the directions of any traffic control device
Sec. 6-22	Unlawful to pass in designated no passing areas
Sec. 6-23 (b)	Unlawful to fail or to refuse to keep vehicle with the boundaries of marked traffic lanes except when lawfully passing

Sec. 6-23 (c)	No person may drive on any section of street marked for parking unless entering or leaving a parking space
Sec. 6-24	No person may drive any truck except on designated truck routes and/or to extent necessary to load or unload goods, etc.
Sec. 6-25	No person may ride on any vehicle or upon any portion not designated or intended for the use of passengers. This does not include truck beds.
Sec. 6-26	Unlawful to follow an emergency vehicle closer than 500'
Sec. 6-27	Unlawful to back a vehicle unless it can be done safely and unlawful to back a vehicle a distance greater than 150'
Sec. 6-28	Unlawful to board or alight from a moving vehicle; unlawful to permit anyone from doing this
Sec. 6-29	Taxicab or buses are not to allow passengers to depart from taxi or bus on the side of street available to moving vehicles.
Sec. 6-30	Unlawful to open door of motor vehicle on side available to moving traffic unless safe to do so, nor can you leave door open unless safe to do so
Sec. 6-31	Unlawful to drive on sidewalk , other property, or through gasoline filling station to avoid an official traffic control device.
Sec. 6-32	Unlawful to enter intersection or crosswalk unless sufficient space on other side to accommodate vehicle w/o obstructing passage of other vehicles or pedestrians
Sec. 6-47	Unlawful to drive through or over a safety zone
Sec. 6-61 (a)	A person propelling a bicycle shall not ride other than astride a permanent and regular seat attached thereto
Sec. 6-61 (b)	No bicycle shall be used to carry more persons at one time than the number for which it is designed
Sec. 6-62 (a)	Every person operating a bicycle shall ride as near to the right side of roadway as practical, exercising due care when passing a vehicle
Sec. 6-62 (b)	Persons riding bicycles upon roadway shall not ride more than two abreast except on path or parts of roadways set aside exclusively for bicycles
Sec. 6-62 (c)	Bicycle riders must use a path if it is provided adjacent to a roadway
Sec. 6-62 (d)	Unlawful to ride a bicycle on premises of any municipal building, except in parking lots adjacent to the buildings. Unlawful to ride bike on sidewalk in central business district.
Sec. 6-63	No person 16 yrs. or older may ride a bicycle on any sidewalk in city; no person under 16 may ride on designated sidewalks; if riding on sidewalk must yield to pedestrians
Sec. 6-64	No person operating a bike may carry any package or bundle which prevents rider from keeping at least one hand upon handlebars.
Sec. 6-65	Every bicycle must have a light for night; every bicycle must be equipped with a bell; no person may operate a bike unless equipped with a brake
Sec. 6-82	Unlawful to allow a train to remain on or over any of the public street crossing within the city longer than 5 minutes
Sec. 6-83	Persons driving vehicles shall obey train signal devices and shall stop within 50' but not less than 15' of the nearest rail; no person may drive around railroad crossing gates or barriers
Sec. 6-101	No person may drive a vehicle on a street or in a public vehicular area in excess of 35 mph unless a different speed is established.
Sec. 6-102	No person may operate a vehicle in excess of the posted speed limit
Sec. 6-103	Trains cannot operate at a rate of speed greater than 25 mph b/w Broad Street and York Street. Outside this, trains must operate at a speed that is reasonable and proper
Sec. 6-175	Unlawful to deposit or attempt to deposit slug, button or any other device in a parking meter

Sec. 6-176	No person shall deface, injure, tamper with, open, destroy or impair the usefulness of any parking meter
Sec. 6-184 (a)	No valet parking is allowed without a permit
Sec. 6-184 (c)	Unlawful for a valet operator to stop or direct traffic
Sec. 6-222 (a)	No person using roller skates, or riding a skateboard, coaster, sled, tricycle, etc. shall go upon roadway except while crossing a street or if designated for such use
Sec. 6-222 (b)	No person using roller skates, or riding a skateboard, coaster, sled, tricycle, etc. shall go upon sidewalk adjacent to designated streets
Sec. 6-222 (c)	No person using roller skates, or riding a skateboard, coaster, sled, tricycle, etc. shall attach himself or such a vehicle or device to any moving motor vehicle
Sec. 6-224 (a)	No person may place or display an unauthorized sign, signal or device which attempts to direct the movement of traffic or interferes with an official traffic sign or signal
Sec. 6-224 (b)	No commercial advertising is allowed upon any highway traffic sign or signal
Sec. 6-225 (a)	No person may alter a traffic ticket
Sec. 6-225 (b)	No person may remove a traffic ticket from a vehicle expect for the purpose of answering the charge for which it was issued
Sec. 6-228 (a)	Unlawful for a person to stand, sit or loiter in any street or highway including the shoulders or median and to stop or attempt to stop vehicle for purpose of soliciting or for purpose of selling or distributing merchandise
Sec. 6-228 (b)	Unlawful for a person to stand, sit or loiter in any street or highway including shoulders or median and to solicit or accept contributions from occupants of any stopped vehicle or to sell or distribute merchandise to stopped vehicle
Sec. 6-254	Unlawful to operate or maintain in the city a motor vehicle unless the license tax has been paid
Sec. 6-274	Unlawful to willfully or maliciously remove, destroy mutilate or alter the number of any bicycle frame registered per this article, or any registration sticker except upon lawful transfer of ownership or if bicycle no longer operated in the city
Sec. 6-276 (a)	Unlawful to rent a bicycle in the city unless the bicycle is registered and a registration sticker or marker is properly affixed and such bicycle is equipped with proper lamp and other equipment required
Sec. 7-1	Unlawful to build, erect, construct or place any encroachment in any portion of a right of way unless authorized
Sec. 7-2	Unlawful to obstruct a city sidewalk with goods for sale unless a permit has been obtained
Sec. 7-3 (a)	No person may cause or allow any tree limb, bush, shrub or other growth, etc. to overhang a public street or a public sidewalk
Sec. 7-3 (b)	No person may cause or allow grass, vines, weeds, etc. to grow from his property over, onto or across any public street or sidewalk
Sec. 7-4	No person may cause or permit gutters, ditches, ducts or drainpipes to be constructed or placed on his property in a manner that the water empties into or runs across a public sidewalk
Sec. 7-5 (b)	No person may remove, destroy or tamper with any barricade, sign, or other device placed in any street or sidewalk to warn or given notice to the traveling public
Sec. 7-7	No person may cause or allow any fence, shrub, or other planting to substantially obstruct vision b/w height of 2' and 10' with specific direction on how to measure
Sec. 7-9	Railroads must keep all railroad crossings in proper repair
Sec. 7-8	No person may alter or remove any railroad tracks except with a permit
Sec. 7-11	No sidewalk dining without an encroachment agreement from the city

Sec. 7-12	No sidewalk merchandising without an encroachment agreement from the city
Sec. 7-22	No driveway relocation or construction without a permit
Sec. 7-23	No digging or excavating without a permit
Sec. 7-37	No person may hold certain defined events such as festivals, carnivals, parades, etc. without a permit
Sec. 7-42(d)	Any permitted street event must be conducted strictly in accordance with terms of the permit
Sec. 7-43(c)	If a street is closed for a permitted event no person may operate any vehicle contrary to the traffic control devices installed
Sec. 7-44	A sponsor of a street event shall be responsible for clean up
Sec. 7-46	No person shall drive, operate, ride in or on any motorized vehicle on any greenway or in any park beyond the designated perimeter; exceptions for wheelchairs and city manager
Sec. 7-47	No person shall stop inside a culvert tunnel or linger in such a manner to impede or obstruct traffic along the greenway
Sec. 7-48	Dogs shall be on leashes; owners must clean up after dog; other livestock and domestic animals prohibited
Sec. 7-49 (a)	No skateboards or skates in some city parks
Sec. 7-49 (b)	Where skates or skateboards are allowed in some city park, no person shall behave in a reckless manner or endanger the public
Sec. 7-50	No person shall trap, hunt, injure, disturb or feed any wild animal or bird, including their habitat or nest; cutting and damaging of any type of tree plant or flower is prohibited.
Sec. 7-51	Unlawful to remain in a park or on a greenway except during the normal hours of operation
Sec. 7-52	No person may carry a knife, weapon, pistol, air rifle, etc. in a city park or on the greenway; exception for current concealed handgun permit holders
Sec. 7-53	Unlawful to make or kindle an open fire in a park or greenway
Sec. 7-54	Children under the age of 16 must wear a helmet with a wheeled device, exception wheelchair or baby stroller)
Sec. 7-61 (a)	No person may intentionally mutilate, deface, or damage any street name sign, traffic control sign or device or other signs.
Sec. 7-61 (b)	No person may intentionally drag, run or implement a machine or tool likely to injure or cut the street
Sec. 7-61 (c)	No person may intentionally damage, injure, obstruct or otherwise interfere with any street, sidewalk, bridge, ditch, etc.
Sec. 7-62	If a road is closed to the public, no person may drive on it or destroy or damage the barriers or warning devices or lights
Sec. 7-63 (a)	No person may plant or may plant or maintain trees or shrubbery in the city's public right of way
Sec. 7-63 (b)	No person may remove, cut or otherwise injure trees or shrubs located in city right of way or other public property
Sec. 7-70	Unlawful to prune, treat, plant or remove any tree located on city owned property or right of way w/o a permit. Exception for public and private utility companies with approval from city arborist
Sec. 7-72	Unlawful to interfere or prevent city or its agents while planting, mulching, pruning, spraying or removing trees
Sec. 7-75	Unlawful for any person except as otherwise described to top any tree on city owned property
Sec. 7-201 (a)	Unlawful to camp on city property, public rights of way and sidewalks
Sec. 7-201 (b)	Tents and temporary shelters or other camping gear is prohibited on city property except in locations designated in writing
Sec. 7-201 (c)	Unlawful to light or use a campfire or bonfire on city property unless given a written permit
Sec. 8-207	Unlawful to operate a pool hall without a license

Sec. 8-208	Unlawful to permit person to work in pool hall if w/in 5 yrs. he or she convicted of a felony or crime involving liquor or controlled substance.
Sec. 8-210 (b)	No person may obstruct any translucent door or window of a pool hall
Sec. 8-211	No one holding pool hall license may allow gambling, violation of alcohol laws, loitering, disorderly conduct, or slot machines, etc.
Sec. 8-236 (c)	Unlawful for a junk dealer to purchase from a minor
Sec. 8-291	Unlawful to solicit without a permit
Sec. 8-293	Unlawful to file an application for solicitation with one or more false statements.
Sec. 8-297 (c)	Unlawful for permittee to solicit w/o having copy of permit and valid form of i.e. or to refuse to show either to law enforcement officer.
Sec. 8-298	Unlawful to represent that permit held is an endorsement by the city or any employee thereof
Sec. 8-326	Unlawful to sell wrapped ice-cream products or products dispensed from freezer, or ice products without a permit
Sec. 8-327(b)	Unlawful to peddle or sell ice-cream before 8:00 a.m. or after 8:00 p.m.
Sec. 8-327 (c)	Unlawful to sell ice-cream products w/in 2 blocks of a school during the hours when school in session
Sec. 8-343	Unlawful to operate sexually oriented business without a license
Sec. 8-354	Unlawful for a sexually oriented business licensee to allow someone in the premises that is under 18; under 18 cannot work or purchase from the business
Sec. 8-355	Restrictions on where adult live entertainment may lawfully occur
Sec. 8-356	Restrictions on where adult mini motion picture may lawfully occur
Sec. 8-357	Restrictions on where clothing modeling studios may lawfully occur
Sec. 8-371	Unlawful to place a donation drop box w/o a permit
Sec 8-373	Restrictions on where donation drop boxes can be placed; restrictions on sizing of box
Sec. 8-378	Unlawful to tow or remove or immobilize a motor vehicle on private property or in private lot w/o permission of owner of vehicle unless proper notice posted; notice requirements
Sec. 8-379	Requirements to lawfully boot or immobilize a vehicle
Sec. 8-380	Requirement to lawfully trespass tow vehicles from private parking lots
Sec. 8-381	Unlawful to interfere with a trespass to; exceptions
Sec. 8-400	Unlawful to street or sidewalk or public right of way vend w/o a permit in the central municipal services district
Sec. 8-400 (f)	Unlawful conduct for street vendors ; 14 activities listed
Sec. 9-5 (b)	If State of Emergency declared, unlawful to violate curfew requirements; sell or consume alcohol; dispose of dangerous weapons; exceptions; sell gasoline except when pumped directly into a vehicle, travel upon public street or property; exceptions
Sec. 10-18	Unlawful to own, keep, have livestock or chickens, turkeys, ducks, guineas, gees, pheasants or pigeons or other domestic fowl w/o a permit; permit requirements
Sec. 10-19 (a)	Unlawful to keep within the city wild animals other than one classified as wild animal by the NC Wildlife Resource Commission and for which a permit is obtained or any hogs, pigs or swine except miniature potbellied pig
Sec. 10-19 (b)	No person may locate, construct or operate any animal breeding, growing or feeding establishment for commercial purposes in the city

Sec. 10-21	Unlawful for any person to keep, own or possess an animal in such a way to constitute a public nuisance or nuisance to neighbors; non-exhaustive examples listed such as allowing animal to remain w/o adequate housing and protection from elements
Sec. 10-22	Unlawful for owner or occupant of nonresidential premises in central business district to keep or maintain a dog on the premises that is visible from publicly maintained sidewalk.
Sec. 10-41	No person may hunt, kill or traps any birds within the city except birds classified as predatory by the NC Wildlife Resource Commission
Sec. 11-16(a)	Unlawful to cause or allow solid waste to be placed, deposited or accumulated on property except in proper solid waste receptacles
Sec. 11-16(e)	Unlawful to undertake construction or renovation and fail to provide on-site receptacles for debris produced by those working on site
Sec. 11-17	Unlawful to illegally dump, including throwing litter from a vehicle
Sec. 11-18	Unlawful for nonresidents to bring trash, debris, garbage etc. into the city from a point outside the city for pick up by the city's solid waste department; unlawful to knowingly allow a person to do this
Sec. 11-19	No one in the parking area or other open spaces of commercial or non-residential premises may throw garbage on such premises except in properly designated receptacles.
Sec. 11-20	Unlawful to maintain or operate a disposal site for the burial of materials resulting from construction, renovation or demolition
Sec. 11-21 (a)	Unlawful to transport solid wastes on the city streets unless the solid wastes are properly secured
Sec. 11-21 (b)	Unlawful to transport loose solid or liquid materials on the city streets unless the materials are properly covered to prevent escape; exception for poultry, livestock and grain used in feeding
Sec. 11-21 (c)	Unlawful for any refuse collector to haul refuse over the city streets unless in a watertight vehicle to prevent offensive odors from escaping
Sec. 11-23	No person may cause or permit scrap materials or discarded items to accumulate on premises, within the yard, or on unenclosed porches.
Sec. 11-24	Noxious growths are prohibited in curbs, rights of way, alleyways and grass strips; weeds or grass prohibited over 12"
Sec. 11-25	No person may obstruct streams, rivers or other drainage with trees, fallen debris, sawdust, shavings, lime, refuse or scrap materials or other substances
Sec. 11-26 (a)	No person may dispose of tires except in a permitted landfill site or by removal by the city's solid waste department
Sec. 11-26 (b)	No person may collect more than 100 tires at a collection site w/o complying with the provisions listed herein
Sec. 11-26 (b)	No person may collect more than 1,000 used tires at a collection site unless they are stored in a building
Sec. 11-52 (b)	No person shall prohibit or prevent scheduled solid waste collection services at the premises
Sec. 11-55	Unlawful for any person not authorized by the city to collect, pick up or cause to be collected solid waste including recyclables, yard waste and/or bulky materials
Sec. 11-60 (1)	Unlawful for any person to fail to provide and maintain adequate rollout containers supplied by the city
Sec. 11-60 (9)	Unlawful to place dangerous items in rollout containers for collections
Sec. 11-60 (2)-(8), (10)	Prohibitions on specific activities with regard to rollout containers
Sec. 11-61	Requirements for bulk containers on premises
Sec. 11-62	No person can use a rollout container in a manner other than its intended use

Sec. 11-88	Unlawful to place ashes or live coals in rollout containers unless they have been wetted or are cool to the touch, have been enclosed in plastic bags and are securely tied
Sec. 11-90	Unlawful to remove clothing, mattresses or springs or other solid wastes that may contain highly infectious diseases unless under supervision of Health Dept.; same shall not be placed in rollout containers
Sec. 11-91	Unlawful to dispose of hypodermic syringe, needle or any other type of instrument before first breaking or otherwise rendering such instrument inoperable
Sec. 11-92	Unlawful to place industrial waste in rollout containers, bulk containers or curbside
Sec. 11-93	Unlawful to dispose of hazardous waste in refuse receptacle unless in accordance with section
Sec. 11-116(e)	Unlawful to place dangerous items such as broken glass, light bulbs, sharp pieces of metal, fluorescent tubes and TV tubes out for collection unless securely wrapped and marked.
Sec. 11-118	Unlawful to place dead animals at curbside for collection.
Sec. 11-119	Unlawful to place junk appliances at curbside for collection; unlawful to leave outside any building in a place accessible to children any appliance or container w/o it being strapped or locked
Sec. 11-152	Unlawful to cause a vehicle to be abandoned
Sec. 11-153	Unlawful to leave a vehicle on property once it is deemed a hazardous vehicle
Sec. 11-154	Unlawful to leave a junk vehicle on property or fail to comply with the locational or concealment requirements for same
Sec. 11-191 (1) - (5)	List of specific public nuisances deemed dangerous to public health
Sec. 12-4	Open burning is prohibited; exceptions
Sec. 12-78	Unlawful for any person having control over any hazardous materials to cause same to be emitted or released into air or water
Sec. 13-16	Unlawful to bury a dead human body within the city limits in any place other than a cemetery
Sec. 13-17 (a)	Disruptive activity in a cemetery is prohibited; specific acts prohibited
Sec. 13-17 (b)	No person may intentionally disrupt a funeral service or disturb the quiet and good order of any cemetery, no firearms except for military funerals
Sec. 13-18	Unlawful to desecrate a public or private cemetery; specific acts prohibited
Sec. 13-36 (b)	Unlawful to enter a cemetery other than the hours of operation
Sec. 13-37 (a)	No person may plant, prune or remove any tree or shrub, flower, grass or other plant or do any other landscaping in a cemetery w/o approval
Sec. 13-37 (e)	No person may leave ornaments, chairs, settees, toys, watering cans or other objectionable items in a cemetery
Sec. 13-38	Mausoleums or tombs are prohibited in city cemeteries
Sec. 13-39	No person shall erect a monument in a city cemetery w/o prior approval; one monument per lot; monument must be cut stone or bronze
Sec. 13-40	No person may install a permanent marker except agents or employees of the city
Sec. 13-41	No curbing or enclosures are permitted w/o prior approval
Sec. 13-42	No person may move boundary markers w/o prior approval
Sec. 13-69	Speculation in burial rights is prohibited

Sec. 13-96

Unlawful to open any grave or conduct any burial w/o a permit

Sec. 13-100

Unlawful to disinterment w/o a permit from city and approval by Gaston County Health Department

Sec. 13A-1 - 13A-3

Unlawful to have a grave different than the specifications set forth herein



**CODE SECTION****DESCRIPTION OF PROHIBITED CONDUCT**

Sec. 14-30(1)	Unlawful to supply/sell/assign/otherwise dispose of any service provided by city or carry away water from any hydrant/public water fountain/other public outlet
Sec. 14-30(2)	Unlawful to introduce any service upon the premises of the consumer in conjunction with or supplementary to service provided by the city, either by means of an electric or water cross connection or by other means
Sec. 14-30(3)	Unlawful to tamper with city water, sewer or electric service line, appurtenances or testing/inspection devices
Sec. 14-30(4)	Unlawful to tamper with a water or electric meter so as to alter the true reading for the amount of water or electricity consumed
Sec. 14-30(5)	Unlawful to Attach or cause to be attached any connection to a service line before the service meter
Sec. 14-30(6)	Unlawful to build any structure over or on city water/sewer/storm lines/drains or right-of-ways for same
Sec. 14-30(7)	Unlawful to Operate valves on city-owned water lines
Sec. 14-30(8)	Unlawful to tamper with city manhole rings and covers
Sec. 14-30(9)	Unlawful to install, remove or disturb any city utility meter
Sec. 14-31	Unlawful to receive unauthorized city utility services
Sec. 14-52(1)	Unlawful for consumer to fail to maintain piping system safely and efficiently
Sec. 14-52(2)	Unlawful for consumer to fail to protect city facilities or equipment located on consumer's property
Sec. 14-52(3)	Unlawful for consumer to fail to pay cost of relocating city facilities & equipment if done at consumer's request
Sec. 14-52(4)	Unlawful for consumer to not make or cause to be made any cross connection with a private water supply
Sec. 14-52(5)	Unlawful for consumer to fail to install proper and adequate backflow prevention devices
Sec. 14-52(6)	Unlawful for consumer to fail to install a pressure-reducing valve if deemed necessary by the administrator
Sec. 14-52(7)	Unlawful for consumer to fail to install a sewer cleanout to city specifications if deemed necessary by the administrator
Sec. 14-52(8)	Unlawful to fail to give prior notice before wiring or installing electrical equipment to be attached to city's lines
Sec. 14-52(9)	Failure to properly maintain and keep in a good state of repair all electrical wiring and equipment on the consumer's premises
Sec. 14-52(10)	Liability for damage to city property, costs of repair, and meter tampering charges for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and each subsequent offense
Sec.14-75(b)	Unlawful to do any act that restores utility service if service has been duly terminated by City
Sec. 14-101(a)	Unlawful to fail to install suitable toilet facilities to public water & sewer system when so ordered by City
Sec. 14-102	Unlawful to connect to city's service lines without a duly issued permit
Sec. 14-171(e)	Unlawful to draw water or tamper with a city fire hydrant without City authorization
Sec. 14-172(b)	Unlawful to fail to install backflow prevention as necessary to protect the water supply
Sec. 14-734(a)	Failure to obtain a stormwater permit for all development unless exempt
Sec. 14-738	Failure to follow best stormwater management practices for development and water quality standards
Sec. 14-739	Failure to comply with Health Dept. rules for new & replaced on-site domestic wastewater
Sec. 14-745	Failing to maintain a stormwater structure such that it results in a nuisance condition
Sec. 14-812	Failure to comply with duly issued water restrictions during a drought
Sec. 14-813(d)	Allowing or permitting the use of a private well or water system for any purpose for which use of public water has been prohibited during a drought
Sec. 14-813(2)	Violation of Stage 2 (Mandatory) water restrictions - watering lawns or landscaping, washing noncommercial vehicles, buildings, sidewalks or streets, operating ornamental fountains, pools or ponds

Sec. 14-813(3)	Stage 3 water shortage - unlawful to use water for construction except dust control; filling new swimming pools; flushing hydrants
Sec. 14-813(4)	Stage 4 - failure to comply with prior Stages and all outdoor water use unlawful except for emergency uses involving fire
Sec. 14-902(a)	Unlawful to cause/permit a cross-connection between city's water system & any other private water system, sewer fixture as defined by ordinance
Sec. 14-902(b)	Failure to maintain any backflow prevention assembly required by City which is part of customer's private water system
Sec. 14-902(c)	Unlawful to connect a private water system to city water except as authorized
Sec. 14-902(d)	Failure to make an authorized connection in accordance with city's standards
Sec. 14-903(a)	Failure to permit right of entry to private water system which is served by City
Sec. 14-903(b)	Failure to provide reasonably necessary information to determine hazard of customer's private water system connected to City water
Sec. 14-904	Failure to notify City if private water system is contaminated or polluted or if reason to believe backflow has occurred into city's water system
Sec. 15-1	Unlawful for any pilot to fly at such low level as to endanger persons or buildings on the surface
Sec. 15-2	Unlawful to operate aircraft below designated altitudes as set forth in the ordinance
Sec. 15-3	Unlawful to drop advertising matter from aircraft in city limits
Sec. 15-26(b)	Failure of a pilot operating at Gastonia Airport to comply with all Airport Rules & Regulations
Sec. 15-27	Unlawful for any aircraft at Gastonia Airport not to have a two-way radio
Sec. 15-28(a)	Unlawful for any person to enter upon airport runways, taxi strips or aprons without first obtaining permission from airport manager
Sec. 15-28(b)	Unlawful for any motor vehicle to enter upon airport runways unless painted bright yellow or displaying checkered orange & white flag of appropriate size
Sec. 15-29	Failure of any aircraft pilot to comply with Gastonia Airport Taxiing Rules as set forth in ordinance
Sec. 15-30	Failure of any aircraft pilot to comply with Gastonia Airport Traffic Rules (landings, takeoffs, altitudes, turns) as set forth in ordinance
Sec. 15-31	Violation of Gastonia Airport's Ground Rules as set forth in the ordinance
Sec. 15-32	Unlawful to smoke within 50 feet of any aircraft gas truck or fuel pump, no fueling of aircraft while engine running, all aircraft positively grounded when fueling
Sec. 15-60	Violation of the height limitations within the applicable zones as described in the ordinance
	Creating any electrical interference with airport radio communication, creating glare or impairing visibility in airport vicinity, or otherwise endangering landings or takeoffs
Sec. 15-61	
Sec. 15-62(b)	Failure to allow city to install markers and lights on or near trees or structures near airport as deemed necessary to indicate a hazard to aircraft
Sec. 15-63	Failure to obtain land use permit in the Airport zoning district from City for any uses or changes as set forth in the ordinance

<b>Code Section</b>	<b>Description of Prohibited Conduct</b>
16-61	Unlawful to build, alter or repair any building without a permit
16-65	Unlawful to move any building or structure without a permit
16-66	Failure to pay the permit fees for moving a building
16-67	While moving building, failure to provide NCDOT license/permits, insurance coverage, comply with zoning, and have competent person to accompany the building
16-68	Failure to keep permit in possession while moving building
16-69	When moving building, failure to disconnect and cap all gas, water, oil & other pipelines
16-70	Failure to provide sufficient lighting when moving a building after sundown
16-71	Failure to provide necessary flagmen and front and rear escort vehicles when moving a building
16-72	Failure to seal sanitary piping and fill septic tanks with sand when moving a building
16-73	Failure to obtain necessary permits to restore a building after it has been moved
16-75	Unlawful to fail to obtain a street number for any building and appropriately affix that number to the building
16-102	Failure to obtain permits for repairs, changes or replacements of certain named plumbing components
16-103	Failure to obtain permits for repairs, changes or replacements of certain named mechanical components
16-164	Unlawful to interfere with electrical inspector in discharge of his duties
16-165	No electric wiring, devices or appliances may be installed, altered or repaired without a permit and inspection
16-174	Occupancy of a building for which temporary power has been authorized but before a certificate of occupancy has been issued
16-181	Interfering with City employees or agents trimming trees, shrubs, etc. that pose a danger to City owned electrical lines and equipment
16-208	Occupancy or use of a condemned building or the unauthorized removal of notice of condemnation posted on a building
16-211	Failure to comply with an order to repair, close or demolish a condemned building
16-237	The Gaston County Soil & Erosion Control Ordinance is Adopted. Section 4-72 (c) of the County Ordinance makes any violation of sections 4-56 through 4-68 & 4-74 a class 2 misdemeanor
16-247	Failure to comply with an order to vacate and repair, alter, close or demolish a commercial building that doesn't meet maintenance standards of section 16-242
<b>UDO Section</b>	<b>Description of Prohibited Conduct</b>
14.1	Section 14.1 of the City's UDO makes it unlawful to erect, construct, alter, maintain, expand, move or use any structure or sign or engage in development or subdivision of land contrary to any provision of this ordinance. Section 14.1 also states that whenever any provision of this ordinance requires the performance of an act or prohibits the performance of any act, or whenever

any regulation is imposed on the use of land and water, or on the erection of a structure, failure to comply with such provision is unlawful. Therefore, violation of the following sections of the UDO would constitute a misdemeanor under N.C.G.S. 14-4: 1.4, 3.3.1 through 3.3.9, 5.1, 5.2.1, 5.2.2, 5.4.1 through 5.4.5, 5.5, 5.6, 5.7.1, 5.8.1 through 5.8.4, 5.9.1, 5.9.2, 5.10.2, 5.10.3, 5.11.2, 5.11.3, 5.11.5, 5.11.8, 5.12.1, 5.14.2, 5.14.4, 5.14.6, 7.2 through 7.5, 7.6.1 through 7.6.6, 7.7 through 7.9, 7.10.1, 7.10.3, 7.10.6, 7.11, 7.12, 8.1.1 through 8.1.16, 8.2.1 through 8.2.45, 8.3.1 through 8.3.14, 8.4.1 through 8.4.19, 9.1 through 9.26, 10.1 through 10.14, 11.1.2, 11.2.2, 11.2.3, 11.3.1 through 11.3.5, 11.4 through 11.7, 12.1.2, 12.1.3, 12.2 through 12.15, 13.5 through 13.7, 13.11 through 13.13, 13.15 through 13.26, 13.29 through 13.37 and 13.39 through 13.43.