

ORANGE COUNTY CODE OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

The Code of Ordinances may be viewed at this web address:

<http://www.orangecountync.gov/973/Code-of-Ordinances>

**General penalty for any violation of the Code of Ordinances unless otherwise specified
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine**

This general penalty applies to violations of all provisions of all chapters except those sections or articles that have specific penalties.

Chapter 1—General Provisions—Includes administrative and procedural guidelines (Provides for the general penalty cited above)

Chapter 3—Boards and Departments—Creation of Advisory Board on Aging and Department on Aging

Chapter 4—Animals—Regulates animal services and animal control

Chapter 6—Buildings and Building Regulations—Regulates numbering of houses and road naming

Chapter 8—Businesses—Regulates the hours and sale of alcohol, massage establishments, lease and rental of motor vehicles, sexually oriented businesses, and mobile food vending

Chapter 10—Reserved

Chapter 12—Civil Rights—Regulates the Orange County Human Relations Commission and unlawful housing practices

Chapter 13—Elections—Provides for the structure and mode of electing county commissioners

Chapter 14—Emergency Management and Emergency Services—Regulates fire prevention and provides for declarations of emergency, establishes the Emergency Management Department, regulates emergency response, oil and hazardous substances, and 911 services

Chapter 16—Environment—Regulates smoking on county property and noise

Chapter 18—Facilities—Regulates solicitation, parking, and weapons on county property

Chapter 20—Housing—Regulates minimum housing standards

Chapter 22—Land Records—Sets requirements for parcel registration and establishes Parcel Identifier Numbers as the official means of recordation in Orange County

Chapter 24—Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions—Regulates hunting while impaired, hunting within 150 yards of a school, discharge of firearms, and the display of pyrotechnics

Chapter 26—Parks and Recreation—Creates the Parks and Recreation Council and Department

Chapter 28—Personnel—The Orange County Personnel Ordinance

Chapter 30—Planning and Development—Regulates storm water

Chapter 34—Solid Waste Management—Regulates the collection and disposal of solid waste and recyclable materials

Chapter 36—Utilities—Regulates water conservation

Chapter 44—Historic Preservation—Establishes the Historic Preservation Commission and regulates historic districts and the designation of historic places

Chapter 48—Voluntary Farmland Preservation Program—Establishes the Agricultural Preservation Board and regulates voluntary and enhanced voluntary agricultural districts and the acquisition of conservation easements

Sections of the Code that specify a penalty:

4-42 Failure to control dangerous animals
Class 3 misdemeanor—\$500 fine

4-51 Animal control violations in general
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

4-133 Displaying wild animals
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

4-184 Keeping wild animals
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

8-42 Unlawful operation of massage establishments
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

8-81 Lease and Rental of Motor Vehicles in violation of the ordinance
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

8-100 Unlawful operation of sexually oriented businesses
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

8-122 Mobile food vending in violation of the ordinance
Class 3 misdemeanor \$50 fine.

14-42 Violations of the terms of a declared state of emergency
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

14-83 Interference with emergency personnel or general emergency management violation
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

14-261 Violation of provisions on hazardous substances
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

16-37 Smoking in/on county property
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

16-57 Noise violations
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

20-48 Minimum housing code violations
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

24-1 Hunting under the influence of an impairing substance or hunting within 150 yards of a school
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

24-3 Unlawful discharge of firearm
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

24-4 Unlawful display of pyrotechnics
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

34-1 Dumping waste in or at an illegal/unpermitted landfill
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

34-47 Unlawful solid waste collection and disposal
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

34-77 Unlawful collection and disposal of recyclable materials
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

36-34 Water conservation violations (general)
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine

36-67 Water conservation violations (Orange Water and Sewer Authority customers in unincorporated areas)
Class 3 misdemeanor--\$50 fine

UNIFIED DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF ORANGE COUNTY

The Unified Development Ordinance may be viewed at this web address:

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9.6.5 General penalty for violations related to zoning, land use, subdivision, etc.
Class 3 misdemeanor—Up to \$500 fine