

ORDINANCE NO. 461  
VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, ILLINOIS  
ORDINANCE IMPOSING CURFEW

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Village Board of Trustees that vandalism, noisemaking and other nuisances have been occurring within the Village during late-night and early-morning hours; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of the Village Board that many of these nuisances have been caused by minors; and

WHEREAS, the Village Board of Trustees has determined that it is necessary and in the best interest of the Village and its residences that a curfew be imposed on those under the age of eighteen (18); and

WHEREAS, Section 11-1-5 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/11-1-5) authorizes municipalities to declare curfews and establish conditions and restrictions thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: It is unlawful for a person less than 18 years of age to be present at or upon any public assembly, building, place, street or highway at the following times unless accompanied and supervised by a parent, legal guardian, or other responsible companion at least 18 years of age approved by a parent or legal guardian or unless engaged in a business or occupation which the laws of this State authorize a person less than 18 years of age to perform:

1. Between 12:01 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. Saturday;
2. Between 12:01 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. Sunday; and
3. Between 11:00 p.m. on Sunday to Thursday, inclusive, and 6:00 a.m. on the following day.

Section 2: It shall be unlawful for the parent, guardian, or other adult having care and custody of a minor to knowingly permit said minor to violate Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3: Any violation of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not less than Fifty Dollars (\$50) and not more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

Section 4: Ordinance No. 347 is hereby repealed.

Section 5: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 9 day of FEB 9, 1998.

AYES	<u>5</u>
NAYS	<u>0</u>
ABSENT	<u>1</u>

VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Ralph E. Wilson, President

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Carol S. Howard, Clerk