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**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE  
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF THE VILLAGE OF FOREST VIEW,  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, this 26<sup>th</sup>  
day of August, 2025.**

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by authority of the President  
and Board of Trustees of the  
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**WHEREAS**, the Village of Forest View, Cook County, Illinois, is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the “Home Rule Powers”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-2-1, provides that the corporate authorities of each municipality may pass all ordinances and make all rules and regulations proper or necessary, to carry into effect the powers granted to municipalities, with such fines or penalties as may be deemed proper; and

**WHEREAS**, the President and Board of Trustees (“Corporate Authorities”) of the Village of Forest View previously enacted a municipal ordinance prohibiting disorderly conduct in the Village (Ordinance No. 64-97), codified under Title 6 (“Police Regulations”), Section 6-5-8 of the Municipal Code of the Village of Forest View; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities desire to repeal and replace the former Section 6-5-8 of the Village Code with a new Section 6-5-8 that expands the scope of the Village’s prohibition of disorderly conduct; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities have determined it is in the best interest of the Village of Forest View to repeal and replace Section 6-5-8 of the Village Code with a new Section 6-5-8 prohibiting disorderly conduct that closely mirrors state law.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Forest View, Illinois as follows:

**Section 1.     Recitals.** The foregoing recitals are adopted as express findings of the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Forest View and are incorporated herein by specific reference.

**Section 2.     Adoption.** That Title 7, Chapter 5, Section 6-5-8 (“Disorderly Conduct”) of the Forest View Municipal Code is hereby repealed in its entirety and new language shall replace the repealed provisions as follows:

**6-5-8: DISORDERLY CONDUCT:**

(A) It shall be unlawful for any person to commit the offense of disorderly conduct within the Village of Forest View. A person commits disorderly conduct when he knowingly:

1. Does any act in such unreasonable manner as to alarm or disturb another and to provoke a breach of the peace;
2. Enters upon the property of another and for a lewd or unlawful purpose deliberately looks into a dwelling on the property through any window or other opening in it;
3. Does or makes any unreasonable or offensive act, utterance, gesture or display which, under the circumstances, creates a clear and present danger of a breach of peace or imminent threat of violence;
4. Refuses or fails to cease and desist any peaceful conduct or activity likely to produce a breach of peace where there is an imminent threat of violence, and where the police have made all reasonable efforts to protect the otherwise peaceful conduct and activity and have requested that such conduct and activity be stopped and explained the request if there is time;
5. Resists or obstructs the performance by one known to the person to be a police officer or any authorized act within his official capacity;
6. Assembles with two or more persons for the purpose of using force or violence to disturb the public peace;
7. Fails to obey a lawful order of dispersal by a person known by him to be a police officer, where three or more persons are committing acts of disorderly conduct in the immediate

vicinity, which acts are likely to cause substantial harm or serious inconvenience, annoyance or alarm;

8. Resists his own arrest by using or threatening the use of violence or physical force or by fleeing from the officer; or interferes with the arrest of another person by using or threatening the use of violence, physical force, or physical interference;
9. Appears in any public place manifestly under the influence of alcohol, narcotics or other drugs, not therapeutically administered, to the degree that he may endanger himself or other persons or property, or annoy persons in his vicinity;
10. Carries in a threatening or menacing manner, without authority of law, any pistol, revolver, dagger, razor, dangerous knife, stiletto, knuckles, slingshot, an object containing noxious or deleterious liquid, gas or substance or other dangerous weapons, or conceals such weapon on or about his person or vehicle;
11. While acting as a collection agency as defined in the Collection Agency Act (225 ILCS 425/1 et seq.) or as an employee of such collection agency, and while attempting to collect an alleged debt, makes a telephone call to the alleged debtor which is designed to harass, annoy or intimidate the alleged debtor;
12. Transmits or causes to be transmitted in any manner to another a false alarm to the effect that a bomb or other explosive of any nature or a container holding poisonous gas, a deadly biological or chemical contaminant, or radioactive substance is concealed in such place that its explosion or release would endanger human life, knowing at the time of such transmission that there is no reasonable ground for believing that such bomb, explosive or a container holding poisonous gas, a deadly biological or chemical contaminant, or radioactive substance is concealed in such place;
13. Obtains or exerts control over property in the custody of any law enforcement agency which is explicitly represented to him by any law enforcement officer or any individual acting in behalf of a law enforcement agency as being stolen; and:
  - a. Intends to deprive the owner permanently of the use or benefit of the property; or
  - b. Knowingly uses, conceals or abandons the property in such manner as to deprive the owner permanently of such use or benefit; or
  - c. Uses, conceals, or abandons the property knowing such use, concealment or abandonment probably will deprive the owner permanently of such use or benefit.
  - d. The provisions of this section shall apply to any item of tangible personal property with a value of \$500.00 or less.

(B) *Penalty.* Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$250.00, nor more than \$750.00.

**Section 3.     Conflicts.** This Ordinance supersedes all ordinances or parts of ordinances directly conflicting with the terms and provisions contained herein, but only to the extent of such conflict.

**Section 4.     Severability.** If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance.

**Section 5.     Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2025.

AYES: Trustees Sudkamp, Nitka, Nevarez, Grossi, Hubacek, Castanuela

NAYS: NA

ABSENT: NA

APPROVED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2025.

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David Liska  
Village President

ATTEST:

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Laura D. McGuffey  
Village Clerk