

CHAPTER XVII  
SEWERS AND DRAINS

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Section 1. Definitions and Interpretation. The following words, as used in this ordinance, <sup>1</sup> shall have the meanings hereby respectively ascribed thereto:

(a) "Person" shall mean any natural person, partnership, association, firm or corporation.

(b) "Sewage" shall mean the normal water-carried household and toilet wastes from residences, business buildings, institutions and industrial establishments in the Borough.

In this ordinance, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular, and the masculine shall include the feminine and the neuter.

(Ordinance 69, October 2, 1972, Section 1)

Section 2. Authorized Methods of Sewage Disposal. Pending installation of municipal sewers and/or systems of sewers to serve the Borough of Harrisville or any portion or section thereof, sewage from premises located within the Borough shall be disposed of by means of individual or community sewage disposal systems in conformity with rules and regulations of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania governing such systems, and violators shall be subject to the penalties prescribed in the Pennsylvania Sewage Facilities Act of 1966, P. L. (1965) 1535. (Ordinance 69, October 2, 1972, Section 2)

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1. Sections 1 to 3 of this chapter.

Section 3. Unlawful Discharge of Liquid Waste. It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge or to permit the discharge of any liquid waste of any kind or nature, except for pure rain water or clean well water, onto the surface of the ground, or into any gutter alongside any street or public alley in the Borough. Provided: no such drainage shall be conducted across the surface of any sidewalk but shall instead be conducted under the surface of the sidewalk by means of pipes or drains. Any person who shall violate any provision of this section shall, for each and every such violation, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) and costs of prosecution, and, in default of payment of such fine and costs, to imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days. Provided: each day's violation of any provision of this section shall constitute a separate violation. (Ordinance 69, October 2, 1972, Section 3)