

**FRENCHTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP
APPEARANCE TICKETS ORDINANCE
Ord. No. 144; Date of Adoption: July 1986**

An Ordinance to authorize a public servant, other than a police officer, to issue and serve appearance tickets with respect to a particular class of offenses of less than felony grade.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FRENCHTOWN HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Authority of Building Official or Agents.

The Frenchtown Charter Township Building Official or those of his agents which he has designated in writing shall have authority, pursuant to Act No. 366 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1984 as amended and Act No. 147 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1968 as amended to issue and serve upon a person one or more appearance tickets if the Building Official or his designated agents have reasonable cause to believe that the person has committed an offense or offenses under any of the following Frenchtown Charter Township Ordinances or subsequent amendments or replacements of the following Frenchtown Charter Township Ordinances:

1. Ordinance No. 187 which adopts by reference the following Codes:
 - a. BOCA National Building Code for 1996, including appendices;
 - b. International Mechanical Code of 1998, including appendices;
 - c. International Plumbing Code of 1997, including appendices;
2. Ordinance No. 160 which adopts by reference the Guidelines for Manufactured Housing Installation; including appendices;
3. Ordinance No. 200 – Zoning Ordinance as amended.
4. Ordinance No. 146 – Blight Ordinance as amended.
5. Ordinance No. 162 – Roadside Underground Drainage Protection Ordinance, as amended.
6. Ordinance No. 165 – National Electrical Code Adoption Ordinance.
7. Ordinance No. 165-5 – Electrical Code Amendment Ordinance.
8. Ordinance No. 184 - Frenchtown Charter Township Noise Ordinance as amended.
9. Ordinance No. 172 - Frenchtown Charter Township Water Systems Ordinance as amended.

Amended by Ordinance No. 144-4, March 14, 2000.____

Section 2.

The Frenchtown Charter Township Fire Chief, or those of his agents which he has designated in writing shall have the authority, pursuant to Act No. 366 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1984, and Act No. 147 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1968, to issue and serve upon a person one or more appearance tickets if the Fire Chief or his designated agents have reasonable cause to believe that the person has committed an offense or offenses under Frenchtown Charter Township Ordinance No. 137 (the Frenchtown Charter Township Uniform Fire Code) and any subsequent amendments to that ordinance.

Section 3.

Should any section, subdivision, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance be declared by any Court to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance in whole or any part thereof other than the part so invalidated.

Section 4.

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after final passage and publication in the Monroe Evening News, a newspaper having general circulation in Frenchtown Charter Township, Monroe County, Michigan.