## **CHAPTER 360**

## PROTECTING PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF RICHLAND CENTER, AND REGULATING CONDUCT AT FIRES

[History: Ord 233 (1926)]

**360.01 CROSSING HOSES FORBIDDEN.** It shall be unlawful for any person to drive or cause to be driven any automobile, truck, motorcycle, or other vehicle either drawn by a horse or horses or propelled by automotive power, over any fire hose or fire-fighting equipment used, run out or being run out upon or along any public street or upon or along any public or private place in the City of Richland Center whether such hose or equipment is being used for practice or to fight an actual fire.

**360.02 FIRE SAFETY ZONES.** At time of fire the Chief of the Fire Department or those lawfully acting under him or Police Officers of said City may designate or shut off a working or safety zone about the premises where such fire shall occur and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, other than members of the Fire Department, Police Officers or persons having orders from such Firemen or Police Officers, or the owner or occupant of such premises, to enter within said working or safety zone. All persons otherwise hereabove permitted in said working or safety zone shall nevertheless obey the orders of the Fire Department.

**360.03 PENALTY.** Any person violating section 360.01 or section 360.02 of this chapter shall, upon conviction, forfeit to the City of Richland Center not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$400.00, together with the costs of prosecution, and in this event such forfeiture and costs shall not be paid, shall be imprisoned in the Richland County Jail until so paid, but not to exceed 90 days.