

ORDINANCE No. 91

An Ordinance Defining Merchant, Routeman, Specialty Salesman, and Peddler; Regulating the Occupations defined Thereby and Setting up a licensing schedule for Routemen.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF COUPEVILLE, WASHINGTON, as follows:

Section 1. The term Merchant shall be considered to include all persons conducting regularly established businesses at permanent locations within the corporate limits of the Town of Coupeville.

Section 2. The term Routeman shall be considered to include all persons conducting regularly established businesses within the corporate limits of the Town of Coupeville from permanent locations outside the town.

Section 3. The term Specialty Salesman shall be considered to include all door to door salesman who solicit or take orders for specialized articles at a first call and deliver at a succeeding call.

Section 4. The term Peddler shall be construed to include all persons who go from place to place or house to house, carrying and offering for sale, or exposing for sale any goods, wares or merchandise, except agricultural or farm products.

SECTION 5. The regulation of Merchants and Specialty Salesmen as defined herein shall be, as to business licenses, permits, privileges or restrictions, only those prescribed by the laws of the State of Washington.

Section 6. The regulation of Peddlers shall be as prescribed by Ordinance No. 7 of the Town of Coupeville, or by future amendments thereto or by future superseding ordinances.

Section 7. For the regulation of Routemen, the following schedule of licenses and fees is set up, and any Routeman carrying on his occupation within the town of Coupeville without a license shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable upon conviction therefor by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars for each such offense. Any Routeman whose business within the town of Coupeville is defined by Section 2 of this Ordinance may obtain from the town clerk a license to conduct his business for a period of three months, six months, or one year, at the option of the licensee, paying for such license in advance the sum of \$10.00, \$15.00, or \$25.00, respectively. Such Routeman shall exhibit such license upon request made by any customer or prospective customer or any officer of the town of Coupeville.

Section 8. No part of this ordinance shall be construed to require a license of any farmer who peddles the products of his farm within the town limits, nor to prohibit or regulate the delivery within the town limits of merchandise purchased elsewhere.

Section 9. This ordinance shall become effective on the first day of March following its passage and publication according to law.

PASSED by the Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 12th day of February, 1952.

ELMER E. CALMOUN, Mayor

ATTEST: Lynn P. Vane, Town Clerk