

ORDINANCE NO: 212

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF "PINBALL MACHINES", "PIN GAMES", "MARBLE GAMES" AND OTHER SIMILAR DEVICES, AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE A NUISANCE.

The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles does ordain as follows:

SECTION I

The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles hereby finds, determines and declares that there are maintained within the City limits of said City certain devices described in Section 330b(4) of the Penal Code of the State of California, which are capable of and are being used for gambling purposes. The City Council further finds, determines and declares that the presence and use of such machines for gambling purposes foster delinquency in minors; that the presence of such machines in the City of El Paso de Robles is contrary to the health, safety, morals and general welfare of the people of this City.

SECTION II

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to keep, maintain, possess or have under control in any place whatever, either as owner, lessee, agent, employee, mortgagee or otherwise, any table game or device commonly known as a "pinball machine", "pin game" or "marble game" or similar device by whatever name known, the operation, use or play of which is controlled by placing therein any coin, plate, disk, plug, key or other device, or by the payment of any fee, provided that possession of such devices for the sole purpose of storage or repair on premises other than retail licensed premises shall not be unlawful if such machines are rendered inoperative while within the City of El Paso de Robles.

SECTION III

Any machine, contrivance, appliance, device, game, instrument or article kept, maintained, possessed or controlled in violation of Section 2 is hereby declared to be a nuisance and shall be subject to abatement.

SECTION IV

Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not to exceed (\$500.00) or by imprisonment in the City Jail or the County Jail for not to exceed six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1958, by the City of El Paso de Robles.

Vernon L. Sturgeon  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
CITY CLERK

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO  
CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES

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I, S.S. Tucker, City Clerk of the City of  
El Paso de Robles, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing ORDINANCE  
No. 212 was duly and regularly adopted, passed, and approved by the City  
Council of the City of El Paso de Robles, California, at a regular meeting of said City  
Council held at the regular meeting place thereof, on the 4th day, of AUGUST  
1958, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen LEISY, McANDRESS, MANDELLA, SMART and STURGEON

NOES: Councilmen NONE

ABSENT: Councilmen NONE

Dated this 4th day of August, 1958

  
City Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the City Council,  
City of El Paso de Robles, State of California.