

**CITY OF BOARDMAN
ORDINANCE NO. 12-2026**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BOARDMAN MUNICIPAL CODE
TITLE 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS TO REPEAL CHAPTERS 1.16 GENERAL PENALTY;
VIOLATIONS AND FINES; PROCEDURE IN CRIMINAL MATTERS GENERALLY AND 1.20
CODE COMPLIANCE/ANIMAL CONTROL PROGRAM POLICIES AND REPLACE THEM
WITH CHAPTERS 1.16 CODE COMPLIANCE AND 1.20 CODE HEARINGS OFFICER**

WHEREAS, the City of Boardman ("City") has authority granted by the Boardman Charter of 2024; and

WHEREAS, the City has an adopted Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the City has identified a need to amend provisions of the Boardman Municipal Code, amending Title 1 General Provisions, to adopt clear process for code compliance and a hearings officer; and

WHEREAS, the Boardman City Council was informed and discussed potential changes to Chapters 1.16 and 1.20 as part of discussions concerning vacant lots, noxious weeds, and fire risk that culminated in the Vegetation Management ordinance.

NOW THEREFORE, THE PEOPLE OF BOARDMAN DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1 Affected and Attached Documents. After full consideration of the matter, the City Council of the City of Boardman adopts the amendment to Title 1 General Provisions that includes repealing Chapter 1.16 General Penalty; Violations and Fines; Procedure in Criminal Matters Generally and Chapter 1.20 Code Compliance/Animal Control Program Policies which are attached as Exhibits A and B, respectfully, and shown as ~~striketrough~~ and adopting Chapters 1.16 Code Compliance and 1.20 Code Hearings Officer which are attached as Exhibits C and D, respectfully.

The City Council of the City of Boardman also adopts the changes necessary to amend other provisions within the Boardman Municipal Code to assure consistent application of the changes within Chapters 1.16 and 1.20 which are attached as Exhibit E.

Section 2 Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect August 6, 2026.

Passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor, this 7th day of July, 2026.

Paul Keefer, Mayor

ATTEST:

Amanda Mickles, City Clerk