

Sec. 58-1. License required; issuance; location.

(a) No person shall engage in the business or occupation of dealing in secondhand or used personal property without first obtaining a license for such business or occupations.

(b) No such license shall be granted except upon the certification of the police chief and the fire chief; and separate licenses shall be required for each place of business, including storage places.

(c) No secondhand goods licenses shall be issued unless the place of business is situated on commercially zoned property.

(Ord. eff. 5-12-1994, § 15.911)

Sec. 58-2. Compliance with state law required; records.

No person licensed as a secondhand merchant shall fail to comply with the provisions of the state law and keep a daily record of all persons with whom he does business and of all property coming into his possession, together with a record of the disposition of each article; nor shall any licensee fail to report weekly to the police chief on forms prescribed by the state or, if no such forms are prescribed by the state, by the police chief. The police chief shall at all times have access to such daily record.

(Ord. eff. 5-12-1994, § 15.913)

State law reference—Secondhand dealers, pawnbrokers and junk dealers, MCL 445.471 et seq., MSA 19.740(1) et seq.

Sec. 58-3. Home rummage sales.

(a) Home rummage sales shall not be deemed secondhand merchant transactions within the meaning of this chapter unless a rummage sale exceeds:

- (1) Two permits per recorded parcel per calendar year; or
- (2) Four days per each permit.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to conduct a home rummage sale without first obtaining a permit from the township building inspector. No home rummage sale shall be conducted unless all business is conducted and all goods displayed inside the house or garage. No goods may be displayed outside any building. There may be not more than one sign in the front yard of the premises for which the permit is issued, and not more than one other sign advertising the rummage sale may be placed along any road or on any other property; and such sign must not exceed six square feet.

(Ord. eff. 5-12-1994, § 15.914)

Sec. 58-4. Used car sales.

It shall be unlawful for any person to display for sale a used car without first obtaining a permit from the township building department. There may not be more than one vehicle displayed for sale on the property for which the permit is issued, and no signs advertising the vehicle may be placed along the road or on any other property.

(Ord. eff. 5-12-1994, § 15.914.5)

Cross reference—Used motor vehicle dealers, § 18-161 et seq.