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§ 90-1. Permits for utility poles.

§ 90-2. Interference with poles, lamps and fixtures.

§ 90-3. Penalties for offenses.

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Cold Spring 8-11-31 as Sections 15 and 4 of the Code of Ordinances. Amendments noted where applicable.]

§ 90-1. Permits for utility poles.

No telegraph, telephone, electric or other poles shall be placed or erected in any street of the Village without permission in writing from the Board of Trustees. All telegraph, telephone, electric or other poles now standing in any street of the Village which may hereafter be taken down shall not be replaced except by permission and direction of the Board of Trustees. The Board of Trustees shall have power to direct where poles shall be placed and shall have power to determine the kind that shall be used. If any telegraph, telephone, electric or other poles shall at any time be found in the way of any established or proposed curb or street line or of the construction of any silt basin or the location of any fire hydrant or other public structure, the same shall be removed forthwith by the owner or owners thereof upon notice in writing from the Board of Trustees. If the Trustees or the legally constituted authorities of the Village shall at any time deem it best that any or all of the poles shall be entirely removed from any of the streets or part of the streets, then such poles shall be removed forthwith by the owner or owners thereof upon notice in writing by the Mayor given pursuant to resolution of the Board of Trustees. Every permit or license for the erection or maintenance of poles shall refer and be given subject to this section.

§ 90-2. Interference with poles, lamps and fixtures.

No person or persons, except such as shall be appointed or employed for that purpose, shall light or attempt to light, extinguish or attempt to extinguish or in any manner meddle or interfere with the lamps, poles, wires, ropes, electric fixtures or appliances erected or hereafter to be erected, placed or constructed, kept or maintained for lighting said Village; nor shall any persons break, bend or in any other manner injure or interfere with said lamps, wires, fixtures or appliances connected with or attached to the electric lighting system of said Village, or in any manner shake or jolt the poles or pull upon or interfere with the ropes connected with said system, or in any manner molest or interfere with the person or persons appointed or employed to take charge of, light or extinguish said lamps as aforesaid while in performance of said duty.

§ 90-3. Penalties for offenses. [Amended 3-27-79 by L.L. No. 1-1979]

Any person committing an offense against any of the provisions of this chapter or Article, as the case may be, shall be guilty of a violation under the Penal Law and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punishable by a fine of not more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) or by imprisonment for not more than fifteen (15) days, or both.