

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MR. GIERSDORF

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 361

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to penalties for violation
7 of municipal ordinances; and amending
8 subsec. Twelfth, Sec. 16-1-35, ACLA 1949, as
9 amended by Ch. 44, SLA 1953."

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

11 Section 1. Subsec. Twelfth, Sec. 16-1-35, ACLA 1949, as
12 amended by Ch. 44, SLA 1953 is amended to read as follows:

13 Twelfth. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF ORDINANCES. To pre-
14 scribe the punishment for the violation of any municipal
15 ordinance, but such punishment shall not exceed in any case
16 a fine of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) or imprisonment in
17 a municipal jail of thirty days, or both, in the discretion
18 of the court, together with the costs of prosecution, Pro-
19 vided: that a judgment that the defendant pay a fine may also
20 direct that he be imprisoned in the municipal jail until the
21 fine be satisfied, specifying the extent of the imprisonment,
22 which cannot exceed one day for every five dollars of the
23 fine; and in case the entry of judgment should omit to direct
24 the imprisonment and the extent thereof, the judgment to pay
25 the fine shall operate to authorize and require the imprison-
26 ment of the defendant until the fine is satisfied at the rate
27 above mentioned: and provided further, that the council shall
28 have the power to prescribe by ordinance, for the suspension
29 of motor vehicle operators licenses or permits for violating

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of municipal ordinances relating to the use and operation of
motor vehicles. The city council may prescribe a civil
penalty for the violation of any municipal ordinance but the
penalty shall not exceed \$300.00. All fines and costs im-
posed and collected for violation of municipal ordinances
shall belong to the municipality and be paid over to its
Treasury.