Chapter 8.16 Public Nuisances

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Anything which is injurious to health or is indecent, or offensive to the senses, or an obstruction to the free use of property so as to interfere with the comfortable enjoyment of life or property by an entire community or neighborhood, or by any considerable number of persons, or unlawfully obstructs the free passage or use, in the customary manner, of any public park, square, street or highway within the City of Dillon, is a “public nuisance.” (Prior code §437)

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8.16.20 Abatement Required – Costs – Violation – Penalty

Anyone found guilty of creating, maintaining or keeping a public nuisance shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, and shall be ordered to abate such public nuisance within some certain time, and in case such person fails to abate such nuisance within the time ordered by the police magistrate shall render judgment against the defendant for the cost of such abatement. Or, in case the further continuance of any nuisance after the discovery thereof by the chief of police is dangerous to the health of the city, the chief of police shall be taxed in the judgment against the defendant. All costs taxed against anyone for the abatement of a nuisance shall be considered as a part of the penalty assessed for the creating or maintaining of a nuisance. (Prior code §438)

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