

**98-O-17**

**AN ORDINANCE**

**Amending City Code Section 9-1-5, "Police Powers"**

**NOW BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS:**

**SECTION 1:** Section 9-1-5, "Police Powers," of the Evanston City Code of 2012, as amended, is amended and revised to read as follows:

- (A) Police Department: The Police Chief and sworn members of the Police Department are law enforcing officers and have the power to:
1. Arrest with or without process, all persons who break the peace, or violate any municipal ordinance or criminal law of the state;
  2. Commit arrested persons for examination;
  3. If necessary, detain arrested persons in custody overnight or Sunday in any safe place, or until they can be brought before the proper court; and
  4. Exercise all other powers as conservators of the peace prescribed by the corporate authorities.

**SECTION 2:** The findings and recitals contained herein are declared to be prima facie evidence of the law of the City and shall be received in evidence as provided by the Illinois Compiled Statutes and the courts of the State of Illinois.

**SECTION 3:** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4:** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in the manner provided by law.

**SECTION 5:** If any provision of this ordinance or application thereof to any

person or circumstance is ruled unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid application or provision, and each invalid provision or invalid application of this ordinance is severable.

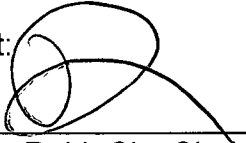
Introduced: September 28th, 2017

Approved:

Adopted: September 28th, 2017

October 2,, 2017

Stephen H. Hagerly  
Stephen H. Hagerly, Mayor

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