

CHAPTER 27

OFFENSES

ARTICLE I - JUNK YARDS

27-1-1 **DEFINITIONS.** The following terms shall have the meanings ascribed to them pursuant to this Chapter.

“Junk” as used in this Chapter shall be held to mean and include scrap and old iron, steel, chain, brass, copper, magnesium, aluminum, tin, lead or other base metals, scrap lumber, old rope, old bags, rags, waste paper, paper clippings, scraps of woolens, clips, bagging, rubber and glass, and empty bottles of different kinds or sizes when the number of each kind or size is less than **one (1) gross**, any wrecked or dilapidated motor vehicle, engine, or machinery received, stored or held for more than **ninety (90) days**, and all articles and things discarded or no longer used as a manufactured article composed of or consisting of any **one (1)** or more of the materials or articles herein mentioned.

“Junk Dealer” as used in this Chapter shall be held to mean and include every person, firm, partnership, or corporation that shall engage in the business of buying, selling, bartering or exchanging, or shall collect, receive, store or hold in possession for sale, barter or exchange, any of the things in and by this Section defined as “junk”.

“Junk Yard” as used in this Chapter shall be held to mean and include the premises on which a junk dealer is engaged in the business of buying, selling, bartering, exchanging, or collecting, receiving, storing or holding in possession for sale, barter, or exchange, any of the things in any by this Section defined as “junk”.

(Also see Chapter 25, Articles I and III)

27-1-2 **ILLEGAL.** It shall be unlawful for any person to keep, conduct, maintain or operate a junk yard within the corporate limits of the Village. **(See Zoning Code)**