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[**HISTORY:** Adopted by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester City; Article I, 5-25-1868; Article II, 4-25-12. Amendments noted where applicable.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Brush, weeds and debris — See Ch. 25.

Garbage collection — See Ch. 50.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester City, in the County of Camden and State of New Jersey, that:

**ARTICLE I**  
**Protection of Legal Notices**  
**[Adopted 5-25-1868]**

**§ 52-1. Destruction of posted legal notices or handbills prohibited; penalty.<sup>1</sup>**

Any person or persons who shall deface, pull or tear down, or shall cause to be defaced, pulled or torn down or destroyed, any ordinance, proclamation or copy of the same, or any handbill or advertisement, put up under or by authority of the Mayor, Judge of the Municipal Court or Common Council of this city, shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.) or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding ninety (90) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Judge before whom such conviction shall be had.

**ARTICLE II**  
**Distribution of Handbills**  
**[Adopted 4-25-12]**

**§ 52-2. Distribution of circulars and handbills prohibited.**

It shall be unlawful to distribute, cast or place, or cause to be distributed, cast or placed, on or along any of the streets or public places of Gloucester City, or on any of the sidewalks or footways thereof, or into any vestibule or yard, or upon any porch of any store, dwelling house or other building within the limits of said city, any paper, circular, advertisement, handbill or wastepaper; provided that nothing herein contained shall be

<sup>1</sup> Editor's Note: Amended at time of adoption of Code. See Ch. 1, § 1-6B(1).

held to prohibit the regular distribution of newspapers, addressed envelopes or postal cards.

**§ 52-3. Violations and penalties.<sup>1</sup>**

Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.) or by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Judge before whom such conviction shall be had.

**§ 52-4. When effective.**

This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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