

Chapter 1.08

GENERAL PENALTY AND MUNICIPAL COURT

Sections:

- 1.08.010 General penalty.
- 1.08.020 Costs.
- 1.08.030 Sentencing.

1.08.010 General penalty.

A. It shall be unlawful to violate any provision of the Delta Municipal Code, City ordinances, or any code or regulation adopted by reference. Any person convicted of a violation of any provision of the Delta Municipal Code, any ordinance or any code adopted by reference, may be punished by a fine in an amount not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or by imprisonment in jail for a period of not more than one (1) year, or by both such fine and imprisonment, unless a lower maximum sentence is specified.

B. Provided, however, no person under the age of eighteen (18) years may be sentenced to any period of imprisonment in excess of ten (10) days, except for traffic offenses.

C. A separate offense shall be deemed committed upon each day any violation continues. (Ord. 3, §1, 1987; Ord. 18, §1, 1997)

1.08.020 Costs. Any person found guilty of any violation following a trial to the court shall be assessed court costs in the amount of \$15.00. Costs shall be \$45.00 for conviction following a jury trial. Any person entering a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to a complaint shall be assessed court costs in the amount of \$5.00. These costs shall not be suspended by the court. (Ord. 3, §1, 1987)

1.08.030 Sentencing. The Municipal Court, except as expressly limited by specified maximum or minimum sentences and costs, shall have the discretion to sentence persons in any lawful manner, including acceptance of deferred sentence and deferred prosecution stipulations, and may suspend all or part of any fine or jail sentence or impose probation on such terms as the court deems appropriate. (Ord. 3, §1, 1987)