

CHAPTER 17
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Sec. 17-1. Board of Health – Authorization: Powers Generally (2)

In compliance with North Dakota Century Code Section 23-04-01. The mayor shall at the first meeting of the city council in April of each year appoint four aldermen, who together with the city engineer and city health officer shall constitute a board of health and shall have and exercise the powers conferred upon such board by law and the ordinances of the city.

Source: See Rev. Ord. of City of Carrington, 1940; Sec. 136.

Sec. 17-2. Same- Publication of Orders and Regulations

Notice shall be given by the local board of health of all general orders and regulations made by them by publishing the same in the official newspaper of the city. Such publication of such orders and regulations shall be deemed a legal notice to all persons.

Sec. 17-3. Same- City to Provide Record Books

It shall be the duty of the city council to provide the necessary books for keeping a record of all transactions of the board of health.

1. For state law authorizing the city to make regulations necessary or expedient for the promotion of health or for the suppression of disease see NDCC: 40-05-01, 45. As to the disposition of dead animals, see Ch. 6 of this Code. As to rabies vaccination for dogs, see Ch. 6. As to condition of premises of junk yards generally, see Ch. 18.
2. For state law as to city board of health generally, see NDCC; 23-04-01 to 23-04-09. As to powers and duties of board of health, see NDCC: 23-05-01 to 23-05-12. As to composition of board of health see Sec. 2-24 of this Code.

Sec. 17-4. Same Appeal from Decision of Board of Health Officer

Any person who shall feel aggrieved at any decision, rule or regulation of the health officer or of any member of the board of health, may appeal there from such appeal shall be heard by the board of health at a special meeting to be immediately called to consider the same.

Such person may appear at such meeting and shall be heard to state his grievances. In arriving at a decision the officer or member whose decision; rule or regulations is being appealed from shall refrain from voting.

Sec. 17-5. Health Officer- Powers Generally (3)

The health officer is the executive officer of the board of health and shall have and exercise a general supervision over the sanitary conditions of the city.

Sec. 17-6. Same- Duties Generally

It shall be the duty of the health officer to enforce all of the provisions of this Code and other ordinances of the city in relation to the sanitary regulations of the city and to cause all nuisances to be abated with reasonable promptness; and for the purpose of carrying out the foregoing requirements he shall be permitted at all times during the hours between 8:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. to enter into any building or other structure in order to make a thorough examination of the premises and to cause all premises to be cleaned and kept in good condition and to cause all dead animals or other noxious or unwholesome things and substances to be buried or removed or disposed of as the health officer or board of health may direct.

The owner or person in charge of such premises shall be required to answer all reasonable questions asked by such persons relative thereto and of the places where such nuisances may be.

(For former ordinance, see Rev. Ord. of City of Carrington; 1940; Sec. 137.)

Sec. 17-7. Adoption of State Law Relating to Reportable Diseases

The provisions of North Dakota Century Code, Section 23-07-011 et. Seq. relating to contagious and reportable diseases are hereby adopted and made a part of this Code.

Sec. 17-8. Reporting of Nuisances (4)

Whenever any nuisance, source of filth or cause of sickness is found on private property, any member of the local board of health shall notify the chief of police for abatement.

3. For state law as to powers and duties of city health officer generally, see NDCC: 23-04-05.