Chapter 11.01

Construction And Installation Of Sidewalks, Curbs And Gutters

Section 1. Permit Required. No sidewalk, curb or gutter shall be constructed on any street, avenue or other public property in this municipality without first having obtained a permit from the City Council. Application for such permit shall be made on forms to be approved by the council and shall sufficiently describe the contemplated improvement, the contemplated date of beginning work and the length of time for completion of the same. Provided, that no permit shall be required for any such improvement ordered or to be installed by the municipality.

Section 2. Specifications and Regulation for Construction. All sidewalks, curbs and gutters constructed upon any street, avenue or other public property in this municipality shall be constructed according to plans and specifications on file with and approved by the council of the City of Howard Lake. Before any such construction is begun the municipality shall establish grades and assist in determining locations for the same. If such grade or location has not been established before the filing of an application for a permit to construct the improvements the Council shall order the engineer, street commissioner or other proper officer or employee to proceed to establish the same, unless the permit is denied for cause, and the expense of such work shall be paid by the municipality.

Section 3. Inspection and Supervision. The council shall require the inspection of all work done hereunder as deemed necessary. Any work not done according to specifications shall be corrected or removed at the expense of the permit holder and, if still being done when discovered, shall be stopped by the inspector.

Section 4. Penalty. Any person convicted of violating any provision of this ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor.