

Chapter 4**ADMINISTRATION**

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[**HISTORY:** Adopted Walton Village Board 9-24-1892.]

§ 4-1. Duties and powers of village officials.

A. It shall be the duty of the President of the Board of Trustees,¹ as head of the police force of the village, to see that the bylaws, rules and ordinances of the village, and all laws for the government of the village, are enforced, and to maintain peace, quiet and good order. And for this purpose he shall have power personally to make any arrest or to direct the arrest by any police officer of any person violating any of these bylaws.

B. Every Trustee of the village shall have personally a like power of arrest for a violation of any ordinances or bylaws of the village.

§ 4-2. Failure to pay penalties.

Every execution issued for the collection of a penalty imposed by the court shall require the officer to whom such execution is

¹ Editor's Note: Now termed the Mayor.

directed, in case the defendant has no property out of which such penalty can be collected, to convey him or her to the common jail of the county there, to be imprisoned until such judgment is paid, not exceeding ten (10) days.

§ 4-3. Arrest; trial; penalties.

For every violation of these bylaws which, by the common laws or the statutes of this state or the Penal Code, are made or designated as crimes or misdemeanors, the person so violating may be arrested by any police officer on view, or if a felony, upon being informed that the felony was committed or upon warrant and information, and shall be tried and punished for such crime or misdemeanor, in addition to the penalties hereinbefore prescribed for the offense, and the court before whom the same is tried, either upon a plea of guilty or upon conviction, shall render judgment thereon of fine or imprisonment or both. But such fine shall not exceed fifty dollars (\$50.) nor the imprisonment six (6) months.

§ 4-4. Actions for recovery of penalties.

Every action to recover any penalty under or in pursuance of these bylaws shall be commenced in a court having jurisdiction thereof, by appropriate process and in the name of the village as plaintiff.

§ 4-5. Compensation of police and Fire Warden.

The Board of Trustees shall by a resolution fix the compensation to be paid to the police for ordinary and extra service, and to the Fire Warden or Wardens for the performance of the duties required of them by these bylaws.