

PUBLIC SAFETY

**91.000 POLICE ORDINANCE
 ORDINANCE NO. 15**

 Adopted: December 2, 1968
 Effective: December 9, 1968

An Ordinance to create a Police Department in and for the Township of Cooper, Kalamazoo County, Michigan.

A. Title

 This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the “Police Ordinance of the Township of Cooper.”

B. Department

 There is hereby created and established the Cooper Township Police Department which shall be composed of a police chief and such patrolmen, detectives, and other officers and members as may be required for the proper and efficient operation and maintenance of said department.

C. Rules and regulations

 The Cooper Township Board shall from time to time by resolution make and establish such rules and regulations for the governing of the employees and officers thereof, their compensation, and for the care and management of the motor vehicles, equipment, property and buildings pertaining thereto as shall be necessary for the proper and efficient operation and maintenance of the Cooper Township Police Department and shall prescribe the duties of the officers and employees thereof.

D. Powers of officers

 Cooper Township police officers appointed under this Ordinance shall have and possess all of the powers conferred upon them by Public Act 359 of 1947, as amended, and are under authority of said Act hereby declared to be peace officers and shall have the duty to preserve peace and good order.

E. Effective date

 This Ordinance took effect on December 9, 1968. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.