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City ordinance prohibits the following:

- Climbing on or destroying a levy.
- Driving on a levy.
- Entering an area deemed off-limits or restricted by city officials.
- Operating a watercraft that damages flood protection efforts by, for instance, creating a wake or striking a levy.

A violation of city ordinance 10-0318 mandates an appearance in municipal court and may result in a maximum fine of \$500.

Driving around a barricade is a violation of city ordinance 08-1301D, which carries a \$20 fine.

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