

TOWN OF CEDARBURG

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-05

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 305-20, and 305-21 of the Code of Ordinances of the TOWN OF CEDARBURG REGARDING WINTER PARKING AND SNOW EMERGENCY.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, by the TOWN BOARD, of the TOWN OF CEDARBURG, Ozaukee County, Wisconsin that Sections 305-20 and 305-21 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**§ 305-20. Parking prohibited during certain hours.**

No person shall park, stop or leave standing any vehicle except temporarily for the purpose of and while actually engaged in loading or unloading or in receiving or discharging passengers and while the vehicle is attended by a licensed operator so that it may be moved promptly in case of an emergency or to avoid obstruction of traffic upon the following locations or highways, at the time indicated, when official traffic signs restricting and limiting such parking are posted on the portion of those locations or highways, or at the corporate limits of the Town as specifically provided by law:

- A. Generally. For a period of time longer than 30 minutes between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m., except physicians on emergency calls, on any street or highway in the Town.
- B. Hamilton Park. In Hamilton Park, no parking between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m.
- C. Winter Parking. No person shall park any vehicle on any street, road, highway, public way, or public parking lot in the Town between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. from November 15 through March 31, when official traffic signs have been erected at or reasonably near the corporate limits of the Town indicating this prohibition as provided in Section 349.13, Wis. Stats.

**§ 305-21. Parking during snow emergency.**

A. Declaration of Snow Emergency. The Town Board hereby declares that an emergency may exist in the Town whenever a snowfall during any period of 24 hours or less reaches a depth of two inches or more, measured on the level. Such emergency shall be declared during the period of a snowstorm or immediately thereafter, whenever there exists a serious public hazard impairing transportation and public health, safety and welfare, as determined by the Town Chairman or his/her designee.

- (1.) Notice of emergency. The Town Chairman, or his/her designee, may proclaim the state of emergency through the press, radio or other public

means of communication and may designate and authorize law enforcement officials and snow removal personnel to inform the citizenry of the existence of the emergency.

- (2.) Duration of emergency. Snow emergency parking regulations shall commence two (2) hours after the original broadcast for a period of 24 hours or until such earlier time as snow-removal operations have been declared completed by the Town Chairman or his/her designee.
- (3.) Parking prohibited during emergency. No person shall park any vehicle on a street, road, highway, public way, or public parking lot during the period of a snow emergency.
- (4.) Authorization of Erection of No Parking Signs. Pursuant to the provisions of §349.13, Wis. Stats., the Director of Public Works is authorized to erect permanent official traffic signs at or reasonably near the corporate limits of the Town on all state and county trunk highways and connecting highways, informing motorists that parking is prohibited upon any street in the Town during the existence of a snow emergency.
- (5.) Removal of vehicles. The Director of Public Works, his/her designee, or any traffic officer is hereby authorized to cause the removal of vehicles parked in violation of this Section. The removal may be by or under the direction of the Director of Public Works, his/her designee, or any traffic officer, or may be contracted for removal by a private service according to the terms of § 305-24 D. In addition to other penalties provided in this Section, any charges relating to moving, towing, or storage of the vehicle shall be the responsibility of the owner or operator of the vehicle.

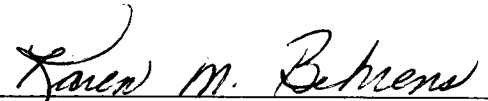
B. Enforcement. A Constable of the Town of Cedarburg or any other traffic officer may issue a citation for a forfeiture penalty in violation of this section. A Constable of the Town or any other traffic officer is authorized and empowered to remove or have such vehicle removed to a position where parking is permitted.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and posting or publication as provided by law.

Passed and adopted by the TOWN BOARD of the TOWN OF CEDARBURG, Ozaukee County, Wisconsin this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2007.

  
David M. Valentine  
Town Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Karen M. Behrens  
Town Clerk