

**CITY OF WEST ALLIS
ORDINANCE O-2023-0083**

**ORDINANCE TO UPDATE NIGHT PARKING RULES AND REPEAL PARKING
RULES DIFFERENTIATING MAJOR AND MINOR SNOW EMERGENCIES**

AMENDING SECTIONS 10.105 AND 10.11

WHEREAS, Wis. Stat. 349.13(1e)(c)2. allows the City to enact parking regulations that prohibit, limit or restrict the parking of vehicles "during a snow emergency as determined by a municipality," upon a two-thirds vote of the common council and when official traffic signs have been placed or erected at or reasonably near the corporate limits of the municipality on all state and county trunk highways and connecting highways informing motorists that snow emergency regulations are in effect in the municipality;

WHEREAS, the council seeks to use consistent terminology for night parking rules and snow emergency rules;

NOW THEREFORE, the common council of the City of West Allis do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1: **AMENDMENT** "10.105 Night Parking Regulations" of the City Of West Allis Municipal Code is hereby *amended* as follows:

AMENDMENT

10.105 Night Parking Regulations

1. Night Parking Restricted. No vehicle may be parked on a street or municipal parking lot between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m., unless one of the following applies:
 - a. The vehicle is an authorized emergency vehicle as defined in Wis. Stat. 340.01(3).
 - b. The vehicle has a valid night parking permit issued by the police chief for that vehicle ~~and is displaying that permit near the upper left corner of the driver's side rear window or the upper right corner of the driver's door window.~~ and proof of a night parking permit is displayed on the vehicle in a form determined by the police chief. This exception does not apply if the vehicle has a trailer attached to it.
 - i. The police chief shall issue annual, quarterly, or monthly night parking permits to any eligible vehicle upon receipt of an application in a form approved by the police chief and payment of the proper fee listed in the Fee Schedule. ~~The issued permit shall conspicuously display its expiration date. The police chief may issue a duplicate night parking permit to replace a lost or stolen permit upon payment~~

~~of the proper fee listed in the Fee Schedule.~~ At the time a night parking permit is issued, the police chief shall inform the vehicle owner how to display proof of that permit. All fees paid are nonrefundable.

- ii. An application for a night parking permit shall include the name, home address, and phone number of the vehicle owner, the make, model, and registration plate number of the vehicle, and any other information required by the police chief.
- iii. The police chief may not issue a night parking permit to any of the following vehicles:
 - (1) Vehicles in excess of 8,000 pounds curb weight
 - (2) Mobile homes
 - (3) Trailers
 - (4) Snowmobiles
 - (5) All-terrain vehicles
 - (6) Electric personal assistive mobility devices
 - (7) Golf carts
 - (8) Truck tractors, road tractors, farm tractors, or farm truck tractors
 - (9) Vehicles used primarily for commercial purposes

- c. The vehicle is parked in a business district, but only while a business in that business district is open. This exception does not apply if the vehicle has a trailer attached to it.
- d. The vehicle is parked on South 56th Street on the boundary of West Allis and the Village of West Milwaukee and is displaying a night parking permit issued by the Village of West Milwaukee. This exception does not apply if the vehicle has a trailer attached to it.

2. Alternating Side Parking Required:

a. Regulations. Vehicles may be parked on a street only in the manner described in the table below.

~~Any vehicle parked on a street between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m., shall park on the odd-numbered side of the street if the calendar date at that time is an even number and the even-numbered side of the street if the calendar date at that time is an odd number, unless one of the following applies:~~

Park on Even Side of Street	Park on Odd Side of Street	Park on Either Side of Street
<u>From 3:00 a.m. to 5:59 a.m. if the previous day was an even-numbered day</u>	<u>From 3:00 a.m. to 5:59 a.m. if the previous day was an odd-numbered date</u>	<u>From 6:00 a.m. to 2:59 a.m. every day</u>

- b. Exceptions. The following vehicles are exempt from alternate side parking requirements:
 - i. ~~The vehicle is an a~~Authorized emergency vehicles, as defined in Wis. Stat. 340.01(3).
 - ii. ~~The v~~Vehicles~~is~~ displaying a special registration plate issued pursuant to Wis. Stat. 341.14(1), (1a), (1e), (1m), (1q) or (1r) or 343.51 and ~~that vehicle is while~~ parked within a disabled parking zone established under WAMC 10.065(7).
 - iii. ~~The v~~Vehicles~~is~~ parked on a service drive or frontage road that parallels a divided highway.

SECTION 2: AMENDMENT “10.11 Snow Emergency Regulations” of the City Of West Allis Municipal Code is hereby *amended* as follows:

AMENDMENT

10.11 Snow Emergency Regulations

- 1. Declaration of Emergency
 - a. ~~Major Snow Emergency~~Declaration. At any time, the Director of Public Works may declare a ~~major~~ snow emergency when actual or predicted snowfall accumulation on streets jeopardizes the public safety and welfare of the City. This declaration shall be publicized through radio, television, internet, text message, or other means of public communication deemed appropriate by the Director.
 - b. ~~Public Notice of Major Snow Emergency~~. When the Director declares a ~~major~~ snow emergency, the declaration shall clearly state the commencement date and time~~and along with the~~ expiration date and time. The declaration may be effective no sooner than 1 hour after publicizing the declaration in accordance with this section.
 - c. ~~Minor Snow Emergency. From December 1 to March 31, the common council declares a minor snow emergency.~~
- 2. ~~Major~~ Snow Emergency Regulations
 - a. Emergency Thoroughfares. No person shall park or leave unattended any vehicle of any kind or description upon any emergency thoroughfare during a declared ~~major~~ snow emergency except where permitted by posted signs authorized by the Common Council. Such signs shall state “Parking Permitted Between Signs During Snow Emergency” or words of similar effect and shall be posted so as to give reasonable notice of the permitted zone. All vehicles

parked in violation of this subsection shall be promptly removed from such emergency thoroughfares immediately at the time when the declared ~~major~~ snow emergency takes effect.

Emergency thoroughfares shall consist of the major traffic, mass transit and emergency vehicle routes in the City of West Allis as follows:

S. 60 St. from S.C.L. to N.C.L. S. 66 St. from W. National Ave. to W. Burnham St. S. 67 Pl. From W. Beloit Rd. to W. Rogers St. S. 68 St. from S.C.L. (S. of W. Arthur Ave.) to W. National Ave. S. 70 St. from W. Mitchell St. to N.C.L. S. 76 St. from N.C.L. (N. of W. Pierce St.) to W. Oklahoma Ave. S. 81 St. from W. Greenfield Ave. to W. National Ave. S. 84 St. from W. Oklahoma Ave. to W. Schlinger Ave. S. 88 St. from W. Lincoln Ave. to 500 ft. S. of W. Lincoln Ave. S. 90 St. & W. Hayes Ave. from W. Lincoln Ave. to S. 92 St. (Includes Hospital Emergency Intersection) S. 92 St. from W. Oklahoma Ave. to N.C.L. S. 100 St. from W. Madison Pl. to W. Schlinger Ave. S. 101 St. from W. Madison Pl. to W. Greenfield Ave. S. 108 St. from N.C.L. to W. Morgan Ave. S. 113 St. from W. Greenfield Ave. to W. Lapham St. S. 116 St. from W. Lincoln Ave. to S. Curtis Rd. S. 124 St. from N.C.L. to W. Morgan Ave. W. Becher St. from S. 67 Pl. to dead end west of S. 99 St. W. Becher Pl. from W. Burnham St. to S. 67 Pl. W. Beloit Rd. from E.C.L. to W. Oklahoma Ave. W. Burnham St. from E.C.L. to S. 66 St. W. Cleveland Ave. from S. 84 St. to S. 124 St. S. Curtis Rd. from S. 116 St. to N.C.L. (W. Fairview Ave.) W. Electric Ave. from W. Lincoln Ave. to E.C.L. W. Greenfield Ave. from S. 56 St. to S. 124 St. W. Lapham St. from S. 108 St. to S. 113 St. W. Lincoln Ave. from E.C.L. to S. 124 St. W. Madison Pl. from S. 100 St. to 101 St. W. Mitchell St. from E.C.L. to S. 71 St. W. National Ave. from E.C.L. to S. 124 St. W. Oklahoma Ave. from E.C.L. to S. 116 St. W. Schlinger Ave. from S. 100 St. to S. 84 St. W. Theodore Trecker Way from S. 116 St. to S. 108 St.

- b. ~~Minor snow emergency regulations shall apply during a major snow emergency.~~ Alternating Sides. During a declared snow emergency, vehicles may be parked on each street that is not an emergency thoroughfare only in the manner described in the table below.

Park on Even Side of Street	Park on Odd Side of Street	Park on Either Side of Street
<u>From 12:00 a.m. to 2:59 p.m. if the previous day was an even-numbered date</u>	<u>From 12:00 a.m. to 2:59 p.m. if the previous day was an odd-numbered date</u>	<u>From 3:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. every day</u>

- 3. ~~Minor Snow~~ Authority During Snow Emergency ~~Regulations~~
 - a. Snow emergency regulations shall supersede all conflicting overnight parking regulations for the duration of the snow emergency only.

- b. ~~(Reserved.) During a minor snow emergency, vehicles shall be parked on one side of each street, except emergency thoroughfares, in the manner described in the table below.~~

Park on Even Side of Street	Park on Odd Side of Street	Park on Either Side of Street
From 12:00 a.m. to 2:59 p.m. if the previous day was an even-numbered date	From 12:00 a.m. to 2:59 p.m. if the previous day was an odd-numbered date	From 3:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. every day

- c. Parking shall be permitted as set forth herein, provided that no other regulations restricting parking as to time, place or manner are violated.
- d. When, in the opinion of the Director of Public Works, snow accumulation on any City street is such that the removal of snow from along the curb becomes necessary or that the movement of vehicular traffic becomes severely impeded because of parked vehicles, the Director is empowered to prohibit the parking of vehicles upon such street or municipal parking lots through the posting of TEMPORARY NO PARKING signs until conditions permit.
- e. Any vehicle parked in violation of this section may be removed, pursuant to Section 10.03(3) of this Code.

SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on and after the required approval and publication according to law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF WEST ALLIS COUNCIL

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	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Ald. Vince Vitale	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Ray Turner	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Tracy Stefanski	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Marty Weigel	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Suzzette Grisham	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Danna Kuehn	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Thomas Lajsic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Dan Roadt	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Rosalie Reinke	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Kevin Haass	_____	_____	_____	_____

Attest

Presiding Officer

Rebecca Grill, City Clerk, City Of
West Allis

Dan Devine, Mayor, City Of West
Allis