

## CHAPTER 4.00 TRAFFIC CODE

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### 4.01 STATE TRAFFIC LAWS ADOPTED.

- A. STATE TRAFFIC LAWS ADOPTED. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this chapter, all provisions of Chapters 110.075 and 340 to 348, Wis. Stats, describing and defining regulations with aspect to vehicles and traffic for which the penalty is a forfeiture only, including penalties to be imposed and procedure for prosecution, are hereby adopted and by reference made a part of this Chapter as if fully set forth herein. Any act required to be performed or prohibited by any statute incorporated herein by the reference is required or prohibited by this Chapter. Any amendments, revisions or modifications of the Statutes incorporated herein are intended to be made part of this Code in order to secure uniform statewide regulation of traffic on the highways, street and alleys of the State of Wisconsin.
- B. OTHER LAWS ADOPTED. There are also hereby adopted by reference the following sections of the Wisconsin Statutes and Administrative Rules, but the prosecution of such offenses under this Chapter shall be as provided in Chapters 110.075, and Chapters 340 to 348, Wisconsin Statutes and the penalty for violation thereof shall be limited to a forfeiture as provided in 4.10 of this Chapter;

Trans 150:	Leasing of Vehicles by Private Carriers
Trans 175:	Rental Companies
Trans 177 & Chapter 194:	Motor Carriers
Trans 254 & 255: (#02-01)	Permits for Oversize and Overweight Loads
MVD Trans:	305, 308, 325, 327

Trans 308 is the Administrative code covering brakes, safety chains and other types of equipment on trailers and semi-trailers.

Trans 325 adopts the motor carrier safety regulations of the US Department of Transportation, and come into play when dealing with out-of-state trucks.

Trans 327 is the Administrative Code regulating the number of hours a truck driver can work. (#01-13)

941.01(1)	Negligent Operation of Vehicle off Highway
305	(MVD Trans) Standard for Vehicle Equipment
350.01	(Snowmobiles) Definitions
350.02	Operation of Snowmobiles on or in the Vicinity of Highways
350.03	Right-of-Way
350.05	Operation by youthful operators restricted
350.06	Firearms and bows
350.07	Driving animals
350.08	Owner permitting operation
350.09	Headlamps, tail lamps and brakes, etc.
350.10	Miscellaneous provisions for snowmobile operation

#### **4.02 TRAFFIC SIGNS/SIGNALS**

When official signs or automatic traffic signals are erected at any location they shall be complied with.

A. The following Village streets are designated arterial and collector streets. All traffic entering such streets is to stop or yield for the posted signs. Arterial and collector streets are:

1. Center Street (Tower Drive to Parkway Drive).
2. Chateau Drive (Wilshire to Willow Ridge Drive).
3. County HWY P (North to south limits).
4. Eagle Drive (Main to Hickory).

- a. Except for 4-way stop at Hickory.
  5. Glen Brooke Drive (Main to Glen Hill Drive).
  6. Glen Hill Drive (Parkway Drive to Glen Brook Drive).
  7. Hickory Lane (Sherman Road to Jackson Drive).
  8. Highland Road (Jackson Drive to east limits).
  9. Hunters Road (Jackson drive to Chateau Drive).
  10. Industrial Drive (Main to Metro Court).
  11. Jackson Drive (North to south limits).
    - a. Except at the intersection of Main Street (STH 60), which is controlled by automatic traffic signals.
  12. Main Street (STH 60) (east to west limits).
    - a. Except at the intersection with CTH P, which is controlled by automatic traffic signals.
    - b. Except at the intersection with Jackson Drive, which is controlled by automatic traffic signals.
  13. Parkview Drive (Hazelwood Lane to Ridge Road).
  14. Ridgeway Drive (Main Street to Highland Road).
  15. Sherman Road (east to west limits).
  16. Western Avenue (Main Street to Parkway Drive).
  17. Wilshire Drive (Georgetown Drive to Jackson Drive).
  18. Riverview Drive (Jackson Drive to the northern intersection with Songbird Circle).
  19. Francis Drive from Raymond Drive to Creekside Drive.
- B. Stop or yield signs erected to control traffic on the following streets or locations are officially posted:
1. Ash Drive at Pine Drive.
  2. Cedar Park Court at Cedar Parkway.

3. Colonial Lane at Westfield Drive.
4. Georgetown Drive at Wilshire Court/Park Drive.
5. Hemlock Street at Spruce Street.
6. Juniper Street at Pine Drive.
7. Oakland Drive at Cedar Run Drive.
8. Parkview Drive at Ridge Road.
9. Parkway Drive at Glencoe Lane.
10. Scot Court at South Street.
11. Valley Drive at Northview Drive.

#### **4.03 SPEED LIMITS.**

##### **A. SPEED LIMITS.**

1. 15 MPH.
  - a. In all school zones when children are present.
  - b. On all Village of Jackson park area roads.
  - c. On the alley/driveway running east and west along the south side of Jackson Park from Jackson Drive on the east to the end of public right away on the west.
2. 25 MPH on all streets within the Village except in school zones and as follows.
3. 35 MPH.
  - a. On Main Street (STH 60) from east Village limits to just west of Ridgeway Drive.
  - b. On Cedar Parkway from Main Street (STH 60) to the southern Village limits.
4. 40 MPH.
  - a. On Main Street (STH 60) from west Village limits to Industrial/Glen Brooke Drive.

5. 45 MPH.
  - a. On Cedar Creek Road from eastern to western Village limits.
  - b. On CTH P from southern Village limits to the northern Village limits.
6. NOT USED.
7. 65 MPH.
  - a. On US STH 45 from the southern Village limits to the northern Village limits.

#### **4.04 PARKING LIMITATIONS.**

When signs or parking meters are erected on any street giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle for other than the period specified by the sign or meter. The parking restrictions are as follows:

##### **A. NO PARKING.**

1. No person shall stop, leave standing or park any vehicle on:
  - a. Main street (STH 60): North and south side from the eastern Village limits to the western Village limits.
  - b. Jackson Drive:
    1. East side, south of Main Street (STH 60) 165' south.
    2. West side, south of Main Street (STH 60) 700' south.
    3. West side, north of Main Street (STH60) to 6' north of the alley. (#02-08)
  - c. Industrial Drive:
    1. West side, south of Tower Drive, 110' south.
    2. East side, between Main Street (STH 60) to the entrance to Green Valley III.
  - d. Tower Drive:
    1. North side, east of Industrial Drive, 50' east.

2. South side, from Industrial Drive to Center Street.
- e. Eagle Drive:
    1. East and west sides from Main Street (STH 60) to Hickory Lane.
  - f. Cedar Run Drive:
    1. South and west side from just west of to the intersection of Lea Fon Circle as posted.
  - g. Glen Brooke Drive:
    1. East and west side from Main Street (STH 60) to South Street.
    2. East and west sides from Sherman Road to approximately 100 feet south of Glen Hill Drive. (#04-21)
  - h. Reynolds Street:
    1. North side from Western Avenue to Center Street.
  - i. South Street:
    1. South side from Western Avenue to Center Street. (#04-14)
  - j. Western Avenue:
    1. West side from Main Street to South Street.
  - k. Cedar Parkway:
    1. West side north of Sysco Drive approximates 275' North.
  - l. North Ridgeway Drive:
    1. West side, south of Willow Ridge Drive, south to approximately 50' north of the south lot line W198 N17011 North Ridgeway Drive. (#00-12)
  - m. North Center Street:
    1. East side, from Main Street approximately 188' north. (#00-15)

- n. Hickory Lane
    - 1. North side of Hickory Lane from the east entrance of the Jackson Area Community Center parking lot west to Jackson Drive. (#12-02)
  - 2. No person shall park or leave standing any vehicle on:
    - a. Municipal public property.
      - 1. Village Hall
        - a. On the east or west side of the driveway into the Village Hall off of Main Street (STH 60).
        - b. In front of the garage doors on the west side of the building and areas posted "Police Vehicles Only".
    - b. Fire Department
      - 1. In front of the garage doors on the south side of the building posted "No Parking".
- B. ONE HOUR PARKING. No person shall park any vehicle for more than one hour between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on the following streets, except holidays and Sundays:
  - 1. Jackson Drive:
    - a. East and west sides from Main Street (STH 60) to south Village limits except as otherwise specified in this Chapter.
- C. SCHOOL ZONES. No person shall park, stand or stop, any vehicle in a school zone as indicated, on regularly scheduled school days except as follows:
  - 1. Jackson Drive (between Main Street and Georgetown Drive):
    - a. East and west side, no parking or standing between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (#02-08)
    - b. East side diagonal parking spaces, 15 minute parking, except no parking is permitted from 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. (#04-18)
  - 2. Georgetown Drive:

- a. No person shall discharge or pick up passengers with their vehicle, within the roadway, in a school zone during regularly scheduled school hours.
- b. South side, Jackson Drive to approximately 100' east posted for bus parking only.

D. LOADING ZONES.

- 1. No parking or standing of any vehicle, for more than fifteen (15) minutes, shall be permitted in the following loading zones:
  - a. On the west side of S. Center Street in the area located south of Main Street (STH 60) to the drive at the south end of the building located at W208 N16785 (approximate 40') loading and unloading shall be limited to 15 minutes.

E. COMMERCIAL PARKING RESTRICTED. No commercially licensed motor vehicle, a bus, or a commercially licensed trailer shall be parked or stored on any public street or parking lot, except when loading, unloading, or rendering a service. (#99-21)

F. RECREATIONAL VEHICLE PARKING RESTRICTED: It shall be unlawful for any person to park house or vacation trailers, campers, motor homes, boats or other similar vehicles within a public right-of-way for more than 72 hours. A separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs or continues. (#96-16)

G. PARKING IN EXCESS OF 24 HOURS. Parking on any street, alley, or in a municipally owned or operated parking lot for a period longer than 24 consecutive hours is prohibited. (#95-12)

H. ALL NIGHT PARKING. When signs have been erected at or reasonably near the corporate limits of the Village as provided in Sec. 349.13, Wis. Stats. no person shall park any vehicle on any Village street between 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. from Dec. 1 to April 1 except physicians on emergency calls and authorized emergency vehicles. (#00-01), and signed area on the south side of Georgetown Drive. (#00-16)

I. FIRE LANES.

- 1. No person shall park, stop or leave standing any vehicle on public or private property posted as a fire lane. Such fire lanes will be established upon recommendation of the Fire Chief in the interest of public safety and needs of fire department operations.
- 2. The following areas are designated fire lanes:

1. East and west sides of the driveways on the east and west sides, and the north side of the driveway on the north side of the Tillie Lake Strip Mall located at N168 W22700 to N168 W22730 Prairie View Drive.
2. West side of the driveway located between N168 W22223 and N168 W22225 Main Street south from Main Street to the rear of N168 W22223.
3. East side of the driveway running north and south to the rear of the buildings located at W208 N16779 to W208 N16793 S. Center Street and located east of N168 W20827 Main Street. The driveway cannot be blocked to emergency vehicles.

J. **PARKING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.** (Ordinance #06-01)

1. No person shall park a vehicle on the property of another without permission. A vehicle shall be considered illegally parked if:
  - a. The vehicle has been left unattended without the permission of the owner, lessee, or authorized agent.
  - b. The property is posted as required by State statutes and the police department.

K. **PARKING ON THE GRASS.** No vehicles are to be parked on the grass surface adjacent to any public parking lots unless authorized by the police department. (#99-21)

L. **FOR SALE SIGNS ON PARKED VEHICLES.** Vehicles (including recreational vehicles) are not permitted to be parked or be placed in the front yard setback, in residential, commercial or industrial areas, except on the owner's driveway or parking lot. (#01-11)

M. **BLOCKING MAIL DELIVERY.**

1. No vehicles shall be parked so as to prevent the delivery of mail to postal boxes.
2. Upon receiving a complaint from a resident or postal carrier that mail could not be delivered because a parked motor vehicle blocked the carrier's access to the box, a police officer shall investigate, and if the vehicle is so parked as to prevent mail delivery, may issue a parking citation. (#02-13)

**4.05 BICYCLES/SNOWMOBILES/SKATEBOARDS.**

A. **BICYCLES/SKATEBOARDS.**

1. LAMPS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT. No person may operate a bicycle upon a highway, bicycle lane or bicycle way during hours of darkness unless such bicycle is equipped with or the operator is wearing a lamp emitting a white light visible from a distance of at least 500 feet to the front of the bicycle. Such bicycle shall also be equipped with a red reflector that has a diameter of at least 2 inches of surface area on the rear so mounted and maintained as to be visible from all distances from 50 to 500 feet to the rear when directly in front of lawful upper beam of headlights on a motor vehicle. A lamp emitting a red light visible from a distance of 500 feet to the rear may be used in addition to but not in lieu of the red reflector.
  
2. OPERATION OF BICYCLES, SKATEBOARDS AND PLAY VEHICLES.
  - a. No person shall operate or ride upon a play vehicle as defined in Wis. Stats. § 340.01(43m), or a skateboard in any of the following locations:
    - (1) In or upon any public or private property, parking lot, pedestrian way or other premises where the owner or person in charge of such property has posted signs that operation of such is prohibited.
    - (2) In or upon any alley, highway, roadway or street, except while crossing such area at a crosswalk as defined in Wis. Stats. § 340.01(10).
  - b. No person shall ride or operate a bicycle, play vehicle, or skateboard in a reckless manner.
  - c. No parent or guardian of any minor or ward shall permit such minor or ward to operate a play vehicle, bicycle, or skateboard in violation of Sections A & B. (#07-10)
  - d. The use of play vehicles on Village sidewalks is permitted. (#11-05)
  
3. MORE THAN ONE PERSON ON BICYCLE PROHIBITED. No more than one person shall ride a bicycle at one time unless such bicycle is designed to carry more than one passenger.
  
4. LICENSING AND FEES. All bicycles ridden by or belonging to residents of the Village shall be licensed for an indefinite period. There shall be a one-time fee for a license/sticker as set forth by Resolution. The Police Department shall advertise the different public places the dates of licensing and/or inspection to be made in the spring of the year. No person shall ride or use a bicycle upon any public streets in

the Village unless the same is licensed and registered as provided herein. (9/96)

5. REGISTRATION. Every owner of a bicycle shall list and register with the Village Police Department his name and address, the name of the bicycle manufacturer, its number, style and general description. No bicycle shall be registered which is in unsafe mechanical condition.
6. CHANGES OF OWNERSHIP. No license shall be transferable to new ownership. Within 10 days after any bicycle registered hereunder changes ownership, the person in whose name the bicycle was registered shall report such information to the Police Department. Upon application by the new owner, a new license will be issued.
7. POWERS OF POLICE OFFICERS. Any police officer has authority to suspend the registration of and remove the license tag from any bicycle-operated contrary to this section or any state law or Village Code for a period not to exceed 10 days. Such suspension or removal shall be in addition to other penalties provided hereunder.
8. PENALTY. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon conviction, pay a forfeit together with a penalty assessment and the cost of prosecution. (#04-06)

B. SNOWMOBILES.

1. OPERATION OF SNOWMOBILE AND OTHER OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES IN VILLAGE RESTRICTED. It shall be unlawful to operate any snowmobile or any other motor-driven craft or vehicle principally manufactured for off-highway use on the Village streets, alleys, parks, parking lots, or on any public lands or private lots held open to the public, except, operation of snowmobiles will be permitted on trails approved by the Village Board annually, together with the written consent of the land owner. Such approved trail information shall be kept by the Jackson Police Department.
2. PERMITTING OPERATION BY IMPROPER PERSONS PROHIBITED. No owner or person having charge or control of a snowmobile shall authorize or permit any person to operate such snowmobile who is not permitted under state law to operate such snowmobile, or who is under the influence of an intoxicant or any dangerous or narcotic drug.

**4.06 NEIGHBORHOOD ELECTRIC VEHICLES (#08-03)**

- A. “Neighborhood electric vehicle” (NEV) means any self-propelled electrically-powered motor vehicle, excluding golf carts, that has a maximum speed of 20 to 25 miles per hour, and that has successfully completed the Neighborhood Electric

Vehicle America Test Program conducted by the Federal Department of Energy, and that conforms to the definition and requirements for low-speed vehicles as adopted in the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards for Low-Speed Vehicles under 49 CFR 571.3(b) and 571.500.

- B. Neighborhood electric vehicles authorized pursuant to 349.26 Wisconsin Statutes shall be allowed to operate on the public roads within the village with the following limitations:
  - 1. Operation is limited to streets with a speed limit of 35mph or less.
  - 2. The vehicle must display a valid NEV registration plate issued by the Department of Transportation.
  - 3. The vehicle must display a federal certification label.

#### **4.07 ABANDONMENT OF VEHICLES PROHIBITED.**

- A. ABANDONMENT. No person shall abandon any vehicle unattended within the Village of Jackson for such time and under such circumstances as to cause the vehicle to reasonably appear to be abandoned.
- B. DEFINITION. As used in this section “vehicle” means a motor vehicle, trailer, semi-trailer or mobile home as defined in Section One of this Code, whether or not vehicle is registered under Wis. Stats.
- C. PRESUMPTION OF ABNADONMENT.

Any vehicle left unattended for more than 48 hours on any public highway or grounds, or on private property where parking is prohibited, limited or restricted, without the permission of the owner or lessee, is deemed abandoned and constitutes a public nuisance; provided that the vehicle shall not be deemed abandoned under this Section if left unattended on private property out of public view, by permission of the owner or lessee, or when designated as not abandoned by the Chief of Police.
- D. EXCEPTIONS. This Section shall not apply to a vehicle in an enclosed building; a vehicle in an appropriate storage place or depository maintained in a lawful place and manner authorized by the Village or a vehicle parked in a metered or paid lot or parking space where the required fee has been paid and meter activated.
- E. REMOVAL AND IMPOUNDMENT OR SALE. Any vehicle found abandoned in violation of this Code shall be impounded by the Police Department until lawfully claimed or disposed of as provided in this Section. If the Chief of Police, or his duly authorized representative, determines that towing costs and storage charges for the ten (10) day impoundment period would exceed the value of the vehicle, the vehicle may be junked or sold prior to the impoundment period, upon determination by the Chief of Police that the vehicle is not wanted for evidence or any other reason.

- F. NOTICE TO OWNER. The Police Department shall as soon as practical, notify the owner and lien holder of record, by certified mail, of the impoundment and of their right to reclaim the vehicle. The notice shall set forth the information contained in Section 342.40(3) of Wis. Stats, and shall state that the failure of the owner or lien holder to exercise their rights to reclaim the vehicle shall be deemed a waiver of all right, title and interest in the vehicle and a consent to sale of the vehicle.
- G. SALE. Each retained vehicle not reclaimed by its owner or lien holder, may be disposed of by sale, by sealed bid, auction sale as provided in Section 342.40(3) of Wis. Stats.
- H. SALE TO BAR CLAIMS AGAINST VEHICLE. The sale of a motor vehicle under provisions of the above Section shall forever bar all prior claims thereto and interest therein except as hereinafter provided.
- I. PURCHASER TO REMOVE VEHICLE. The purchaser shall have ten (10) days to remove the vehicle from the storage area, but shall pay a reasonable storage fee established by the Village Board for each day the vehicle remains in storage after the second business day subsequent to the sale date. Ten (10) days after the sale, the purchaser shall forfeit all interest in the vehicle and the vehicle shall be deemed to be abandoned and may be sold again.
- J. NOTICE TO DEPARTMENT. Within five (5) days after the sale or disposition of a vehicle under this Section, the Chief of Police shall advise the Wisconsin Department of Transportation of such sale or disposition on a form supplied by the department.
- K. INOPERABLE OR WRECKED OR DISCARDED VEHICLES.
1. VEHICLE LEFT ON PUBLIC PROPERTY. No person owning or having custody of any partially dismantled inoperable, wrecked, junked, unregistered or discarded motor vehicle shall allow such vehicle to remain on any public highway or public parking lot longer than twenty-four (24) hours. Any such vehicle is declared to be a public nuisance, and may be removed and disposed of as provided in this code.
  2. VEHICLE LEFT ON PRIVATE PROPERTY. No vehicle, which is disassembled, dismantled, inoperable, wrecked, or unregistered, and any parts thereof, may be stored or allowed to remain on any private property unless permitted by a Conditional Use Permit or completely enclosed in a building. Any such vehicle is declared to be a public nuisance and may be removed and disposed of as provided in this Code. (#05-05)

#### **4.08 OTHER DRIVING OFFENSES.**

A. SCHOOL BUS WARNING LIGHTS.

The operation of school buses within the Village may use the bus's flashing red warning lights in a residential or business district where pupils or other authorized passengers are to be loaded or unloaded at a location where there are no traffic signals and where such person or persons must cross the street or highway before being loaded or after being unloaded.

B. DRIVING CONDUCT.

1. APPLICATION OF THIS SECTION. This Section shall apply to all premises held out to the public for use of their motor vehicles, whether such premises are publicly or privately owned and whether or not a fee is charged for use thereof.
2. OPERATION ON SUCH PREMISES. No person shall operate a motor vehicle on such premises:
  - a. At a speed in excess of 15 m.p.h.
  - b. Outside driving lane indicated by painted lines.
  - c. Across parking stalls indicated by painted lines, provided this Section shall not apply to entering and exiting a parking stall.
  - d. In a manner known as "spinning doughnuts", wherein a vehicle is driven rapidly in a tight radius.
  - e. At a rapid or sudden rate of acceleration.
  - f. The wrong direction in a driving lane, where such direction is indicated by painted arrow, or by the entry angle of adjoining parking stalls.
  - g. In such a manner as to endanger lives and property by not stopping at stop signs.
3. EXEMPTION. This Section shall not apply:
  - a. On any street or highway as defined in Section 340.01 of Wis. Stats.
  - b. To motor vehicles operated on premises covered by state and local traffic regulations, as this Section merely regulates driving conduct on premises specified in sub. (2), and therefore does not constitute traffic regulation and no violation points would result.

4. SIGNING. All signing necessary to enforce any part of this Section shall conform to Wisconsin Administrative Code, Rules of Highway Division, and State Department of Transportation.

C. COMPRESSION BRAKES PROHIBITED.

1. No person shall operate motor vehicle brakes so as to cause unreasonable and excessive noise levels.
2. No person shall use motor vehicle brakes which are in any way activated or operated by the compression of the engine or which utilize engine exhaust, except under emergency conditions. (#01-07)

- D. DRIVING IN PARKS. No person shall operate a motorized vehicle in a Village park except upon established drives or roadways therein and in compliance with any posted restrictions. (#01-14)

**4.09 ONE-WAY STREETS.**

One-way streets may be designated by the Chief of Police upon the posting of an official sign following approval by the Village Board.

**4.10 PENALTIES.**

- A. The penalty for violation of any provision of this Chapter shall be a forfeiture as hereinafter provided together with the cost of prosecution imposed as provided in Section 345.20 to 345.52 of Wis. Stats.
- B. Forfeitures for violation of any provision of Chapters 340 to 348 and Sections 941.01 and Section 350 of Wis. Stats. adopted by reference in 4.01 of this Chapter shall conform to forfeitures for violation of the comparable state offense, including any variations or increases for second offenses as published in the State of Wisconsin Revised Deposit Schedule as adopted by the Wisconsin Judicial Conference and any guidance issued by the Mid-Moraine Municipal Court.

**4.11 ENFORCEMENT.**

This chapter shall be enforced in accordance with the provisions of Sections 345.20 to 345.52, and Section 66.12 of Wis. Stats.

- A. UNIFORM CITATION. The uniform traffic citation promulgated under Sections 345.11 of Wis. Stats. shall be used for all moving traffic violations under this Chapter.
- B. PARKING CITATION. Citations for all non-moving traffic violations under this chapter shall conform to Section 345.28 of Wis. Stats. and shall permit direct payment of the applicable minimum forfeiture to the Village Clerk within five (5) days of the issuance of the citation in lieu of court experience.

The issuing officer shall specify thereon the amount of the applicable forfeiture as provided in this Section.

- C. NOTICE OF RECEIPT. The Village accepting a forfeited penalty of money deposit under this Chapter shall receipt therefore in triplicate as provided in Section 345.26(3)(b) of Wis. Stats. Every officer accepting a stipulation under the provisions of this Section shall comply with the provisions of Sections 343.27, 343.28, 345.26(1)(a) and 345.27(2) of Wis. Stats. and shall require the alleged violator to sign a statement of notice in substantially form contained on the uniform traffic citation and compliant promulgated under Section 345.11 of Wis. Stats.
- D. SEIZURE OF LICENSE PLATES. In addition to any citation issued for violation of Section 341.63(1) of Wis. Stats. a police officer may seize suspended registration plates from vehicles found operating within the Village. Such plates shall be stored in accordance with department policy. If, after thirty (30) calendar days, the plates are not claimed with proof that the cause for the suspension has been cured, the plates shall be destroyed. Written notice shall be provided to the operator, which includes the reason for the seizure, information on how to reclaim the plates (if permitted by Wis. Stats.) and a warning that the plates will be destroyed if unclaimed. No fees will be charged for the storage of such plates. (#02-02)