

Chapter 3

Snowmobiles

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Sec. 10-3-1 State Snowmobile and All-Terrain Vehicles Laws Adopted.

Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Chapter, the statutory provisions describing and defining regulations with respect to snowmobiles in the following enumerated sections of the Wisconsin Statutes are hereby adopted by reference and made part of this Chapter as if fully set forth herein. Acts required to be performed or prohibited by such statutes are required or prohibited by this Chapter. Any future amendments, revisions or modifications of the Statutes incorporated herein by reference are intended to be made part of this Code.

- (a) 350 Snowmobiles

Sec. 10-3-2 Applicability of Traffic Regulations to Snowmobiles.

No person shall operate a snowmobile upon any street, highway or alley within the Village of Muscoda in violation of the traffic regulation provisions of Sections 346.04, 346.06, 346.11, 346.14(1), 346.18, 346.19, 346.20, 346.21, 346.26, 346.27, 346.33, 346.35, 346.37, 346.39, 346.40, 346.44, 346.46, 346.47, 346.48, 346.51, 346.52, 346.53, 346.54, 346.55, 346.87, 346.88, 346.89, 346.90, 346.91, 346.92(1) and 346.94(1), (6), (6m) and (9), Wis. Stats.

Sec. 10-3-3 Operation on Sidewalks Prohibited

No person shall operate a snowmobile upon any sidewalk, pedestrian way or upon the area between the sidewalk and the curb line of any street in the Village, except as specifically authorized by Section 10-3-8 or for the purpose of crossing to obtain immediate access to an authorized area of operation.

Sec. 10-3-4 Speed.

- (a) **Speed.** No person shall operate any snowmobile within one hundred fifty (150) feet of a residence or on a designated snowmobile route within the Village of Muscoda at a speed in excess of ten (10) miles per hour.
- (b) **Operation on Right Side of Highway.** No person shall operate a snowmobile upon any public highway within the Village of Muscoda except on the far right side of said highway.

Sec. 10-3-5 Snowmobile Routes and Trails Designated.**(a) Routes Designated.**

- (1) No person shall operate a snowmobile on any public highway within the Village of Muscoda except in the most direct route from the residence of said operator to either an access route or snowmobile route to the area other than a public highway on which said snowmobile is to be operated; access routes for snowmobiles are designated as follows:
 - a. East Walnut Street and West Beech Street
 - b. Greentree Trail from Sportsman Drive to Wisconsin Ave.
 - c. Elm Street from Wisconsin Avenue to 6th Street;
 - d. 6th Street from Elm Street to Beech Street;
 - e. Beech Street from 6th Street to Industrial Drive;
 - f. Industrial Drive to Middle Street;
 - g. Middle Street to corporate limits.
- (2) Snowmobile routes are hereby designated as follows:
 - a. Sportsman Drive from Highway 133, being Front Street North to River Road;
 - b. River Road from Sportsman Drive to Wisconsin Avenue;
 - c. Wisconsin Avenue from River Road to the Wisconsin River Bridge;

(b) Trail Markers.

- (1) Area snowmobile clubs shall be responsible for procuring, erecting and maintaining all necessary signs on all approved routes by the Village Board.

- (2) The Chief of Police shall have the power to declare the stated snowmobile routes and trails either open or closed.
- (c) Markers to be Obeyed. No person shall fail to obey any route or trail sign, marker or limit erected in accordance with this Section.

Sec. 10-3-6 Penalty.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this Chapter shall, upon conviction thereof, forfeit not less than Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) and not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), together with the costs of prosecution, and, in default of payment thereof, may be imprisoned in the county jail for not exceeding ten (10) days, provided no person shall forfeit an amount in excess of the maximum fine or forfeiture allowed in the Wisconsin Statutes for the same offense and further provided that the penalty and forfeiture for parking violations on highways shall be the amount applicable to such violations by owners or operators of motor vehicles under Title 10, Chapter 1, of this Code of Ordinances.

Sec. 10-3-7 Enforcement

- (a) **Uniform Citation for Highway Violations.** The uniform traffic citation promulgated under Sec. 345.11, Wis. Stats. , shall be used for violations of this Chapter relating to highway use except as herein provided.
- (b) **Parking Violations.** The special traffic citation described and defined in Title 10, Chapter 1, of this Code of Ordinances shall be used for enforcement of violations of rules of the road relating to parking of vehicles adopted by reference in Section 10-3-1 of this Chapter.
- (c) **Other Violations.** All violations of this Chapter not described in Subsections (a) or (b) shall be enforced in accordance with Sections 66.12 and 66.114 of the Wisconsin Statutes. Stipulations of guilt or no contest may be made as provided in Sec. 66.12(1)(b), Wis. Stats., in substantially the form provided in the uniform traffic citation within five (5) days of the date of the citation for such violation. Bail deposits may also be made under Sec. 66.12, Wis. Stats.
- (d) **Police Department to Receive Stipulations and Penalties.** Stipulations, forfeited penalties and deposits for obtaining release from arrest authorized under this Chapter may be accepted at the Police Department offices.
- (e) **Forfeited Penalties and Deposits.** Except as otherwise provided in Sec. 345.26, Wis. Stats. , and the deposit schedule adopted by the State Board of Circuit Court Judges thereunder, required penalties and deposits or bail not including costs or fees for violation of this Chapter shall be as established by the schedule adopted by the Village Board.