

## CHAPTER 11

### SNOWMOBILES AND SNOWMOBILE TRAFFIC

#### **11.01 SNOWMOBILE REGULATIONS**

(1) **SNOWMOBILE LAW ADOPTED.** Except as specifically noted otherwise in this ordinance, Chapter 350, (1993-1994) Wisconsin Statutes, describing and defining regulations with respect to snowmobiles and snowmobile traffic for which the penalty is a forfeiture, including penalties to be imposed and procedure for prosecution, are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference by the Village of New Auburn and made a part of this ordinance as if fully set forth herein. Any future amendments, modifications, revisions, additions, or deletions of the above-noted statutory chapter shall be incorporated herein and made a part of this ordinance in order to secure uniform State regulation of snowmobile use and traffic on the public highways, roads, streets, and alleys of the State of Wisconsin.

(2) **APPLICABILITY OF RULES OF THE ROAD TO SNOWMOBILES.** The operator of a snowmobile upon a roadway shall in addition to the provisions of Chapter 350, Wisconsin Statutes, be subject to Sections 346.04, 346.05, 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, 346.50(1)(b), 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), Wisconsin Statutes.

(3) **SNOWMOBILE ROUTES DESIGNATED** The following streets in the Village of New Auburn are open to snowmobile routes when signed in accordance with Section 350.02(2)(a)5.

(A) Pine Street from the corner of Old 53 Street (County Hwy SS) and Pine Street, west to Columbia Street.

(B) Columbia Street from the corner of Pine Street and Columbia Street, south to Elm Street.

(C) Pine Street from the corner of Old 53 Street (County Hwy SS) and Pine Street, east to Spruce Street.

(D) Spruce Street from the corner of Pine Street and Spruce Street, south to Main Street.

#### **(4) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

(A) **Speed.** No person shall operate a snowmobile upon any public right-of-way or highway within the Village of New Auburn at a speed in excess of that permitted or posted for other motor vehicles.

**(B) Reserved for future use**

**(C) Restrictions on Operators.**

(1) No person under the age of 16 years shall operate nor shall any snowmobile owner knowingly authorize such person to operate a snowmobile within the Village of New Auburn, except as permitted in 350.05 Wis. Stats. (snowmobile safety permit; ages 12-16).

**(D) Unattended Vehicles.** No person shall leave or allow a snowmobile owned or operated by him to remain unattended on any public highway or public property while the motor is running or with the starting key left in the ignition.

**(E) Operation on Sidewalks or Malls Prohibited.** No person shall operate a snowmobile on any sidewalk, pedestrian way or mall within the Village.

**(F) Operation on Private Premises Restricted.** No person shall operate a snowmobile on any private property not owned or controlled by him within the Village without the express consent or permission of the owner.

**(G) Snowmobiles may be operated on roadways or shoulders of a highway not designated as a snowmobile route for the shortest distance that is necessary for a person to operate a snowmobile to the snowmobile route or trail that is closest to that residence and lodging establishments.**

**(H) This designation of snowmobile routes shall be effective on a seasonal basis only. Snowmobiles may be operated on such Village Streets only between December 1st and the next April 1st, unless otherwise directed by specific Resolution of the Village Board of the Village of New Auburn.**

**(5) ENFORCEMENT.** The Village of New Auburn establishes, by this ordinance, that the enforcement of snowmobiles and snowmobile traffic ordinances in the Village of New Auburn will be in accordance with Section 66.12 and 345.20 through 345.53, (1993-1994) Wisconsin Statutes. Stipulations shall conform to the form contained in the Uniform Traffic Citations. Stipulations and deposits may be accepted by the Village Clerk or the Village Marshal of the Village of New Auburn. Deposits shall be made in conformance with Section 345.26, (1993-1994) Wisconsin Statutes, and the revised Uniform State Traffic Deposit Schedule. If a particular deposit is not established by the statutes or the State Deposit Schedule, then the person shall deposit a forfeiture penalty as provided by the Village of New Auburn and approved by the Village Board.

**11.02 FILING.**

This ordinance and revisions thereof shall be filed with the Department of Natural Resources in the office of the law enforcement agency of this municipality having jurisdiction over the streets and highways in accordance with Section 350.047, (1993-1994) Wisconsin Statutes.