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7.01 STATE TRAFFIC LAWS ADOPTED. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Code, the current and future statutory provision of Section 110.75 and Chapters 340 to 349 and Chapter 350, Wisconsin Statutes, and Trans 305 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code describing and defining regulations with respect to vehicles and traffic, exclusive of any provisions therein relating to penalties to be imposed and exclusive of any regulations for which the statutory penalty is a term of imprisonment, are adopted and by reference made a part of this Code as if fully set forth herein. Any act required to be performed or prohibited by any current or future statute or Administrative Code incorporated herein by reference is required or prohibited by this Section. Any future additions, amendments, revisions or modifications of the current or future statutes incorporated herein or of Trans 305 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code are intended to be made part of this Code in order to secure uniform statewide regulation of traffic on the highways, streets and alleys of the State.

7.02 ERECTION OF OFFICIAL TRAFFIC SIGNS AND SIGNALS. (1) Official Traffic Map.

(a) Official Traffic Map established. There is hereby established an Official Traffic Map for the Village of Sussex upon which shall be indicated no parking areas, restricted parking areas, stop signs, arterial intersections, yield signs, and all other restrictions or limitations contained in this code, as from time to time amended or modified by the Village Board when the laws of the State of Wisconsin require the erection or use of official traffic control devices to enforce such restrictions or limitations.

(b) Violations Prohibited. When official traffic control devices giving notice of the restrictions, prohibitions and limitations shown on the Official Traffic Map are erected and maintained in accordance with the provisions of this section a violation of the restriction, prohibition or limitation shown on the Official Traffic Map shall be a violation of the provisions of this code.

(c) Map to be Maintained. A copy of the Official Traffic Map shall be maintained and displayed in the office of the Village Clerk.

(d) Additions to Map. The Village Board may from time to time make additions to or deletions from the Official Traffic Map by resolution and the Village Engineer or his designated representative shall keep such Official Traffic Map current.

(e) The Superintendent of Public Works shall procure, erect and maintain appropriate standard traffic signs, signals and markings conforming to the rules of the State Department of transportation giving notice of the provisions of s. 346.57, 346.58, and 346.59, Wis. Stats., and s. 7.04 of this chapter. Signs shall be erected in such locations and manner as to give adequate warning to users of the street, alley or highway in question.

An official map designating the location of all authorized stop signs, signals, speed limits and no parking zones within the Village limits is hereby adopted. Said map shall accompany and is hereby made a part of this ordinance.

7.03 PARKING LIMITATIONS ON VEHICLES DISPLAYED FOR SALE.

(1) DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this section, the following terms shall be defined as follows:

(a) Vehicle. A vehicle shall mean every device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon land or water, including but not limited to: car, truck, van, motorcycle, bicycle, trailer, commercial/industrial truck, commercial/industrial trailer, commercial/industrial equipment, snowmobile, all-terrain vehicle, recreational vehicle, boat, and jet-ski.

(b) Display for sale. To display for sale shall mean the placement of any written message, sign or other communication which gives notice that the vehicle is being offered for sale on or near a vehicle.

(2) PROHIBITION. No owner, person, firm, partnership or corporations, nor any officer, member, agent, servant, or employee of any firm partnership, or corporation, or operator shall stop, park, or leave standing any vehicle that is displayed for sale at any of the following places at any time (subject to the exceptions noted below):

(a) On any portion of a public street or public parking lot in a commercial or industrial district.

(b) In any private parking lot, parking area, driveway, or other off-street location in a commercial or industrial district, if the vehicle can be seen from a public street.

(3) EXCEPTIONS. The prohibitions of Section (2) are subject to the following exceptions:

(a) A vehicle that is displayed for sale may be parked in a public or private parking lot, parking area, driveway, or other off-street location during the hours that the owner of the vehicle is actually working on the premises where the vehicle is parked.

(b) A vehicle that is displayed for sale may be stopped or left standing for the purpose of and while actually engaged loading or unloading or in receiving or discharging passengers and while the vehicle is attended by a licensed operator so that it may promptly be moved in case of an emergency or to avoid obstruction of traffic.

(c) A vehicle may be displayed for sale by a business on a business premises, where the business is permitted and approved under the Village of Sussex Zoning Code and is devoted to sales of such vehicles. This exception is limited to the sale of cars by car dealerships on car dealership property; the sale of boats by boat dealerships on boat dealership property; and strictly similar business displays for sale.

7.04 PARKING LIMITATIONS. (1) NO PARKING. When signs are erected in any block giving notice thereof, no person shall at any time park a vehicle upon those streets or portions of streets in accordance with the Official Traffic Map. Said signs shall be placed, erected and maintained pursuant to Section 7.02 of this Code.

(2) PARKING LIMITS. When signs are erected in any block giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle for longer than the period of time hereinafter specified on such signs at any time of day except Sundays and holidays during the periods of time so specified.

(3) ANGLE PARKING. Angle parking in the Village is prohibited except in the Village Park in areas designated by the Park Board.

(4) ALL NIGHT PARKING PROHIBITED. No person shall park any vehicle for a period of time longer than 30 minutes between 2:00 A.M. and 6:00 A.M. of any day, except physicians and emergency equipment on emergency calls on any street, except under the following conditions:

(a) Permission must be granted by the Waukesha County Sheriff's Department each night that said vehicle is to be parked. There shall be a maximum of three (3) days parking per month allowed under this condition unless an extension is specifically authorized by the Village of Sussex.

(5) OTHER VEHICLE PARKING PROHIBITED. No person shall park a semi truck, commercial

trailer, bus, other vehicle of a commercial or industrial nature or vehicular equipment of a commercial or industrial nature on any street in any zoning district which permits 1, 2 or multi-family dwellings as a permitted use for a period of time longer than thirty (30) minutes, except when:

- (a) Prior permission has been granted by the Village of Sussex. This prior permission may be granted for only a maximum of one (1) day parking per month allowed under this condition and this prior permission may be granted for emergency purposes only.
- (b) Vehicles are parked for the sole 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 promptly be moved in case of an emergency.

(6) VILLAGE OWNED/LEASED PARKING AREAS. No person shall park any vehicle on any Village owned or leased areas designated for public parking from the hours of 10:00 p.m. through 6:00 a.m. except:

- (a) Tenants of apartment complexes that the Village leases the parking area from.
- (b) Employees and Contract Employees of the Village of Sussex who are working during the designated hours.
- (c) Members of the National Guard who are on duty.

(7) AUTHORITY TO REGULATE THE STOPPING, STANDING OR PARKING OF VEHICLES. Pursuant to Sec. 349.13, Wis. Stats., the authority to regulate the stopping, standing or parking of vehicles within the Village is delegated to the Chief of Police, subject to the control of the Village Board.

(8) OTHER RESTRICTIONS ON PARKING AND STOPPING. Pursuant to §346.55(3) and (4), Wis. Stats., the authority to regulate the stopping or parking of motor vehicles on private property within the Village is delegated to the Chief of Police, subject to the control of the Village Board.

(9) STOPPING, STANDING OR PARKING PROHIBITED IN PARKING SPACES RESERVED FOR VEHICLES DISPLAYING SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARDS. Pursuant to §346.505(21)(a-c), Wis. Stats., the authority to regulate the stopping, standing or parking in parking spaces reserved for vehicles displaying special registration plates or special identification cards within the Village is delegated to the Chief of Police, subject to the control of the Village Board.

7.05 SNOW EMERGENCY: PARKING, ETC. (1) GENERAL RESTRICTIONS. No owner, person, firm, partnership or corporation nor any officer, member, agent, servant, employee of any firm, partnership or corporation or operator of any vehicle or any device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway to park, stop, leave standing, or suffer any such vehicle or device at the curb, shoulder, or edge of any highway area, roadway or fire lane or part thereof in the Village of Sussex designated as an emergency thoroughfare, during a driving snowstorm or immediately thereafter until the entire thoroughfare has been cleared of snow.

(2) DEFINITIONS.

(a) A "Snowstorm" shall mean a driving snowstorm accompanied by moderate to heavy snow falling at a minimum rate of one inch per hour and accumulating to at least four inches or more, which is accompanied by a strong wind in excess of 25 miles per hour, or driving snow in such a manner as to produce a congestion of traffic or impede the operation of emergency vehicles.

(b) "Emergency Vehicles" shall include police squad cars, fire fighting apparatus, ambulances, rescue squad cars, snow equipment and machinery, and any other emergency vehicles.

(c) An "Emergency Thoroughfare" is any street, roadway, highway area, alley or fire lane or part thereof which may be used by an emergency vehicle.

(3) **DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY.** It shall be the duty of the Village Administrator or Superintendent of Public Works, to declare a state of public emergency and the duration thereof and designate emergency thoroughfares by public proclamation after first giving notice thereof to the Village of Sussex Police and Fire Departments. The proclamation may be made through the medium of radio, television, placards, or other public means of communication.

(4) **REMOVAL OF VEHICLES.** The Superintendent of Public Works or any of his employees under his supervision and direction may remove or may contract for such removal with any garage man, service man, person, firm or corporation any vehicle which creates an emergency situation by interfering with the operation of any snow removal equipment or any other emergency vehicle after first attempting to give notice to the owner of said vehicle that the same must be removed. The Superintendent may charge the cost of removing such vehicle to the owner or the operator thereof as outlined in this chapter.

7.06 ADVERTISING. No person shall park in any street any vehicle for the primary purpose of advertising.

7.07 BARRIERS ACROSS STREETS FOR PLAY PURPOSES. The Village Board may cause streets that are not a part of any federal, state or county trunk highway system, to be set aside for the safety of children in coasting or other play activities, and may obstruct and barricade such streets for such period of time and in such manner as shall most safeguard the children from accidents. The Village Board shall erect and maintain thereon barriers or barricades, lights or warning signs therefor and shall not be liable for any damage caused thereby.

7.08 BICYCLES. (1) **EQUIPMENT.** No person shall propel, ride or operate a bicycle upon the streets or public ways of the Village unless such bicycle shall comply with requirements of §347.489 Wis. Stats., adopted and made a part hereof by reference as it relates to the equipment of bicycles. No person may operate a bicycle upon a highway, sidewalk, bicycle lane or bicycle way during hours of darkness unless the 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. A 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 beams of headlamps on an automobile. A lamp emitting a red or flashing amber 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. Such bicycle shall have brakes, either coaster brakes or caliper brakes in good working order. Coaster brakes shall be capable of making the rear wheel skid on dry pavement.

(2) **RULES OF OPERATION.** No person shall propel, operate or ride upon a bicycle on any street or public way in the Village except in compliance with the following regulations. Persons riding bicycles upon a roadway may ride 2 abreast if such operation does not impede the normal and reasonable movement of traffic. Bicycle operators riding 2 abreast on a 2-lane or more roadway shall ride within a single lane. All bicycle riders shall obey all traffic regulations that apply to automobiles. Every bicycle shall be ridden within 3 feet of the right side of the unobstructed traveled roadway. All bicycle riders shall use bicycle paths where provided. No bicycle rider shall operate a bicycle upon the streets where a sign is

erected prohibiting bicycle traffic. The operator of a bicycle shall give such signal continuously during not less than the last 50 feet traveled before turning. A signal by the hand and arm need not be given continuously if the hand is needed in the control or operation of the bicycle. No bicycle rider shall cling to another moving vehicle. No bicycle shall carry more passengers than the bicycle has seats originally designed for carrying passengers. In addition to the operator, a bicycle otherwise designed to carry only the operator may be used to carry or transport a child seated in an auxiliary child's seat or trailer designed for attachment to a bicycle if the seat or trailer is securely attached to the bicycle according to the directions of the manufacturer of the seat or trailer. The bicycle operator shall not tow any sled, coaster, person on roller skates, toy, vehicle or other apparatus on Village streets. There shall be no racing or acrobatic riding on Village streets. Every person operating a bicycle shall keep at least one hand on the handlebars and both feet on the pedals. Persons riding on the sidewalk shall yield the right-of-way to all pedestrians and is required to have a visible white light to the front during hours of darkness.

(3) REGISTRATION.

- (A) Registration Required. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a bicycle upon any street, sidewalk or alley in the Village of Sussex unless it has been licensed by and bears a current license sticker issued by the Village of Sussex or another jurisdiction.
- (B) Application for Registration – Fee. Application for such registration shall be made by the owner to the Village of Sussex on forms to be provided for that purpose. The Village may require such further evidence of ownership as may be considered necessary. The Village may refuse to register any bicycle found in an unsafe mechanical condition. Such registration shall be sequentially numbered and kept on file by the Village as a public record. The fee to register a bicycle, which shall be established by resolution, shall be deposited in the Village General Fund by the Village Treasurer.
- (C) Identification Tag Requirement – Penalty for Non-Registration. Immediately upon registration of the bicycle, the owner shall affix to the bicycle an identification tag sequentially numbered to correspond with the registration. No person shall operate upon the streets of the Village a bicycle without having the identification tag affixed thereto in a plainly visible position. The penalty for not registering a bicycle shall be as set forth in Subsection 7.07(4) PENALTIES of this Municipal Code.
- (D) Registration Expiration. Registration of a bicycle shall run concurrent with the ownership of the bicycle. Registration of the bicycle will expire only upon change of ownership or upon dismantling and taking the bicycle out of operation.
- (E) Change of Ownership – Registration – Penalty
 - (1) Within 10 days after any bicycle registered hereunder shall have changed ownership or been dismantled and taken out of operation, the registered owner shall contact the Village by phone or in person and report the change.
 - (2) Within 10 days after any bicycle registered hereunder changes ownership, the new owner, except bicycle distributors, must register the bicycle with the Village.
 - (3) The penalty for the new owner for failing to notify the Village of the change in ownership will be stated in Subsection 25.04 of this Municipal Code.
- (F) Removal of Identification Tag – Penalty. No person shall remove any identification tag which is registered with the Village. The penalty for removing an identification tag will be as stated in Subsection 7.07(4) PENALTIES of this Municipal Code.
- (G) Revocation of Identification Tag. The Village may cancel the identification tag if it is found that the provisions of this ordinance have been violated.

(4) PENALTIES. The Village Board determines that responsibility for compliance with all provisions of this section shall ultimately be the responsibility of the parents of children who violate the provisions of this section. If a child violates the terms of this section, his parents shall be responsible for the same and the penalties provided in ss25.04 of the Code or subsection shall apply. Any person violating the provisions of

this section shall upon conviction be subject to a forfeiture not to exceed \$25.00 plus costs of prosecution; or the court may prohibit such person from riding the bicycle for not more than 6 months and may order such person's registration tag confiscated.

7.09 SNOWMOBILES. (1) STATE SNOWMOBILE LAWS ADOPTED. Except as otherwise specifically provided for in this chapter, the current and future statutory provisions in Chapter 350, Wis. Stats., describing and defining the regulations with respect to snowmobiles, exclusive of any provisions therein relating to the penalties to be imposed and exclusive of any regulations for which the statutory penalties are a term of imprisonment, is adopted by reference and hereby made a part of this chapter as if fully set forth herein. Any act required to be performed or prohibited by any current or future statutory incorporated herein by reference is required or prohibited by this Chapter. Any future additions, amendments, revisions or modifications of the statutes incorporated herein are intended to be made part of this Chapter in order to secure uniform state wide regulation of snowmobiles within the Village of Sussex and 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, be subject to all rules of the road previously incorporated into this Code.

(3) OPERATION IN PARKS AND PUBLIC AREAS. No person shall operate a snowmobile within a Village Park or on property under the control of the Park Board except on marked snowmobile trails between November 15 and April 15 each year. The rules and regulations adopted by the Park Board shall also regulate the use of snowmobiles on such properties.

(4) 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 a dangerous or narcotic drug.

(5) WRITTEN CONSENT OF OWNER REQUIRED. The consent required under SS 350.10(6), (11), (12) and (13), Wis. Stats., shall be written consent dated and limited to the year in which the consent is given. If the property is owned or leased by more than one person, the consent of each must be obtained.

- (6) RESTRICTION ON SNOWMOBILE OPERATION. No person shall operate a snowmobile:
- (a) Between 10:30 p.m. and 8:00 a.m.
 - (b) Within 500' of a dwelling, except on a trail approved by the Village Board for an organized snowmobile group.
 - (c) Without protective head gear.
 - (d) In excess of 25 m.p.h. during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. nor in excess of 10 m.p.h. between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.
 - (e) So as to race the engine or otherwise cause unnecessary or unusual noise which annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, health, peace or safety of others.
 - (f) On property owned by the Village, unless specifically authorized by the Village Board.

7.10 ACCELERATING VEHICLES. No driver of any vehicle shall cause, by excessive and unnecessary acceleration, the tires of such vehicle to spin and emit loud noises or to unnecessarily throw stones or gravel, nor shall such driver cause to be made by excessive and unnecessary acceleration any loud noise such as would be disturbing to the public peace, nor shall any driver cause any vehicle to operate in an unsafe manner.

7.11 TURNING VEHICLES. No driver of any vehicle in a public or private place shall cause the vehicle to spin, slide, or move in a sideways direction, by excessive and unnecessary acceleration or speed while turning the vehicle's front wheels sharply to the right or left.

7.12 CONTROL OF "OFF THE ROAD" VEHICLES. (1) DEFINITIONS.

(a) "Off the road" vehicles shall be defined as any mini-bike, trail bike, all-terrain vehicle, go-cart, or other similar self propelled vehicle (expressly excluding snowmobiles which are regulated by separate ordinance and Wisconsin Statutes) which are commonly operated off the traveled portion of the public thoroughfare whether currently being used on or off the road and whether registered or non-registered.

(b) Operator means a person who drives or is in actual physical control of the vehicle herein regulated.

(c) Public thoroughfare shall be defined to include public road, street, alley, highway, freeway, interstate, county trunk highway or public right-of-way.

(d) Traveled portion is defined as the paved or otherwise surfaced portion of the roadway and the prepared shoulder, but shall include the grass area within the statutory limits of the highways and contiguous to the traveled portion thereof.

(2) PROHIBITED OPERATION OF OFF THE ROAD VEHICLES. No person shall operate an off the road vehicle:

(a) Between 8:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m.

(b) Within 500 feet of a dwelling.

(c) On the property of another without his/her written consent carried on the person of the operator of the off the road vehicle.

(d) On shoulders or in drainage ditches of a public street or highway.

(e) In excess of 25 m.p.h.

(f) With more than one passenger.

(g) Without protective headgear.

(h) Within established public thoroughfares.

(i) Who is under 12 years of age.

(j) By racing the engine or otherwise causing unnecessary or unusual noise which annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, health, peace or safety of others.

(k) On Village property unless authorized by the Village Board.

(3) AUTHORIZED OPERATION OF "OFF THE ROAD VEHICLES" "Off the road" vehicles may be operated:

(a) On the premises owned by the operator or member of the family of the operator if said operator resides on the premises where said vehicle is being operated or on the property of another with his/her written consent carried on the person of the operator of the off the road vehicle. Operation of said vehicle shall be between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and be such that the noise from said vehicle does not cause a nuisance and annoyance to other persons residing near said operation.

7.13 FLASHING RED WARNING LIGHTS BY SCHOOL BUS OPERATORS IN A RESIDENCE OR BUSINESS DISTRICT. Flashing red warning lights shall be used by school bus operators in a residence or business district when pupils or other authorized passengers are to be loaded or unloaded at a location at which there are no traffic signals, unless said requirement is waived in writing by the Police Chief or Director of Police Services. Such persons shall cross the street or highway before being loaded or after being unloaded.

7.14 REGULATION OF HEAVY TRAFFIC. All vehicles not operating completely on pneumatic tires and all vehicles or combination of vehicles, other than motor buses, designed or used for transporting property of any nature and having a gross weight of more than 12,000 pounds are prohibited from traveling on any highway in the Village of Sussex, unless one of the following exceptions apply:

(1) Said vehicles shall be allowed to travel on all State Trunk Highways and County Trunk Highways in the Village of Sussex;

(2) Said vehicles shall be allowed to travel on any highway in the Village of Sussex for the purpose of obtaining orders for supplies or moving or delivering supplies or commodities to or from any place of business or residence which has an entrance on such highway;

(3) Said vehicles shall be allowed to travel on any portion of Main Street in the Village of Sussex for the purpose of patronizing any place of business which has an entrance on Main Street and for leaving said business and traveling to the heavy traffic route;

(4) Said vehicles shall also be allowed along the following stretches of highway in the Village of Sussex, which shall constitute the "heavy traffic route":

Maple Avenue from the south Village limits to Main Street,
South Corporate Drive,
North Corporate Drive,
Executive Drive,
Hi-Tech Drive,
Sussex Road,
Village Drive.

Heavy traffic may travel on these routes in any direction or combination of described highways.

7.15 ENFORCEMENT. (1) ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURE. The statutory provisions of

Section 66.115, 66.119, 66.12, 345.20 to 345.53 and Chapter 199, Wis. Stats. are 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 reference is required or prohibited by this chapter. Any future additions, amendments, revisions or modifications of the statutes incorporated herein are intended to be made a part of this chapter in order to secure uniform statewide regulation and enforcement of traffic and municipal ordinance violations. Further, the Village of Sussex specifically elects to use the citation method of enforcement.

(a) The uniform traffic citation shall be used for violations of this ordinance relating to highway use or provisions hereof in conformity with the State Statutes, Chapter 350, when committed on the highway, but no points shall be assessed against the driver or the operator of a snowmobile.

(2) DEPOSIT. Any person arrested for a violation of this chapter may make a deposit of money as directed by the arresting officer at the police station or at the office of the Clerk of Court or by mailing the deposit to such places. The arresting officer or the person receiving the deposit shall comply with ss.345.26, Wis. Stats. The arresting officer or the person receiving the deposit shall notify the arrested person, orally or in writing, that:

(a) If he fails to appear in court at the time fixed in the citation, he will be deemed to have tendered a plea of no contest and submitted to a forfeiture plus costs not to exceed the amount of the deposit; or

(b) If he fails to appear in court at the time fixed in the citation, and if the court does not accept the deposit as a forfeiture, he will be summoned into court to answer the complaint.

The amount of the deposit shall be determined in accordance with the deposit schedule established by the Wisconsin Judicial Conference, per Wisconsin Statutes Section 345.26(2), except as to municipal ordinance violations for which a deposit schedule is established per Wisconsin Statutes Section 800.03(3) and Section 25.04 of the Municipal Code of the Village of Sussex.

The arresting officer or the person receiving the deposit shall issue the arrested person a receipt therefor as required by ss.345.26(3)(b).

(c) If a deposit schedule has not been established, the arresting officer shall require the alleged offender to deposit not less than the maximum forfeiture permitted under this chapter.

(3) STIPULATION OF NO CONTEST. Any person charged with a violation of this chapter except ss.7.346.62(1) and 7.346.63(1) may make a stipulation of no contest pursuant to ss.345.27, Wis. Stats., which must be received at the office of the police department or Clerk of Court within 10 days of the date of the alleged violation. Such person shall at the time of entering into the stipulation make the deposit required under sub. (2), if he has not already done so. A person who has mailed or filed a stipulation under this subsection may, however, appear in court on the appearance date and may be relieved from the stipulation for cause shown as required in §345.37, Wis. Stats.

7.16 PROHIBITED OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON THE PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES BY UNLICENSED JUVENILES. (1) Subject to the applicable provisions of the Wisconsin Statutes and Wisconsin Administrative Code, no unlicensed juvenile under 16 years of age shall operate any motor vehicle, whether registered or unregistered, on the public thoroughfare.

(2) DEFINITIONS. For the purposes of this section:

(a) A motor vehicle shall be defined as a vehicle which is self-propelled.

(b) Operate means driving or in actual physical control of a motor vehicle.

(c) Public Thoroughfare shall be defined to include any public road, street, alley, highway, freeway, interstate, county trunk highway or public right-of-way and shall include the grass area within the statutory limits of the public thoroughfare and contiguous to the traveled portion thereof.

7.17 PENALTIES. The penalty for violation of any provision of this chapter shall be a forfeiture as hereinafter provided, together with costs under Section 345.27, Wis. Stats.

(1) STATE TRAFFIC LAWS. Any forfeiture for violation of the state statutes adopted by reference in this chapter shall conform to the forfeiture permitted to be imposed for violation of such statutes as set forth in the uniform deposit and misdemeanor bail schedule of the Wisconsin Judicial Conference, including any variations of increases for subsequent offenses, which schedule is adopted by reference.

(2) LOCAL TRAFFIC LAWS AND MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE VIOLATION. Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, the penalty for violation of all local traffic laws and municipal ordinance violations of this chapter shall be as provided in Subsection 25.04 of this Municipal Code.