

After three (3) days have passed and the owner has neither paid the forfeiture for each of these violations or scheduled an appearance in court in response to each of these citations, officers can initiate the towing procedures.

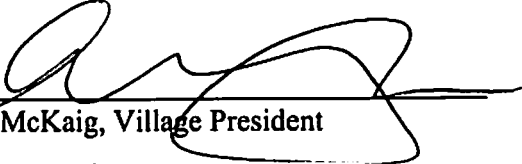
SECTION 3

That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby to such extent repealed.

SECTION 4

That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and posting.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Village Board of the Village of Shorewood, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, this 20th day of March 2023.


Ann McKaig, Village President

Countersigned:


Toya Harrell, Village Clerk

As identified in 500-14(A), there shall be no parking by any vehicle with excessive parking citations.

"Excessive parking citations" means any illegally parked motor vehicle that is located upon any alley, street, highway, public place, or thoroughfare that has three or more unpaid parking citations in excess of 60 days in violation of Shorewood Village Ordinance Chapter 500-14 through 500-31.

SECTION 2

Section 500-27 "Removal of Illegally Parked Vehicles" of Article VIII "Parking Limits and Regulations" of Chapter 500 "Vehicles and Traffic," Subsection(s) C-E, and G-H shall be amended to read as follows:

Included within this regulation shall be vehicles stopping, standing, or parking on a public street or highway where the vehicle is unregistered as defined in 500-14(D)(1), pursuant to § 341.65, Wis. Stats.

Included within this regulation shall be vehicles stopping, standing, or parking on a public street or highway where the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) as defined in 500-14(1), is removed, altered, obliterated, or otherwise made impossible to read, pursuant to § 342.30(1g)(a), Wis. Stats.

Included within this regulation shall be vehicles stopping, standing, or parking on a public street or highway where the vehicle has three or more unpaid parking citations in excess of 60 days in violation of Shorewood Village Ordinance Chapter 500-14 through 500-31, pursuant to § 345.28, Wis. Stats.

Vehicles which are stopped, standing or parked in violation of section C may be moved as provided in § 342.30(4)(a), Wis. Stats., for which the Village may charge the owner of such vehicle a reasonable sum to cover the cost of said removal, not to exceed \$100. As an alternative, the Village may have the vehicle moved by a private contractor, and in such case the owner of such vehicle shall be liable to the contractor for the payment of the charges incurred.]

Upon determining that an unregistered motor vehicle is parked in violation of (a), police personnel shall issue a parking citation for "unregistered vehicle" in violation of Wis. Stat 341.65. Police personnel shall affix a notice to the vehicle warning that the vehicle will be towed and impounded if the registration is not updated within three (3) days or proof is provided that an application for vehicle registration has been submitted.

A notice informing the owner of the location of the vehicle, the procedure for reclaiming the vehicle shall be mailed to the owner's last known address within 24 hours after removal.

Vehicles which are stopped, standing, or parked in violation of section D and E may be moved as provided in § 342.30(4)(a), Wis. Stats., for which the Village may charge the owner of such vehicle a reasonable sum to cover the cost of said removal, not to exceed \$100. As an alternative, the Village may have the vehicle moved by a private contractor, and in such case the owner of such vehicle shall be liable to the contractor for the payment of the charges incurred.

Any officer who encounters a vehicle on any alley, street, highway, or public place within the Village of Shorewood, on which the identification number has been removed, altered, obliterated, or made impossible to read, including any vehicle on which the identification number is not readily visible when observed from outside the vehicle, shall affix a notice to the vehicle warning that the vehicle will be impounded within three (3) days unless steps are taken to allow for proper identification of the vehicle.

Officers encountering an illegally parked vehicle should issue the appropriate citation and review the vehicle status. Upon determining that the vehicle has excessive parking citations violating Village of Shorewood Ordinance Chapter 500-14 through 500-31, officers shall affix a notice to the vehicle warning that the vehicle will be impounded if the citations are not paid, or a court appearance is scheduled within three (3) days.

STATE OF WISCONSIN MILWAUKEE COUNTY VILLAGE OF SHOREWOOD

ORDINANCE NO. 3050

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SUBSECTION 500-14 GENERAL PARKING RESTRICTIONS

WHEREAS, the Village of Shorewood undertook a comprehensive Transportation and Parking Analysis in 2019, which was formally received by the Village Board on February 17, 2020;

WHEREAS, the Transportation and Parking Analysis was guided by a Technical Advisory Group comprised of representative stakeholders who recommended receipt of the Analysis with the overarching goals to improve accessibility, ease communication, standardize regulations and improve enforcement;

WHEREAS, general parking regulations are currently located within the Village Code within Article VIII Parking Limits and Regulations of Chapter 500 Vehicles and Traffic;

WHEREAS, staff reviewed the existing regulations in conjunction with identified deficiencies and violations and recommended that the Village Code be updated to consistently prohibit parking within the Village for unregistered vehicles, vehicles with obstructed or unreadable Vehicle Identification Numbers, and vehicles with 3 or more unpaid parking citations within 60 days.

WHEREAS, the Village Board adopted the recommended amendments on March 20, 2023 during a regular meeting;

WHEREAS, upon implementation, staff has identified additional updates that they are recommending be changed to further the goal of consistency.

NOW THEREFORE, at a regular meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Shorewood, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, held on the 20th day of March 2023, by a favorable vote of the members being present and therefore, said Board does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1

Section 500-14 "General Parking Restrictions" of Article VIII "Parking Limits and Regulations" of Chapter 500 "Vehicles and Traffic," Subsection(s) D - F shall be amended to read as follows:

As identified in 500-14(A), there shall be no parking by any unregistered motor vehicle, as prohibited by Wisconsin State Statute 341.65(2).

"Unregistered motor vehicle" means any motor vehicle that is located upon any alley, street, highway, public way, or thoroughfare and that is not displaying valid registration plates, a temporary operation plate, or other evidence of registration as provided under s. 341.65(1)(b), Wis. Stats., for the vehicle's current registration period or for a registration period for the vehicle that expired within the immediately preceding 31 days.

As identified in 500-14(A), there shall be no parking by any vehicle where the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) has been made impossible to read, removed, altered, or obliterated.

"Identification number" means the numbers, letters or combination of numbers and letters assigned by the manufacturer of a vehicle or vehicle part or by the Wisconsin department of transportation and stamped upon or affixed to a vehicle or vehicle part for the purpose of identification. This term does not include the letters, numbers, or combination thereof on vehicle license plates.