

ORDINANCE 2020-1

REGULATING PARKING ON AND ALONG ROADS IN THE TOWN OF DEERFIELD

WHEREAS the Town Board of Deerfield recognizes that roads in the Town are not constructed to allow safe parking on or along the sides of the roads, and

WHEREAS the Town Board also recognizes that the Hamlet of London does not have sufficient off-road parking, and

WHEREAS the Town Board also recognizes that there are special circumstances where temporary parking along the sides of roads may be necessary:

NOW THEREFORE, the Town Board for the Town of Deerfield, Wisconsin, ordains as follows:

Ordinance 2019-2 is repealed.

The following parking regulations now apply in the Town of Deerfield:

- 1) No person shall park or leave standing any vehicle on or along any road or road right-of-way in the Town of Deerfield, except as otherwise provided in this ordinance.
- 2) Parking is permitted on the side of the following roads in the Hamlet of London: Holly Ridge Lane; West Main St.; Sweet Briar Lane; and Spur Drive, subject to the following exception: between November 1st and April 1st, alternate side parking will be enforced during snow events. If the calendar date after midnight is even, parking is permitted on the even side of the road, and prohibited on the odd side of the road. If the calendar date after midnight is odd, parking is permitted on the odd side of the road, and prohibited on the even side of the road.
- 3) Parking of disabled or inoperable vehicles is permitted for a period not to exceed 24 hours, at which point the vehicle must be removed.

4) Temporary parking of vehicles is permitted as follows: waiting for school buses; helping another motorist; making deliveries; road and utility maintenance; and agricultural vehicles involved in planting or harvesting.

5) Any vehicle found in violation of this ordinance, or other applicable law regarding stopping, standing and parking of vehicles, may be removed or towed, as may be determined by a traffic officer or the Town Chairperson or his designee. The cost of removal and storage shall be paid by the vehicle's owner. In addition, any owner or driver may be subject to a forfeiture for violation of the parking restrictions set forth in this ordinance.

6) The Town Chairperson is authorized to install signage where necessary consistent with this ordinance.

Adopted this 10 day of February 2020

Mike Archibald

Town Chair

Attest:

Bob Riege

Town Clerk