

### 6.03 DRIVEWAYS.

(1) Approval Required. No person shall construct or maintain any driveway across any sidewalk or curbing without first obtaining a driveway permit from the Director of Public Works.

(2) Specifications for Driveway Construction.

(a) Width. No driveway shall exceed 24 feet in width at the outer or street edge of the sidewalk unless special permission is



obtained from the Village Board.

(b) Interference with Intersections Prohibited. At street intersections a driveway shall not provide direct ingress or egress to or from the street intersection area and shall not occupy areas of the roadway deemed necessary by the Village Board for effective traffic control or for highway signs or signals.

(c) Interference with Street. No driveway apron shall extend out into the street further than the face of the curb, and under no circumstances shall such driveway apron extend into the gutter area. All driveway entrances and approaches shall be so constructed that they shall not interfere with the drainage of streets, side ditches or roadside areas or with any existing structure on the right of way. When required by the Director of Public Works to provide for adequate surface water drainage along the street to correct an inadequate drainage situation when no changes are to be made in the street by the Village, the property owner shall provide any necessary culvert pipe at his own expense. Provided however, that if the Village of LaValle is changing the grade or type of street already in existence that requires a change in an already existing drainage tube, the Village of LaValle will provide an adequate drainage tube. It is further provided that in the event a property owner alters or constructs a new driveway approach that requires a change in the drainage tube in existence, the Director of Public Works shall determine what type of drainage tube is required to provide adequate surface water drainage along the street, and the property owner shall provide any necessary culvert pipe at his own expense.

(d) Number of Approaches Limited. No more than one driveway entrance and approach shall be constructed for any lot or premises except where deemed necessary and feasible without undue impairment of safety, convenience and utility of the street by the Director of Public Works. Any 2 approaches shall be at least 10 feet apart.

(e) Workmanship and Materials. All driveway entrances and approaches which are constructed across sidewalks shall be paved in accordance with the requirements for sidewalk construction in s. 6.02 (3) of this code insofar as such requirements are applicable, including thickness requirements in s. 6.02 (3) (d).

(f) Permittee Liable for Damage or Injury. The permittee shall assume all responsibility for any injury or damage to persons or property resulting directly or indirectly during construction or repair of driveway approaches or entrances. When curb or gutter is removed, the new connection shall be of equivalent acceptable material and curb returns provided or restored in a neat, workmanlike manner. Driveway surfaces shall connect with the street pavement

MEMENDED

Ord. # 03-02

(8/2003)



ORDINANCE NO. 03 - 02

AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE, MODIFY, AMEND, AND RE-ADOPT, §6.03(2)(e) OF THE GENERAL ORDINANCES AND BY-LAWS OF THE VILLAGE OF LAVALLE.

THE VILLAGE BOARD OF THE VILLAGE OF LAVALLE, SAUK COUNTY, WISCONSIN, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** The §6.03(2)(e) - *Workmanship and Materials* of the LaValle municipal code is hereby amended and is to read as follows:

- (e) **Workmanship and Materials.** All driveway entrances and approaches which are constructed across sidewalks shall be paved in accordance with the requirements for sidewalk construction in §6.02 (3) of this code in so far as such requirements are applicable, including thickness requirements in §6.02 (3)(d), except that portions of such approaches extending from the sidewalk to the street may be made of either concrete or asphalt.

**Section 2.** This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication as required by law.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

  
David Doering, Village Clerk

  
Duane Nobs, Village President

ADOPTED: 8 - 11 - 03

PUBLISHED: 12 - 13 -, 2003.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
Steven A. Roy, Village Attorney