

Ordinance No.10

An Ordinance to Address the Issues of Traffic Control on Town Roads

Section 1 - Title/Purpose

This ordinance is entitled an Ordinance to Address the Issues of Traffic Control on Town Roads. The purpose is to regulate the orderly and safe flow of traffic within the Town of Dewey.

Section 2 - Statutory Authority

The Town Board of the Town of Dewey has the specific statutory authority, power and duty, pursuant to the specific statutory sections noted in this ordinance and/or by its adoption of village powers under s. 60.10, (1988-1989) Wis. Stats., to regulate, control and enforcement against certain uses, activities, businesses and operations by persons that may affect the traffic in the Town of Dewey.

Section 3 - Adoption of Ordinance

The Town Board, by this Ordinance, adopted on proper notice with a quorum and roll call vote by a majority of the Town Board present and voting, provides the authority for the Town Board to address the issues of traffic control on town roads in the Town of Dewey. A Public Hearing was held before the adoption of the Ordinance and notice of the hearing was given by publication of a Class 1 Notice, under Ch. 985, Wis. Stats.

Section 4 - General Provisions

Except as specifically noted otherwise in this ordinance, in Chapters 340 to 348, (1988-1989) Wis. Stats., inclusive, describing and defining regulations with respect to vehicles and traffic for which the penalty is a forfeiture only, including penalties to be imposed and procedure for prosecution, are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference by the Town of Dewey and made part of this ordinance as if fully set forth herein. Any future amendments, modifications, revisions, additions or deletions of the above noted statutory chapters shall be incorporated herein and made part of this ordinance in order to secure uniform state regulations of traffic on the public highways, roads, streets and alleys of the State of Wisconsin.

Section 5 - No Parking

The Town of Dewey establishes, by this ordinance, the following areas marked by the Town of Dewey by traffic signs as “No Parking” areas in the Town of Dewey:

- (A) West River Road: From 990 West River Road going west to County Road DB on both sides of the road.

(B) DuBay Drive: From 4664 DuBay Drive going north to County Road DB on both sides of the road.

Section 6 - Slow Children Area

The Town of Dewey establishes, by this ordinance, the following areas marked by the Town of Dewey by traffic signs as “Slow Children” areas in the Town of Dewey.

(A) Maple Drive – From County Road X to the west for ½ mile in Sections 24 and 25, Township 25 North, Range 7 East, in the Town of Dewey, Portage County, Wisconsin.

Section 7 – Violations, Penalties

(A) Any person, partnership, corporation, or other legal entity that fails to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to the forfeitures found in the Cash Deposit Schedule found in Ordinance No.2. In addition to the forfeitures found in the Cash Deposit Schedule, each violator upon conviction shall pay any mandated fees, costs, surcharges, and assessments for each violation.

(B) Each day a violation exists or continues constitutes a separate offense under this Ordinance.

Section 8 – Severability

The provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed severable and it is expressly declared that the Town would have passed the other provisions of this ordinance irrespective of whether or not one or more provisions may be declared invalid. If any provisions of this ordinance or the application to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance and the application of such provisions to other person’s circumstances shall not be deemed affected.

Section 9 – Effective Date

This ordinance shall become effective upon its publication and/or posting in the manner set forth in s. 60.80, Wis. Stats.

Adopted this day of

By the Town Board of the Town of Dewey, Portage County

Maurice King, Chairperson

Leroy Pukrop, Supervisor

Dennis Meis, Supervisor

Attest: _____
Angela Lochinger, Clerk