

ORDINANCE NO. 1795-2024

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 10.01.31.E OF TITLE 10 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ONALASKA RELATING TO ALTERNATE SIDE PARKING RESTRICTIONS

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ONALASKA DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. Section 10.01.31.E of Title 10 of the City of Onalaska Ordinances is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced as follows:

10.01.31 Restrictions on parking; posted limits.

E. Alternate-side parking restrictions.

1. A system of alternate side parking is hereby established for the City of Onalaska. From December 15th to March 1st, between 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m., vehicles shall be parked only on even-numbered sides of the streets on those nights with an even calendar date and on odd-numbered sides of the streets on those nights with an odd calendar date, except where parking is prohibited on one side of the street for the entire block immediately across from a residence or building. Where parking is prohibited on one side of the street for an entire block or more directly across from a residence or building, vehicles may be parked on that permitted side nightly excluding corner properties.
2. This section shall not apply to any federal or state highway system within the City of Onalaska.
3. Signs shall be erected on all highways and town roads leading into the City, at the boundaries of the City, stating "Alternate parking required and enforced from December 15 through March 1."
4. "Nights," as used in this section, shall mean the period between 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m.
5. Emergency Alternate Side Parking. During such times as alternate side parking is not in effect, whenever in the opinion of the Director of Public Works, or that person's designee, an emergency exists in the City because of snow, freezing rain, sleet, ice, snow drifts or other natural phenomena which would create or will likely create hazardous road conditions impeding or likely to impede the free movement of fire, health, police, emergency or other vehicular traffic or otherwise endanger the safety or welfare of the community or other maintenance is necessary to prevent or clear road obstructions, such official may declare emergency alternate side parking to exist. A prediction by the National Weather Service for the possible accumulation of three (3) or more inches of snow on roadways for any part of the City of Onalaska is hereby declared as adequate reasoning for the declaration of a snow emergency. Notice of such emergency alternate side parking shall be made through multiple media avenues. When in the opinion of such official that such emergency conditions no longer exist for the aforesaid emergency they are authorized to terminate the emergency period. Unless otherwise specified by such official, the period of alternate side parking will run for a consecutive forty-eight (48) hours after notice is issued. Notice of the emergency alternate side parking will be provided at least six (6) hours prior to the penalties section herein taking effect. During Emergency Alternate Side Parking all of the rules of alternate side parking shall be in effect.

SECTION II. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and prior to publication although it will be published in due course.

Dated this 13th day of August, 2024.



CITY OF ONALASKA

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