

ORDINANCE NO: 1909

**An Ordinance to Create Section 6-13 of the Municipal Code
With Regard to Electric Vehicle Parking**

The Village Board of the Village of Whitefish Bay, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin does ordain as follows:

Section One: Section 6-13 is hereby created as follows:

6-13 Electric Vehicle Parking

- (A) **Definition:** An Electric Vehicle is defined according to Wisconsin State Statute 341.25(1)(L)1.c as a vehicle that is propelled solely by electrical energy and that is not capable of using gasoline, diesel fuel, or alternative fuel to propel the vehicle.
- (B) **Purpose:** The Village of Whitefish Bay has created Electric Vehicle Charging Stations using public parking spaces to address the growing use of electric vehicles and enable the public to charge their electric vehicles for a fee.
- (C) **Designation of Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces:** Parking spots designated as Electric Vehicle Charging Stations shall be marked with signage indicating that only electric vehicles are allowed to park while actively charging and violators will be ticketed or towed. All electric vehicle parking spaces shall have access to an Electric Vehicle Charging Station.
- (D) **Operation of Electric Vehicle Charging Stations:** When any vehicle shall be parked in any parking spot designated for Electric Vehicle Parking, the operator shall immediately deposit or cause to be deposited payment at a rate of \$2.00/hour with a \$2.00 minimum in the Electric Vehicle Charging Station.
- (E) **Maximum parking time:** It is intended, maximize the amount of vehicles able to use the Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces throughout the day to limit the time allowed to two hours for each respective spot. Merely depositing additional payments into the Electric Vehicle Charging Stations will not make parking legal which is otherwise illegal as being beyond the stated maximum time. It is the specific intention of this chapter that no electric vehicle shall park longer than two hours in an Electric Vehicle Parking Space.
- (F) **Violations:** An individual is not allowed to stop, stand, or park a motor vehicle within any parking space specifically designated as an Electric Vehicle Parking Space unless the motor vehicle is an electric motor vehicle as defined by Wisconsin State Statute 341.25(1)(L)1.c, is plugged into the adjacent Electric Vehicle Charging Station, and is actively charging. It shall also be a violation to allow a vehicle to be parking beyond the maximum allowed time for each designated spot.

Section Two: All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby and to such extent repealed.

Section Three: This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and posting.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Whitefish Bay this 1st day of April, 2024.

VILLAGE OF WHITEFISH BAY



Kevin Buckley, Village President



Jaimie Krueger, Village Clerk