

ORDINANCE NO. 2008-02

(01-10-08)

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE PUBLIC SAFETY AND HEALTH COMMITTEE TO
AMEND SECTION 7.04 (4)
OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE VILLAGE OF STURTEVANT,
RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN,
RELATING TO DECLARATION OF SNOW EMERGENCY AND PARKING
REGULATIONS**

The Village Board of the Village of Sturtevant, Racine County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

1. That Section 7.04 (4) of the Municipal Code of the Village of Sturtevant be, and hereby is, amended to read as follows:

(4) DECLARATION OF SNOW EMERGENCY AND PARKING REGULATIONS.

- (a) Whenever snow falls during any 24 hour period to a depth of four (4) inches or more or a situation exists resulting in freezing rain resulting in ice accumulations throughout the Village of 1/8" or more, then such storm constitutes a serious public hazard impairing public transportation, public safety, and safe operations within the Village of Sturtevant and a snow emergency declaration can be issued at any time by either the Village President, Village Administrator, Public Works Committee Chairperson or a designated representative.
- (b) A snow emergency will remain in effect until such time as snowplowing or salting operations have been declared completed by the Department of Public Works Director or his/her designated representative.
- (c) Whenever such an emergency is declared, the Police Department shall issue an announcement to not less than two (2) radio or television broadcast stations whose normal operating range includes the Village of Sturtevant.
- (d) No person shall park, stop, or leave standing any vehicle upon any public street, highway, or alley within the Village during the emergency except for vehicles loading or unloading of passengers or property and provided that no other parking ordinance is violated for a period not to exceed 15 minutes. The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to physicians on emergency calls.
- (e) Any vehicle which is illegally parked on any street or alley may be moved by or under the direction of any police officer and the cost of moving and storage of such vehicle shall be added as a cost to the penalty assessed for the illegal parking of such vehicles.

2. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately, upon adoption and publication as provided by law.

Adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Sturtevant, Racine County, Wisconsin, this 5th day of February, 2008.

VILLAGE OF STURTEVANT

By: _____
Steve Jansen, President

Attest: _____
Mary Hanstad, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer