

ORDINANCE NO. 2008-07

(04-10-08)

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE PUBLIC SAFETY AND HEALTH COMMITTEE TO
AMEND SECTION 8.13(1) (a) and (b)
OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE VILLAGE OF STURTEVANT,
RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN,
RELATING TO OBSTRUCTING, LITTERING AND DAMAGING STREETS**

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

1. That Section 8.13 (1) (a) and (b) of the Municipal Code of the Village of Sturtevant be, and hereby is, amended to read as follows:

8.13 OBSTRUCTING, LITTERING AND DAMAGING OF STREETS, ALLEYS AND PUBLIC GROUNDS.

(1) OBSTRUCTING OR LITTERING STREETS, ALLEYS AND PUBLIC GROUNDS.

(a) Obstructions. No person shall place, deposit or cause to be placed upon any street, alley, gutter, sidewalk or public ground within the Village any timber, wood, lumber, rubbish, grass clippings, leaves, yard or garden debris, offal, vegetables, paper, shavings, garbage or earth, snow, or anything of substance whatever which may obstruct any street, alley, gutter, sidewalk or public ground, or impede, hinder or endanger travel thereon, or which shall or may injure or disfigure the same, or tend to the injury or disfigurement thereof, or tend to render the same unclean or a nuisance; nor shall any person cause or suffer any vehicle or any box, crate, bail, baggage, merchandise or other thing to stand or be in or upon any such street, alley, sidewalk or public ground.

(b) Duties of Officers to Cause Removal. If any substance or material mentioned in par. (a) above is found remaining or lying upon any street, alley, sidewalk or public ground within the limits of the Village in violation of par. (a) above, the Director of Public Safety or any Village employee shall cause notice to be immediately given to any person who may have placed, caused or permitted to be placed such substance or thing upon such street, alley, sidewalk or public ground, or who may be the owner or have control of such substance or thing or who may suffer the same to lay or remain upon such street, alley, sidewalk or public ground, to remove such thing or substance, or cause the same to be removed immediately; and if such person refuses, neglects or fails to remove, or cause to be removed the same after being so notified, the Director of Public Safety or designee may issue a citation and shall cause it to be removed to some convenient and safe place within the Village at the expense of such person to be recovered in an action against such person prosecuted in the name of the Village.

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 6th day of May, 2008.

VILLAGE OF STURTEVANT

By: _____
Steve Jansen, President

Attest: _____
Mary Hanstad, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer