

1979 Assembly Bill 518

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AN ACT to amend 349.13 (1) of the statutes, relating to providing notice of 24-hour parking limitations.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 349.13 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

349.13 (1) The department with respect to state trunk highways outside of corporate limits and the local authorities with respect to highways under their jurisdiction, including state trunk highways or connecting highways within corporate limits, may, within the reasonable exercise of the police power, prohibit, limit the time of or otherwise restrict the stopping, standing or parking of vehicles beyond the prohibitions, limitations or restrictions imposed by ch. 346, except that they may not modify the exceptions set forth in s. 346.50. The department may also restrict or prohibit the stopping, standing or parking of vehicles on any part of a state trunk highway or connecting highway within corporate limits if the local authority having jurisdiction has not enacted any stopping, standing or parking regulation applicable to the highway or part thereof in question. The authority granted by this subsection may be delegated to a traffic officer or to the officer in charge of the maintenance of the highway in question, but no prohibition, limitation or restriction on parking imposed pursuant to under this section is effective unless official traffic signs or markers or parking meters have been placed or erected indicating the particular prohibition, limitation or restriction except that parking regulations which prohibit, limit or restrict the parking of vehicles for any period longer than 24 consecutive hours, during any hours between 12 midnight and 7 a.m., or any portion thereof or during a snow emergency as determined by the city or village, shall be effective in cities and villages upon a two-thirds vote of their respective governing bodies notwithstanding this subsection and s.

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346.02 (7) when official traffic signs have been placed or erected at or reasonably near the corporate limits of such city or village on all state and county trunk highways and connecting highways, as the latter are defined in s. 86.32, informing motorists that ~~either~~ 24-hour parking limitations, night parking regulations or snow emergency regulations ~~or both~~ are in effect in such city or village.
