AN ACT to create 341.0583, 346.94 (24) and 349.27 of the statutes; relating to: authority of a city, village, or town to allow operation of motorized rickshaws on local highways.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau
This bill allows a municipality to authorize the use of motorized rickshaws on highways under the jurisdiction of the authorizing municipality.

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

SECTION 1. 341.0583 of the statutes is created to read:

341.0583 Motorized rickshaws. A motorized rickshaw authorized under and operated in accordance with s. 349.27, even though operated upon a highway, is exempt from registration.

SECTION 2. 346.94 (24) of the statutes is created to read:

346.94 (24) MOTORIZED RICKSHAWS. A person may operate a motorized rickshaw if authorized under s. 349.27 upon a highway under the jurisdiction of the
authorizing municipality, subject to any restrictions specified by municipal
ordinance enacted under s. 349.27.

SECTION 3. 349.27 of the statutes is created to read:

349.27 Authority to allow operation of motorized rickshaws. The
governing body of a city, village, or town may by ordinance allow the use of a
motorized rickshaw on a roadway over which the governing body has jurisdiction.
An ordinance under this section may restrict the operation of a motorized rickshaw
authorized under this section.

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