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AN ACT to amend 66.046 (1) and 349.03 (2); and to create 66.046 (3) and 86.305 of the statutes, relating to: the authority of a certain city to limit or monitor access to certain streets for safety purposes.

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

SECTION 1. 66.046 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

66.046 (1) The council or board of any governing body of a city or village may cause set aside streets that are not a part of any federal, state or county trunk highway system, to be set aside for the safety of children in coasting or other play activities, and may obstruct or barricade such streets for such period of time and in such manner as shall most effectively to safeguard the children from accidents. The council or board of such governing body of the city or village shall erect and maintain thereon barriers or barricades, lights, or warning signs therefor and shall not be liable for any damage caused thereby.

SECTION 2. 66.046 (3) of the statutes is created to read:

66.046 (3) (a) The governing body of a city may monitor or limit access to streets that are not part of any federal, state or county trunk highway system or connecting highway, as described in s. 84.02 (11), for the purposes of security or public safety. The governing body of a city

may authorize gates or security stations, or both, to be erected and maintained to monitor traffic or limit access on such streets. The restriction of access to streets that is authorized under this subsection may not affect a city's eligibility for state transportation aids.

(b) This subsection applies only to the city of Arcadia.

SECTION 3. 86.305 of the statutes is created to read: **86.305 Eligibility for transportation aids.** The restriction of access to a street under s. 66.046 (3) may not affect the eligibility of a city to receive any state transportation aids.

SECTION 4. 349.03 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

349.03 (2) No local authority may enact or enforce any traffic regulation providing for suspension or revocation of motor vehicle operator's licenses or requiring local registration of vehicles, except as authorized by s. 341.35, or in any manner excluding or prohibiting any motor vehicle, mobile home, trailer or semitrailer whose owner has complied with chs. 341 to 348 from the free use of all highways, except as authorized by sub. (3) and ss. 66.046 (1) and (3), 349.13, 349.17, 349.22 and 349.23.