

ORDINANCE NO. O-19-22

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 7 OF THE VILLAGE CODE OF CAMPTON HILLS, KANE COUNTY, ILLINOIS RELATING TO INCLEMENT WEATHER PARKING RULES

WHEREAS, the Village of Campton Hills, Kane County, Illinois (the "*Village*") is a duly organized and existing municipal corporation created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois and under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code, as from time to time supplemented and amended; and

WHEREAS, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Campton Hills, Kane County, Illinois (the "*Corporate Authorities*") may from time to time amend the text of the Village Code of Campton Hills (the "*Code*") when it is determined to be in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the Village and its residents; and

WHEREAS, the Village currently restricts parking on the public right-of-way during periods of snowfall in excess of two inches (2"); and

WHEREAS, the Campton Township Highway District has suggested that the Code, concerning parking on streets during snowfalls, be modified to address icing conditions; and the Village wishes to refine its parking restrictions during such periods of inclement weather; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities find that it is in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Village to provide for the regulations herein specified.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Campton Hills, Kane County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2. Section 7-4-2 (“*Parking During Snow Season*”) of Chapter 4 (“*Parking Regulations*”) of Title 7 (“*Motor Vehicles and Traffic*”) of the Village Code of Campton Hills, Illinois, is hereby amended by adding the following language and deleting the stricken language as follows:

7-4-2: PARKING DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER SNOW SEASON:

- A. ~~Parking Prohibited: It shall be unlawful for any person to park a motor vehicle or, if parked, to allow a motor vehicle to remain parked or standing in any public street, roadway, or alley during or after a snowfall in which there is an accumulation of two inches (2") of snow or more. This prohibition shall remain in effect until such time as the street, roadway, or alley has been plowed or the snow has been removed therefrom. A street shall not be deemed to have been plowed until the lane of traffic nearest the curb has been plowed or the snow has been removed therefrom. (Ord. O-14-02, 1-21-2014)~~

Parking Prohibited after Snowfall or Ice Event: It shall be unlawful for any driver or vehicle owner to allow their vehicle to stand, park, or remain parked for a period of time longer than five (5) minutes for the loading and unloading of passengers and/or thirty (30) minutes for the loading, unloading, pick up, or delivery of materials from any service, delivery, commercial, or private vehicle in any public street, roadway or alley, including the curb and gutter or shoulder of a public roadway, in the village anytime there is a snow or ice event. If said vehicle restricts or obstructs the passage of any emergency vehicle including, but not limited to snowplow trucks or machinery used for snow/ice removal, it must be removed immediately upon request. These restrictions will be enforced: when there is a publicly broadcast U.S. Weather Service snow or ice forecast and the snow/ice has started to fall; while the snow, ice, sleet, or freezing rain is falling; as long as snow, ice or sleet remains on the pavement; or while any snow removal operations are going on. This prohibition shall remain in effect until such time as the street, roadway, or alley has been plowed or the snow, ice or sleet has been removed therefrom.

- B. Nuisance Declared; Removal; Responsibility For Costs: Whenever a village police officer finds a vehicle parked in violation of this section, and where such vehicle constitutes an obstruction to traffic, interferes with the use of streets or in any other manner creates a dangerous or unsafe condition, such a vehicle is declared a nuisance and a hazard to public safety, and the police officer may cause the removal of such vehicle to a public garage or other place of safety during snow, ice and sleet removal operations of the village on such streets, and the expense of such removal and storage in such public garage shall be paid by the owner or operator of the vehicle, in addition to any other penalties imposed by this title.

C. Dates of Parking Restrictions: The parking prohibitions listed in this section shall apply from November 1st through April 1st.

D. Additional Discretionary Prohibitions: The Chief of Police of the Village shall have the discretion to implement additional parking bans to facilitate the abatement of dangerous inclement weather conditions under this section.

Section 3. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval, and publication in the manner provided by law.

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Passed this 17th day of December, 2019, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

	AYES	NAYES	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Trustee Darlene Bakk	_____	_____	_____✓	_____
Trustee Susan P George	_____✓	_____	_____	_____
Trustee Jim McKelvie ②	_____✓	_____	_____	_____
Trustee Mike Millette ①	_____✓	_____	_____	_____
Trustee Michael O'Dwyer	_____✓	_____	_____	_____
Trustee Wendy K. White Eagle	_____✓	_____	_____	_____
President Michael Tyrrell	_____	_____	_____	_____

APPROVED this 17th day of December, 2019


Michael Tyrrell, Village President

(SEAL)

ATTEST:


Lynn Baez, Village Clerk