

Ordinance 96-5
Prohibitive Overnight Parking Or Camping

The Town Board of the Town of Phelps, Vilas County, Wisconsin does ordain as follows:

Section 1. Applicability and Enforcement:

A. The provisions of this Ordinance shall apply to all lands owned by the Town of Phelps, or for which the Town of Phelps has an easement, and used and operated as boat launching facilities with parking areas and public parks.

B. This Ordinance shall be enforced by the officer(s) of the Town of Phelps, by the Vilas County Sheriff's Department and by the Wisconsin State Patrol.

Section 2. Overnight Parking and Camping Prohibited:

A. No persons shall park a motor vehicle or camp at any boat launching facility with adjacent parking area, or public park owned or operated by the Town of Phelps, or which is used by the public under easement to the Town of Phelps, on an overnight basis

B. The Town Board of the Town of Phelps shall cause to be erected on all boat launching facilities with parking areas and all public owned, operated or under easement to the Town of Phelps, appropriate signs prohibiting overnight camping and motor vehicle parking at such facilities.

C. For purposes of this Ordinance, "overnight" shall be defined as a period of time in excess of six (6) hours during the period of 9:00 o'clock P.M. to 5:00 o'clock A.M. the following day.

Section 3. Penalty:

Any person violating this Ordinance shall be required to forfeit not less than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) nor more than Forty Dollars (\$40.00) for the first offense, an no less than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for the second or subsequent conviction within one (1) year.

Section 4. Definition of Motor Vehicle:

The term "motor vehicle", as used in this Ordinance, shall have the meaning set forth in Section 340.01(35), Wisconsin Statutes.

Section 5. Effective Date:

This Ordinance shall become effective the day of passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed, accepted and approved this 13th day of May, 1996.

Donald Parker, Chairman
Richard Buell, Supervisor
Richard Hiller, Supervisor

Dorothy Kimmerling, Clerk
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