

Chapter 284

SNOWMOBILES, ~~ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES (ATV) AND UTILITY TERRAIN VEHICLES (UTV)~~

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Common Council of the City of Lodi as Ch. 14 of the City Code. Amendments noted where applicable.]

§ 284-1. State snowmobile laws adopted.

Except as otherwise specifically provided in this chapter, the statutory provisions describing and defining regulations with respect to snowmobiles in the following enumerated sections of the Wisconsin Statutes are hereby adopted by reference and made part of this chapter as if fully set forth herein. Acts required to be performed or prohibited by such statutes are required or prohibited by this chapter.

350.01	Definitions
350.02	Operation of snowmobiles on or in vicinity of highways
350.03	Right of way
350.04	Snowmobile races, derbies and routes
350.045	Public utility exempted
350.05	Operation by youthful operator restricted
350.07	Driving animals
350.08	Owner permitting operation
350.09	Head lamps, tail lamps and brakes
350.10	Miscellaneous provisions for operation
350.12	Registration of snowmobiles
350.15	Accidents and accident reports
351.17	Enforcement

§ 284-2. Additional regulations.

- A. Except as provided in §§ 350.02 and 350.045, Wis. Stats., and this chapter, or for snowmobile events authorized in accordance with § 350.04, Wis. Stats., no person shall operate a snowmobile upon any public right-of-way, street, highway or alley; or on any public municipal property within the City. **[Amended 12-2-2008 by Ord. No. A-404]**
- B. Hours of operation. No person shall operate a snowmobile on private property within the City of Lodi

between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. [Amended 12-2-2008 by Ord. No. A-404]

- C. Unattended snowmobiles. No person shall leave or allow a snowmobile to remain unattended while the motor is running or with the key in the ignition.
- D. Operation on sidewalks and malls prohibited. No person shall operate a snowmobile on any sidewalk, mall or pedestrianway within the City of Lodi.
- E. Operation on private property. No person shall operate a snowmobile on any private property not owned or controlled by him within the City without the express consent or permission of the owner.
- F. Exceptions. Operation of snowmobiles is authorized on the golf course (Lakeland Hills) subject to approval of the lessee. Operation of snowmobiles is authorized in Goeres Park subject to the approval of the Director of Operations. Such operation shall be in a manner provided for in § 350.10, Wis. Stats. [Amended 12-2-2008 by Ord. No. A-404; 1-2-2019 by Ord. No. A-526]

~~G. —ATV and UTV operation on City streets. [Added 6-21-2022 by Ord. No. A-556¹]~~

- ~~(1) —ATV and UTV (as defined in Wisconsin State Statutes) operation on City Streets (excluding state highways) is allowed while conducting official City of Lodi or Lodi School District business.~~
- ~~(2) —Use of ATVs and UTVs on City streets (excluding state highways) in conjunction with events permitted by the City is allowed in the permitted area during the event.~~
- ~~(3) —Private use of ATVs and UTVs by volunteers at community events that are not subject to a special event permit (i.e., ball tournaments) must be approved by the Lodi Police Department prior to the event.~~

§ 284-3. Violations and penalties. [Amended 10-10-2006 by Ord. No. A-361]

Any person who shall violate any provision of this chapter shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a penalty as provided in Chapter 1, § 1-3 of this Code, provided that no person shall forfeit an amount in excess of the maximum fine or forfeiture allowed in the Wisconsin Statutes for the same offense.

§ 284-4. Enforcement.

- A. Uniform citation for highway violations: The uniform traffic citation promulgated under § 345.11, Wis. Stats., shall be used for violations of § 284-1. A notice of violation form prescribed by the Lodi Police Department shall be used for enforcement of violations of § 284-2.
- B. Stipulations, forfeited penalties and deposits for obtaining release from arrest authorized under this chapter may be accepted at the Lodi Police Department offices by the Chief of Police or officer designated by him. The officer authorized to accept deposits and penalties shall be bonded and such bond shall be filed with the City Clerk.

§ 284-5. Filing.

The Clerk shall file a copy of this chapter upon its enactment and publication with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

1. Editor's Note: This ordinance also amended the title of this Ch. 284 from "Snowmobiles" to its current title.