

Chapter 373

SNOWMOBILES

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Endeavor at time of adoption of Code (see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. II). Amendments noted where applicable.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Parks and recreation areas — See Ch. 320.
Streets and sidewalks — See Ch. 390.

Vehicles and traffic — See Ch. 425.

§ 373-1. Statutory authority.

This chapter is adopted as authorized under § 350.18(3)(a), Wis. Stats.

§ 373-2. Speed.

No person shall operate a snowmobile upon any public right-of-way or highway within the Village of Endeavor at a speed in excess of that permitted or posted for other motor vehicles or in any public park or area at a speed in excess of 25 miles per hour.

§ 373-3. Hours of operation.

No person shall operate a snowmobile within the Village of Endeavor between the hours of 1:30 a.m. and 6:00 a.m., except in cases of emergency.

§ 373-4. Unattended vehicles.

No person shall leave or allow a snowmobile owned or operated by him to remain unattended on any public highway or public property while the motor is running or with the starting key left in the ignition.

§ 373-5. Operation on sidewalks.

No person shall operate a snowmobile on any sidewalk or pedestrianway within the Village of Endeavor.

§ 373-6. Operation on private premises restricted.

No person shall operate a snowmobile on any private property not owned or occupied by him within the Village of Endeavor without the express consent or permission of the owner.

§ 373-7. Accidents and accident reports.

- A. If he can do so without serious danger to his own snowmobile or to persons on board, the operator of a snowmobile involved in a snowmobile accident within the Village of Endeavor shall stop his snowmobile and shall render to other persons affected thereby such assistance as may be practicable and necessary to save them from or minimize any danger caused by the accident and shall give his name and address and identification of his snowmobile to any person injured and to the owner of any property damaged in the accident.
- B. If the snowmobile accident results in death or injury to any person or total property damage in excess of \$200, every operator of a snowmobile involved in such accident shall, as soon as possible, notify the Village Hall of the accident and shall, within 10 days after the accident, file a written report thereof with the Village Hall on forms prescribed by it.
- C. If the operator of a snowmobile is physically incapable of making the report required by this section and there was another occupant in the snowmobile at the time of the accident capable of making the report, he shall make such report.
- D. "Snowmobile accident" means a collision, accident or other casualty involving a snowmobile.

§ 373-8. Violations and penalties.

Wisconsin state snowmobile penalties as found in § 350.11(1)(a), Wis. Stats., are adopted by reference.

§ 373-9. Permitted areas.

Snowmobiles may be driven in areas specifically designated, under the control of the Village Board, when appropriate signs have been erected giving notice that snowmobiles may be operated in the area. A person may travel on the shoulder of an established street or roadway from a residence or lodging establishment within the corporate limits of the Village of Endeavor for the shortest distance that is necessary for a person to operate a snowmobile to the snowmobile route or trail that is closest to that residence or lodging establishment.

§ 373-10. Operation on streets.

No snowmobile shall be operated on any Village street or alley within the Village limits of the Village of Endeavor, except to drive directly across a street, at right angles, and then only after stopping and yielding the right-of-way to all vehicles approaching on the highway, except on a designated snowmobile route as authorized by the Village Board.

§ 373-11. Equipment; lights.

No snowmobile shall be operated within the Village limits of the Village of Endeavor unless the same shall be in proper working order and fully equipped with a functioning muffler and operating headlight and taillight. Any snowmobile operating during hours of darkness shall display lighted headlight and taillight.

