

**ORROCK TOWNSHIP
SHERBURNE COUNTY
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

ORDINANCE NO. O-20141219

**ORDINANCE REGULATING WINTER PARKING
ON TOWN ROADS**

The Board of Supervisors of the Town of Orrock ordains:

Subdivision 1

For the purpose of this ordinance, the following terms shall have the meaning given:

- a. The term “Commercial Motor Vehicle” shall have the same meaning as such terms as defined in Minnesota Statute § 169.011, Subd. 16.
- b. The term “Park” shall be defined to include the terms stand, standing, stop and stopping.
- c. The term “Person” shall be defined to mean any individual, individuals, firm, association, syndicate, co-partnership, corporation, trust or other association of persons.
- d. The term “Semitrailer” shall have the same meaning as such terms as defined in Minnesota Statute § 169.011, Subd. 72.
- e. The term “Town” shall be defined to mean Orrock Township in the State of Minnesota.
- f. The term “Trailer” shall have the same meaning as such terms as defined in Minnesota Statute § 169.011, Subd. 86.
- g. The term “Vehicle” shall have the same meaning as such terms as defined in Minnesota Statute § 169.011, Subd. 92.
- h. The term “Winter Months” shall be defined as the time frame of November 1 of the current year through April 15 of the following year.

Subdivision 2

There shall be a prohibition against parking commercial motor vehicles, vehicles, unhitched trailers or semitrailers on any township road as provided herein:

- a. *Prohibition.* Except as otherwise provided in this Ordinance, a person shall not park any commercial motor vehicle, vehicle, trailer or semitrailer or other object upon any portion of a town road right-of-way during Winter Months.
- b. *Temporary exception for disability.* The prohibitions of Subdivision 1.01 a. shall not apply to commercial motor vehicles, vehicles, trailer or semitrailer which is disabled in such a manner and to such an extent that it is impossible to avoid stopping and temporarily leaving the commercial motor vehicle, vehicle, disabled trailer or semitrailer on a town road that would ordinarily be used for vehicular parking. The period for any disability exception to this Ordinance shall not exceed 2 hours.

Subdivision 3

The Sherburne County Sheriff's department or other authorized representatives of the Township are hereby authorized to remove any offending commercial motor vehicle, vehicle, trailer or semitrailer from town roads. The commercial motor vehicle, vehicle, trailer or semitrailer shall be towed and stored at owner's own expense. Any person(s) violating any provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a petty misdemeanor as defined by Minnesota Statute § 609.02, Subd. 4A as from time to time amended, including the cost of prosecution. Each day a violation shall occur shall constitute a separate violation.

Subdivision 4

If a court of proper jurisdiction shall find any portion of this Ordinance unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, all remaining provisions shall remain in effect and shall not be affected by the ruling on the invalid section.

Subdivision 5

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

Subdivision 6

All ordinances, or portions of ordinances, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

The Orrock Township Board of Supervisors adopts this Ordinance this 17th day of December 2014.

Michael Eisinger, Chairperson

Attested to by:

Brenda Kimberly-Maas, Town Clerk