

PREAMBLE

The purpose of the Code Book is to set down: (1) all existing regulatory ordinances and (2) all organizational ordinances which set forth the essential framework of City government for members of the public and present and future City officers. There are detailed references to the Wisconsin Statutes to aid the users of this Code authority. In large part, the substance and organization are suggested by "A Guide for Developing Town Ordinances" prepared for the Wisconsin Towns Association by Attorney Tom Harnish.

We call to the user's attention that blank lines or spaces are purposely included. This is to call to the user's attention that the Common Council can legislate or expand on this area. Also, certain subjects have been included in the ordinance book with reference to the fact that the Common Council **may** create the authority or take action in the future. These subjects are included to call future Common Council members' attention that the City can take action in this regard. Codes of ordinances should never be regarded as complete or final. They should change, as the City's needs change.

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