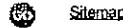


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City news

Municipal Court Closed Today

The Milwaukee Municipal Court is CLOSED on Friday, December 19, 2008 due to the inclement weather. If you were scheduled for court on Friday, December 19, you will receive a new court date via the US mail.

Celebrating City Hall's Restoration

Join Mayor Tom Barrett, members of the Common Council and the citizens of Milwaukee in celebrating the restoration, significance and beauty of Milwaukee's National Historic Landmark, City Hall.



City Hall Restoration Exhibition

City Hall, 200 E. Wells St

Through January 18, 2009. Weekdays, 8 a.m.-7 p.m.

View artifacts, displays and more. Bring your camera to take a photo on real scaffolding in front of an artist's rendering of the restored City Hall clock.

Activities are free and open to the public. Thank you to our project partner J.P. Cullen for sponsoring the celebration.

Online Information and Resources

Can't make it downtown? Visit our timeless Milwaukee masterpiece virtually! Take a video tour, watch a slideshow and more.

Watch Insight Milwaukee

In this episode of Insight Milwaukee, we explore the services and agencies that cooperatively provide the City of Milwaukee with foreclosure counseling, housing opportunities and creative solutions to funding new housing in Milwaukee. We talk with representatives from a variety of organizations who work together to enhance our city's housing options and keep our neighborhoods livable.



Insight Milwaukee can also be seen on City Channel 25 on Time Warner Cable in Milwaukee and on AT&T U-Verse Channel 99.

Mayor Barrett's Comprehensive Transit Strategy for Milwaukee

Milwaukee demands a Comprehensive Transit Strategy that creates jobs, meets the various demands of different users and provides seamless connectivity. Mayor Barrett's plan accomplishes these critical goals and moves Milwaukee forward.

New Legislative Information Site

The City Clerk's Office introduces its new Legislative Research Center, one stop for information on Common Council files, agendas and minutes of Council and committee meetings, and the functions and membership of city boards, commissions and committees. Included are links to video clips of the discussion on specific legislative items.

Help for Homeowners Facing Foreclosure

The City of Milwaukee is committed to helping our neighborhoods remain healthy for generations to come. We are coordinating with various organizations, government agencies and private lenders and reaching out to homeowners facing foreclosure.

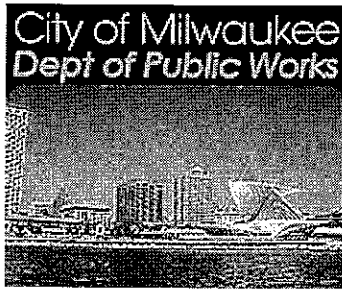
- Resources for Those Facing Foreclosure or Affected By Predatory Lending
- Recursos Para Personas Enfrentando un Cierre de Hipoteca o Afectados Por un Prestamo Abusivo

Common Council Chamber Slide Show

View a slideshow of the Common Council Chamber, including the stained glass windows and ceiling stenciling.

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Message from the Commissioner



The Milwaukee Department of Public Works has the greatest impact of any city department on daily life in Milwaukee.

We contribute to the quality of life and economic development of Milwaukee in many ways. We provide the cleanest, safest water in the country; we foster the growth and beauty of our urban forest and boulevards to the envy of others around the country; and we complete sewer, water and paving projects on or ahead of schedule. At any hour, we plow snow to keep our streets safe for passage; we also provide reliable and efficient garbage and recycling collection.

We are responsible for the design, maintenance, and operation of streets, sidewalks, alleys, bridges, sewers, water mains, underground conduit, telecommunications services, traffic signals, and street lighting for more than 95 square miles; 221 city buildings, a fleet of over 1,500 vehicles, 476 acres of boulevards and green space, and 200,000 street trees.



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Milwaukee DPW
 Room 501,
 Zeldler Municipal Building
 841 N. Broadway
 Milwaukee, WI 53202
 Phone: (414) 286-8333

Jeffrey Mantes
 DPW Commissioner

New

- Media Advisory: Winter Parking Regulations Start Monday, December 1st (PDF)
- City of Milwaukee Winter Parking Information
- Winter Parking Regulations - by Street Address



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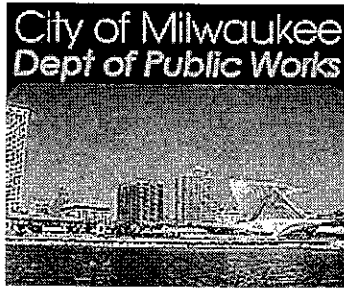
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Go to "Parking Info"



Parking Regulations



The City of Milwaukee has a myriad of parking regulations. The following includes highlights of the most common regulations.



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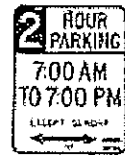
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To obtain the posted parking regulations for a specific street go to Street Parking Regulations. This site only includes parking regulations that are posted. Note: Most residential streets have alternate side night parking throughout the year with a valid night parking permit or night parking permission. These streets are not posted. However, there are a number of streets that are exceptions to the night parking rule. Please go to Winter Parking for more information on these exceptions or go to Winter Parking Regulations page for a list of streets. These streets are not posted.

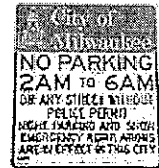
Daytime Parking

- If a street has no posted time restrictions, vehicles may park on-street all day.
- If hourly parking exists, parking is limited to the posted time restrictions.
- Residential Daytime Parking Privilege for Nonconforming Residential Uses (MCO 101-27.5).
- For Residential Daytime Parking Privilege for Commuter Parking Impacted Areas and to obtain a list of streets (MCO 101-27.7).
- To obtain permits for Residential Daytime Parking Privilege for Nonconforming Residential Uses and for Commuter Parking Impacted Areas go to the Parking Services Permits page.
- For off-street parking options in the Milwaukee downtown area west of the Milwaukee river visit www.parkmilwaukee.com.



Night Parking

Most residential streets have alternate side night parking throughout the year with a valid night parking permit or night parking permission. These streets are not posted. However, there are a number of streets that are exceptions to the night parking rule. Please go to Winter Parking for more information on these exceptions or go to Winter Parking Regulations page for a list of streets.



- On even-numbered calendar days (before midnight) a vehicle with a valid night permit must be legally parked on the side of the street with even house numbers; on odd-numbered calendar days (before midnight) a vehicle must be parked on the side of the street with odd house numbers.
- Night Parking During Snow Emergency: If a snow emergency has been declared, night parking regulations are in effect from 11:00 P.M. to 6:00 A.M. on all city streets regardless of the winter parking regulation.
- Parking is allowed between 2:00 A.M. and 6:00 A.M. with a valid night parking permit or night parking permission with the following exceptions:
 1. Sunday morning
 2. Morning of the day and morning of the day following: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.
 3. Parking is permitted for a period not to exceed one hour in the same block in which a business establishment licensed by the City is open for business between 2:00 A.M. and 6:00 A.M.
 4. Licensed physicians and ordained clergy in emergency situations

Winter Parking

To obtain the posted parking regulations for a specific street go to Street Parking Regulations. This site only includes parking regulations that are posted. Note: Some winter parking regulations are not posted. For a list of these streets please go to the Winter Parking Regulations page.

- **NO PARKING DECEMBER 1 TO MARCH 1**

No overnight parking is allowed on through highways and mass transit (bus) routes from December 1 to March 1. These streets are not posted. For a list of these streets please go to the Winter Parking Regulations page. In case of a



"Snow Emergency" prior to December 1 or after March 1, vehicles must be moved to a side street and must be legally parked in conformity with all other regulations on the proper side of the street.

• **EXCEPTION TO ALTERNATE SIDE NIGHT PARKING**

Overnight parking is allowed on both sides of the street from March 1 to December 1. Alternate side night parking is allowed from December 1 to March 1. These streets are not posted. For a list of these streets please go to the Winter Parking Regulations page.



• **4" RULE**

Certain residential streets are posted "No Parking When Snow Falls 4 Inches or More". Parking is allowed on both sides of the street, except when snow has accumulated on the street surface to the depth of 4 inches or more. Then no parking is allowed on the side of the street where the sign is posted until the snow has been removed--day or night or at any time of the year. To determine whether this regulation applies to a specific street go to Street Parking Regulations.



• **SPECIFIC SIDE PARKING**

Certain residential streets are restricted to parking on a specific side of the street during the winter months. These streets are posted with signs reading "No Parking" on one side of the street, either for the entire December 1 to March 1 period, or with a monthly alternation of the prohibited side. To determine whether this regulation applies to a specific street go to Street Parking Regulations.



• **NIGHT PARKING DURING SNOW EMERGENCY**

If a snow emergency has been declared, night parking regulations are in effect from 11:00 P.M. to 6:00 A.M. on all city streets regardless of the winter parking regulation.

• **SNOW ROUTE TOW-AWAY ZONE**

A "Snow Emergency" is declared to exist whenever snow falls during any period of 24 hours or less to a depth which is determined and declared by the Commissioner of Public Works to constitute a serious public hazard impairing transportation, the movement of food and fuel supplies, medical care, fire, health, and police protection, and other vital facilities of the City. Such an emergency is declared to continue for a period of 72 hours or until such earlier times as snow plowing operations have been declared completed by the Commissioner of Public Works. "Snow Emergencies" are widely publicized on local radio and television stations. In addition, "Temporary No Parking Tow Away" signs may be posted by the City to assist in clean-up after major snowfalls. Vehicles parked in violation of "Snow Route Tow-Away Zone" and "Temporary No Parking Tow Away" signs or obstructing traffic during a "Snow Emergency" will be towed away at owner's expense. There are no exceptions.



• **MPS PARKING FOR SNOW EMERGENCIES**

Milwaukee Public Schools make some of its playgrounds and parking lots available for overnight parking during declared snow emergencies and clean-up periods. Take a look at Snow Emergency Off-Street Parking on School Playgrounds List. Call the Department of Public Works Information Center at (414) 286-8282 during regular business hours for the location of a playground nearest your home.

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Other Parking Regulations

- **No 24 Hour Parking**
No vehicle shall be permitted to stand in one place on a highway for more than 24 hours.
- **Private Property**
No motor vehicle shall be left parked within the front yard or the front, rear street, side street or side setback of the principal building or any residential property, including single family, 2-family, and multi-family dwellings.
- **Driveways**
It shall be unlawful for any vehicle to be parked on or blocking the entrance to any private driveway or garage without the consent of the owner of such driveway so as to prevent free

passage of vehicles.

- **Loading Zones**

Loading zones are to be used for the purpose of, and while actually engaged in, loading or unloading property or passengers. Loading zones are not considered parking places and will be enforced accordingly.

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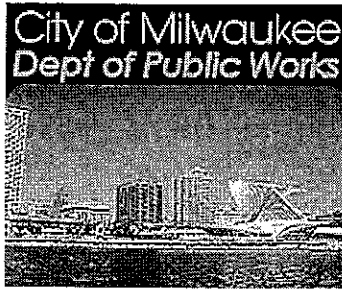
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Snow Emergency, Off-street Parking on School Playgrounds

MPS has agreed to make the following playgrounds available for parking during snow emergencies, from 7:00 P.M. - 7:00 A.M. and designated cleanup periods.



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| CASS STREET PLAYGROUND | 1620 N CASS |
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| FRATNEY STREET SCHOOL | 3255 N FRATNEY |
| FRITSCH MIDDLE SCHOOL | 2969 S HOWELL |
| GARDEN HOMES | 4456 N TEUTONIA |
| HARTFORD AVENUE SCHOOL | 2227 E HARTFORD |
| HUMBOLDT PARK SCHOOL | 325 S ADAMS |
| LAFOLLETTE SCHOOL | 3239 N 9TH STREET |
| LEE SCHOOL | 921 W MEINECKE |
| LINCOLN AVE. SCHOOL | 1817 W LINCOLN |
| LONGFELLOW SCHOOL | 1021 S 21ST |
| MALCOLM X ACADEMY | 2760 N 1ST |
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Highlights

2009 City of Milwaukee Budget

Mayor Tom Barrett delivered his 2009 budget for the City of Milwaukee to the Common Council, one he called the most difficult he has ever faced.

- [Press Release](#)
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On Saturday August 8, 2008, Mayor Tom Barrett participated in the 9th Annual Hank Aaron State Trail Run/Walk. Hank Aaron has expressed excitement of what is happening in the Valley. He has an appreciation for the tremendous investment of the City and State to make the Trail and the economic revitalization a reality. Hank has expressed great enthusiasm for what these efforts can do for kids in Milwaukee.



Mayor Barrett and Vice Mayor Wu Hemin
Video of Official Unveiling Ceremony

On Monday July 21st, the City of Milwaukee was formally presented with a gift from the City of Ningbo of two stone lions. Stone lions are traditionally used to guard a building and those within. These lions will be a lasting and powerful symbol of the friendly relationship between the City of Milwaukee and the City of Ningbo.



Facing Foreclosure? Act quickly to help your chances in keeping your home!

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2008 State of the City Address

Mayor Tom Barrett delivered his fourth State of the City

Committee Chair Alderman Michael Murphy and Milwaukee Police Chief Nan Hegerty to announce the extension of the very successful Neighborhood Safety Initiative (NSI) through the end of September.



Manpower opens its doors on new Milwaukee Global HQ
Milwaukee is home to many great things, including a number of catalytic, groundbreaking companies from the Fortune 500 to small employers igniting our neighborhood main streets and embodying the entrepreneurial spirit of our community.

Local governments demand budget from legislative leaders

- Read Wisconsin Radio Network online article

Update: Thanks to the efforts of Mayor Barrett and others, BP has rescinded their proposal to dump additional toxic sludge into Lake Michigan.

- Read BP pledges no increase in Lake Michigan discharge limits
- Read Chicago Tribune News Story

Wisconsin Mayors Urge Protection of Great Lakes

A coalition of Wisconsin mayors, led by Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett, is petitioning the State of Indiana, British Petroleum (BP) and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to reconsider a recent decision by the State of Indiana to allow BP to discharge more pollution and sludge into Lake Michigan. The coalition is also urging the Wisconsin Congressional Delegation to help.

- Read letter to the Commissioner for more details.



Mayor Barrett appeared on The Newshour with Jim Lehrer
On July 11, Mayor Barrett talked about the need for responsible gun laws that work in conjunction with his efforts to reduce violence in our City, not against them. Specifically, Mayor Barrett addressed the need to repeal the Tiahrt amendment, federal legislation that prevents law enforcement from sharing data about guns used in crimes.

- Read a transcript or listen to the interview.



Strategies for a Prosperous Milwaukee
In December 2006, Mayor Tom Barrett brought together policymakers, business and community leaders for a two-day summit on community and economic development in the City of Milwaukee.

- Read the summit report
- Read testimonials from the summit



Mayor talks safety, education at Marquette University Law School

"We have to put more of an emphasis on talking about the good things about Milwaukee," Barrett said.

- Read Marquette Tribune article

Mayor Tom Barrett during his State of the City address unveiled his plan to create a Mayor's Office of Workforce Development to provide leadership on the issue of high unemployment and needed job training in Milwaukee.

- Read Mayor Barrett's news release
- Read Sykes 10 Milwaukee Recommendations



Milwaukee demands a Comprehensive Transit Strategy that creates jobs, meets the various demands of different users and provides seamless connectivity. My plan accomplishes these critical goals and moves Milwaukee forward, and I am proud to share this vision with you.

- Mayor Barrett's Comprehensive Transit Strategy for Milwaukee
- Community Support for Mayor's Transit Plan

Watch Sustainable Boulevards, Milwaukee's strategic boulevard plan video, using Window's Media Player. (3.5



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Mayor Barrett Delivers 2007 State of the City Address

On Monday, Feb. 12, Mayor Tom Barrett delivered his third State of the City address before an audience of 500 people at Tramount Corporation in Riverwest.

- State of the City news release with highlights
- State of the City speech



Mayor's Summer Youth Internship Program

In 2007, we will continue our efforts to help young people in Milwaukee gain meaningful workforce experience.



Barrett Heads to DC to Continue Fight Against Illegal Guns

Mayor Tom Barrett left today for Washington, DC to attend a National Summit convened by the Mayors Against Illegal Guns, a group he has been involved with since its inception last year.

Mayor Barrett's Economic Development Summit was a tremendous success. Over 700 participants gathered, demonstrating their commitment to the shared goals of creating jobs, growing our economy and improving our quality of life.

To review video presentations of the featured presenters, including keynote speakers Henry Cisneros and Paul Grogan, please visit: <http://www.mkedcd.org/LeadershipSummit/>

10,000 Jobs Since 2004

Mayor Tom Barrett sets the record straight on Milwaukee's economic development efforts. "Let me just start by saying Milwaukee's programs and investments have impacted more than 10,000 jobs since I took office in 2004. And there's more."

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