

CHAPTER 90
CITATION ENFORCEMENT

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90.01 CITATIONS FOR COUNTY ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Code, the statutory provisions of Wis. Stat. § 66.0113 describing and defining procedure with respect to violations of these Ordinances, are hereby adopted and by reference made a part of this Code as if fully set forth herein. Any act required to be performed or prohibited by any statute incorporated herein by reference is required or prohibited by this Code. Any further amendments, revisions, or modifications of the statutes incorporated herein are intended to be made a part of this Code in order to secure uniform state-wide regulation of the procedure as to citations for certain ordinance violations.

90.02 ADOPTION OF CITATION. A form captioned "Sheboygan County Uniform Municipal Citation" (in compliance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 66.0113) as approved by the Sheriff and Corporation Counsel is hereby adopted for use to enforce Sheboygan County ordinance violations. Any future amendments, revisions, or modifications of this form done by the County of Sheboygan is intended to be made a part of this Code in order to secure uniform county-wide administration of citations for certain ordinance violations. Only such provisions of personally identified information by this form that are reasonably related to the enforcement to the ordinance shall be completed by the issuing officer or official. If applicable, the uniform traffic citation developed under Wis. Stat. § 345.11 or the Natural Resources citation developed under Wis. Stat. § 23.54 may be used instead. Filing of the form with the County Clerk shall serve as the recognition of that form as the form approved by this Section.

90.03 STIPULATION OF GUILT OR NO CONTEST. Stipulations of "Guilty" or "No Contest" may be made by persons to whom a citation has been issued for violation of an ordinance. Stipulations shall conform to the form contained in Wis. Stat. § 66.0113. It may be accepted within ten (10) days of the date of the alleged violation. Stipulations may be accepted by the Clerk of Courts of Sheboygan County, Wisconsin.

90.04 DEPOSIT. Any person stipulating "Guilty" or "No Contest" under Subsection 90.03 of this Code must make the deposit required under Wis. Stat. § 66.0113 as determined under Subsection 90.05 of this Code. Deposits may be brought or mailed to the Clerk of Courts' Office of Sheboygan County, Wisconsin, as directed by issuing officer or official. If a citation is issued at a time when the Clerk of Courts' Office is not open, the cash deposits may be accepted at a stationary law enforcement office where a receipt can be issued. Receipts shall be given for all cash deposits.

90.05 BOND AND DEPOSIT SCHEDULE. The cash deposits herein referred to, together with the taxable costs and disbursements and surcharges where applicable shall be set forth in a "Bond Schedule" and shall be filed with the Clerk of Circuit Courts and thereupon is made a part of this Ordinance by reference.

(1) The cash deposit amounts on said "Bond Schedule" shall be determined by a majority of the Circuit Judges for Sheboygan County, and where no specific amount is so set by said Judges, then the State of Wisconsin Revised Uniform State Traffic Deposit Schedule and related schedules or the Revised Uniform Deposit and Bai Schedule for Conservation, Environmental Protection, Boating, Snowmobile, ATV, UTV, and Captive Wildlife Violations in existence at the time of the violation shall be utilized, and in the absence of any schedule or applicable amount, the bond shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) plus the penalty assessment and court costs.

(2) The deposits or forfeited penalties under this Chapter shall be delivered to the Sheboygan County Clerk of Courts as soon as practical.

90.06 ISSUANCE OF CITATIONS. As authorized by Wis. Stat. § 66.0113(2), any County law enforcement officer may issue the citations authorized by this Chapter. In addition, unless otherwise provided for in this Code, the Sheriff may designate County officials who shall be authorized to issue citations with respect to County ordinances which are directly related to the official responsibilities of those officials.

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