

ORDINANCE #22-01

Chapter 130 (General Offenses)

Hunting Structures & Related Activities Regulated on City of Alma Property

Rules and Regulations:

Hunting Structures and Stands

Permanent structures of any kind for private use are prohibited.

Any method for permanently affixing a hunting stand onto a foundation, tree, in the ground or similar (e.g. posts, anchors) is prohibited.

The use of nails. Screws. Bolts or similar on trees for hunting stands or causing similar damage to trees is prohibited.

The City of Alma reserves the right to seize and dispose of abandoned and non-compliant hunting structures.

Portable Stands (i.e Ladder or temporary affixed tree stands, via ratchet straps as well as portable ground blinds, are allowed only during the actual WI DNR deer hunting season dates. Required removal within one week of season closure!

Any violations of the above listed rules and regulations may result in the removal of the offending structures by the City of Alma. (Ordinance#22-01)

Shooting Lanes and Access Trails

The cutting of trees for shooting (i.e. sighting) lanes, trails or for any other use is prohibited without prior written approval of the Alma City Council. (Ordinance# 22-01)

Food Plots and Mowing

Clearing, tilling, planting and / or mowing of City lands is prohibited. (Ordinance# 22-01)

Garbage and Abandoned Property

It is unlawful to leave garbage, debris. Etc. on City of Alma lands. (Ordinance#22-01)

Equal Access on City of Alma Lands

City of Alma lands (Shawnee and Mossy Hollow areas) are open to public hunting with equal access to all unless otherwise posted, and therefore, cannot be unduly claimed by an individual or group.

Hunting related portable stands or structures left unattended on City of Alma Lands are permissible during the corresponding deer hunting seasons.

(Ordinance# 22-01)

ATV / UTV use on Alma City Lands

ATV / UTV use is only allowed on approved City of Alma Roadways. (Ordinance# 22-01)

SEE: Existing City of Alma ATV/UTV Ordinance #21-01 Applies to April 1st – December 1st of the existing year.

§ 10.99 GENERAL PENALTY. (A) Any person who violates any provision of this code of ordinances for which no other specific penalty has been provided shall be subject to a forfeiture of not less than \$50, nor more than \$500, plus costs and fees. Each day a violation continues shall constitute a separate violation.

(B) Any person who violates any provision of this code of ordinances for which a state statute requires that the penalty for violation shall conform to the penalty provided by statute, shall be subject to the penalty provided under the applicable state statute.

(C) Any person who shall fail to pay a forfeiture for violation of any provision of this code of ordinances shall be subject to imprisonment until the forfeiture shall be paid, but not exceeding 90 days or until otherwise discharged pursuant to law.

(D) In addition to any of the above provisions of this section, any person who violates any provision of this code of ordinances may be ordered to perform General Provisions 7 community service in lieu of a forfeiture, and may be ordered to make restitution as provided by state law.

Passed this 12th day of May, 2022 with a vote of 6 aye and 0 nay. *Absent: Talbot*
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