

## CITY OF MANITOWOC

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TO:	Members of the Common Council
FROM:	Eric Nycz, City Attorney
Re:	24-1186 Park Rules Ordinance - 8.230 Regulation of Parks and Related Facilities

## **Issue Presented**

On May 1, 2024, the Public Infrastructure Committee recommended approval of the proposed revisions to MMC 8.230, with the exception of subsection (13)(b). Said section was inelegantly drafted and the Committee requested a revision to achieve clarity. This issue has been addressed and the document before the Council contains the following revision:

May 1, 2024 version:

B. Removal of invasive and/or noxious plants and trees may be permitted with the approval of the Parks Division. Wood/Brush Cutting and Harvesting Agreements may be obtained through the Forestry Division to permit the removal of wood from park and cemetery locations.

REVISED TO (current version):

B. <u>Removing invasive and/or noxious plants and trees from City of Manitowoc Parks is strictly prohibited</u> without the approval of the Parks Division. Removing wood from City of Manitowoc Parks and cemetery locations is strictly prohibited without the approval of the Forestry Division through a fully executed Wood/Brush Cutting and Harvesting Agreement.