

**CITY OF JEFFERSON
PROPOSED ORDINANCE #15-05**

An Ordinance to Create Chapter 197 Subsection 197-8(P) of the City of Jefferson Municipal Code Establishing the Nuisance of Blowing Grass Clippings and Raking Leaves into Streets unless Directed by the City of Jefferson.

**THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JEFFERSON, WISCONSIN DO
ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 197-8(P) is hereby created to Establish a Nuisance of Blowing Grass Clippings and Raking Leaves into Streets unless Directed by the City of Jefferson

Section 197-8(P). Blowing Grass Clippings and Raking Leaves into Streets. In the interests of Public Safety, and General Welfare, Community Appearance and Efficiency of Operation, it shall be unlawful to rake, place, or mow fallen tree leaves or grass clippings onto the pavement or into the gutter of any public street unless directed by the City of Jefferson. No person shall permit grass clippings from mower swaths to remain upon sidewalks, street pavements, gutters of any public street, or on abutting property not owned or occupied by said person. The penalty for violating this Ordinance is set forth in Chapter 1 Subsection 1-4 (C)(1) and penalties may be adjusted from time to time by Common Council Action.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication as required by law.

**First Reading: September 6, 2005
Second Reading: September 20, 2005
Passed By A Vote of 6 to 2**

**PUBLISH ASAP
NOT IN LEGAL SECTION
NEED AFFIDAVIT**