



## **Whether you are 18 or 108... Here are some helpful reminders to keep your next gathering safe, legal and fun!**

- ✓ Let your neighbors know about your gathering in advance
- ✓ Invite only people you know- be aware of your guests upon arrival
- ✓ Monitor your gathering and keep it under control- you are responsible for the behavior of your guests
- ✓ Do not let anyone drive if they have been drinking- have a plan for parking and designated drivers if needed

**For questions and concerns  
Mon-Fri from 8 am to 5 pm contact:  
Neighborhood Services  
(262)473-0540**

- ✓ Do not sell alcohol or allow underage drinking
  - ✓ Do not sponsor large gatherings
- ✓ Ask guests to respect your neighbors, their property and your property
  - ✓ Pick up any trash immediately after event
- ✓ Tenants- review your lease and ask your landlord questions about having a gathering on their property

**To report a concern after hours contact:  
Whitewater Police Department Non-Emergency  
(262) 473-0555 Ext. 4**

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Resident  
Whitewater, WI 53190

## **Know the facts...**

**A gathering or party may be shut down or fines distributed if any Whitewater ordinances or Wisconsin statutes are violated.  
Action may be taken if any items below are observed.**

### **19.58.040 Residential Noise and 19.58.050**

#### **General Noise Disturbance**

- Excessive sound levels
- Noise ordinance violations

### **8.24 Rubbish**

### **7.02 Obstructing Public Officers**

- Obstructing a peace officer or firefighter

### **7.36 Disturbances of the Peace**

- Disorderly Conduct
- Obstructing public streets, places or buildings
- Obstructing traffic prohibited
- Public Urination
- Fires on public property

### **7.36.020 Offenses Against Public Peace**

#### **prohibited**

- Trespass
- Loitering/Prowling
- Fights/Brawls
- Possession/Consumption of alcohol in public
- Littering

### **7.36.030 Damage to Property**

- Damaging property of another
- Damaging public property

### **7.63.010 Alcohol offenses**

- Unlawful to sell or give to or procure alcohol for minors
- Possession of alcohol by minors

### **Penalties:**

#### **Noise Violations**

\$150 to \$300 in fines plus fees

#### **Disorderly Conduct**

\$200 to \$500 in fines plus fees

#### **Open Intoxicants in Public**

\$200 to \$500 in fines plus fees

#### **Underage Possession/Consumption of Alcohol**

\$200 to \$1000 in fines plus fees and suspension of drivers licenses

#### **Misrepresentation of Age**

\$500 to \$900 in fines plus fees

**For more information and resources visit [www.partiesinwhitewater.com](http://www.partiesinwhitewater.com)**