

## Activities Allowed Within a Vegetative Buffer Zone

A. The removal of vegetation on the land that extends from the OHWM to 35 feet inland is prohibited except as follows:

1. The county may allow routine maintenance of vegetation.
2. The county may permit the removal of trees and shrubs in the vegetative buffer zone to create access and viewing corridors. The viewing corridor may be 35 wide for every 100 feet of shoreline frontage in the parcel. The viewing corridor may run contiguously for the entire maximum width allowed;

### Change:

2. The county may permit the removal of trees and shrubs in the vegetative buffer zone to create access and viewing corridors. Per s. 59.692 (1f)(b), Stats, the maximum width of an access and viewing corridor may be 10-feet or up to 35 percent of the shoreline frontage, whichever is greater, except that the maximum width of an access and viewing corridor may not exceed 200 feet. The access and viewing corridor may run contiguously for the entire maximum allowed width of 200 ft. (as per s. 59.692(1f)(b)1, Stats)

Addition in red below.

**Impervious Surface:** means an area that releases as runoff all or a majority of the precipitation that falls on it.

“Impervious surface” excludes frozen soil but includes rooftops, sidewalks, driveways, parking lots, and streets unless specifically designed, constructed, and maintained to be pervious. Roadways as defined in s. 340.01(54), Wid. Adm. Code, or sidewalks as defined in s. 340.01(58), 59.692(1k)3, Stats.) are not considered impervious surfaces.