

CARROLL COUNTY, IOWA, ORDINANCE #20

REGULATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES, ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES AND SNOWMOBILES

1. PURPOSE. The purpose of this ordinance is to regulate the operation of motor vehicles and all-terrain vehicles and snowmobiles on areas designated by the County Conservation Board as "conservation management areas" and on public roads.
2. DEFINITIONS. The terms "all-terrain vehicle" and "snowmobile" are defined in Iowa Code Ch. 321G, and Iowa Code Ch.321I as they now exist or are hereafter amended. The term "motor vehicle" is defined in Iowa Code Ch. 321 as it now exists or is hereafter amended.
3. DESIGNATED AREAS OF OPERATION. It shall be unlawful to operate an all-terrain vehicle or snowmobile in a conservation management area designated by the County Conservation Board, except on trails clearly marked for that type of machine or vehicle. It shall be unlawful to operate a motor vehicle in a negligent manner on a public roadway.
4. DESIGNATION OF AREAS. The County Conservation Board may at any time during a regular or special meeting designate by motion any or all of the land under its management and control as "conservation management areas."
5. ENFORCEMENT. Any law enforcement officer including employees of the County Conservation Board designated, as law enforcement officers shall have the power to write citations and otherwise enforce the provisions of this ordinance.
6. PENALTY. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a simple misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof be subject to a scheduled fine of one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
7. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.
8. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

First Reading July 7, 2003

Passed and approved: McDermott/Danzer

Roll Call Vote: Gene Meiners, Chairman – Aye; Del McDermott – Aye; Marty Danzer – Aye; Neil Bock, - Absent; Neil Trobak, Aye.

s/ Eugene Meiners, Chairman

Attest: Paul S. Fricke, Auditor

Second Reading July 14, 2003

Passed and Approved: McDermott/Trobak

Roll Call Vote Gene Meiners, Chairman – Aye; Del McDermott – Aye; Marty Danzer – Aye; Neil Bock, - Absent; Neil Trobak, Aye.

s/ Eugene Meiners, Chairman

Attest: Paul S. Fricke, Auditor

Third Reading July 14, 2003

Waived: McDermott/Trobak

Roll Call Vote: Gene Meiners, Chairman – Aye; Del McDermott – Aye; Marty Danzer – Aye; Neil Bock, - Absent; Neil Trobak, Aye.

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Attest: Paul S. Fricke, Auditor