

CITY OF LE ROY  
COUNTY OF McLEAN, STATE OF ILLINOIS

**ORDINANCE NO. 19-12-03-70**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 6; CHAPTER 2 OF THE MUNICIPAL  
CODE OF LE ROY, ILLINOIS, 2006**

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ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LE ROY THIS

**2<sup>nd</sup> Day of December, 2019**

PRESENTED: **December 2, 2019**

PASSED: **December 2, 2019**

APPROVED: **December 2, 2019**

RECORDED: **December 2, 2019**

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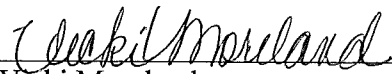
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The undersigned being the duly qualified and Acting City Clerk of the City of LeRoy does hereby certify that this document constitutes the publication in pamphlet form, in connection with and pursuant to Section 1-2-4 of the Illinois Municipal Code, of the above-captioned **ordinance** and that such **ordinance** was presented, passed, approved, recorded and published as above stated.

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Vicki Moreland  
City Clerk of the City of  
Le Roy, McLean County, Illinois

Dated: **December 2, 2019**

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**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Le Roy, McLean County, Illinois, an Illinois municipal corporation, has enacted Municipal Code Regulations for the purpose of improving and protecting the public health, safety, comfort, convenience, and general welfare of the people; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Illinois has enacted the Illinois Vehicle Code, 625 ILCS 5/1-100 *et seq.* (the Act), which permits a municipality to create reasonable rules and regulations regarding the use of non-highway vehicles on streets, roads, and highways; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Act, the Mayor and City Council wish to enact such reasonable rules and regulations and permit the use of certain non-highway vehicles on streets, roads, and highways within the corporate limits of the City of LeRoy;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by the City Council of the City of Le Roy, Illinois in lawful meeting assembled on Monday, December 2, 2019, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Title 6 – Motor Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 2: Traffic Regulations, Section 10: Golf Carts of the Municipal Code of the City of Leroy shall be amended by the addition of language **underlined** and the omission of language **~~struck through~~** as follows:

§6-2-10: Golf Carts **and Other Non-Highway Vehicles**

A. Generally:

1. Golf carts **and other non-highway vehicles** specifically defined and qualified herein shall be allowed on city streets under the conditions as stated herein.

B. Definitions:

City Streets: any of the streets within the **corporate** boundaries of the City of LeRoy, Illinois.

Golf Cart: A vehicle specifically designed and intended for the purposes of transporting one or more persons and their golf clubs or maintenance equipment while engaged in the playing of golf, supervising the play of golf, or maintaining the condition of the grounds on a public or private golf course.

**Non-Highway Vehicle: a motor vehicle not specifically designed to be used on a public highway, including a golf cart, an all-terrain vehicle, and a recreational off-highway vehicle, as defined by the Illinois Vehicle Code.**

- C. Requirements: All persons wishing to operate a golf cart **and other non-highway vehicles** on the city streets must ensure compliance with the following requirements:
1. Must have proof of current liability insurance.
  2. Certified with the City and have the vehicle(s) certified with the City by inspection by a certified mechanic.
  3. Must display City decal on the rear of the vehicle.
  4. Must have **a driver with a current** valid Illinois driver's license.
  5. **Golf carts** Must be equipped as follows:
    - a. Horn;
    - b. Brakes and **functioning** brake lights;
    - c. **Functioning** turn signals;
    - d. A steering wheel apparatus;
    - e. Tires;
    - f. Rearview mirror;
    - g. Approved "slow moving vehicle" emblem on the rear of the vehicle;
    - h. Headlight that emits a white light visible from a distance of five hundred feet (500') to the front which must illuminate when in operation;
    - i. Taillamp that emits a red light visible from at least one hundred feet (100') from the rear which must be illuminated when in operation; and
    - j. Any additional requirements which may be amended to 625 Illinois Compiled Statutes ILCS 5/11-1426.1 or **its equivalent under the Illinois Vehicle Code if repealed the Illinois motor vehicle code.**
  6. Must obey all traffic laws of the State of Illinois.
  7. Must **have a driver at least be** twenty-one (21) years of age.
  8. Must be operated only on City streets, **unless the driver has obtained written permission from outside agencies (e.g. Empire Township, McLean County Highway Department, Illinois Department of Transportation, etc) that share jurisdiction over a particular street, road, or highway.**
  9. ~~May not be operated on state highways and county roads except at ninety-degree (90) crossp>~~ **May only be operated on streets with a posted speed limit of thirty (30) miles per hour or less.**
  10. **May not be operated to make direct crossing across any tollroad, interstate highway, or controlled access highway.**
  11. **May not cross a street with a speed limit in excess of forty-five (45) miles per hour unless the crossing is at an intersection controlled by a traffic light or a 4-way stop sign.**
  12. **May not be operated (if an all-terrain vehicle) within one hundred (100') feet of a dwelling between midnight and 6:00a.m. at a speed greater than the minimum required to maintain forward movement of the all-terrain vehicle.**
  13. **May be used for snow removal services if equipped with a snow plow manufactured specifically for non-highway vehicle use.**
  14. Golf carts may not be operated on streets and highways and roads under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Department of Transportation or the County Highway Department except to cross at ninety (90) degree crossing locations.

15. Persons driving the golf carts and other non-highway vehicles are to pull over to the right side of the road and stop, yielding right of way to approaching traffic from behind.

16. Golf carts and other non-highway vehicles to have an elevated flag attached.

17. Seat belts are to be installed and required to be worn for the driver and all passengers when in operation.

D. Permits:

1. No person shall operate a qualified golf cart or other non-highway vehicle without first obtaining a permit from the City Clerk as provided herein. Permits shall be granted for a period of one year and renewed annually. The cost of the permit is one hundred dollars (\$100.00). Insurance coverage is to be verified and to be in effect by the police department when obtaining and renewing a permit.

2. Every application for a permit shall be made on a form supplied by the City and shall contain the following information:

- a. Name and home address of applicant;
- b. Name of liability insurance carrier;
- c. The serial number, make, model, and description of golf cart or other non-highway vehicle;
- d. Signed waiver of liability by applicant releasing the City and agreeing to indemnify and hold the City harmless from any and all future claims resulting from the operation of their golf cart or other non-highway vehicle on City streets;
- e. Photocopy of applicable liability insurance coverage card specifically for the vehicle to be operated pursuant to the permit; and
- f. Such other information as the City may require.

3. No permit shall be granted unless the follow conditions are met:

- a. The vehicle must be inspected by a certified mechanic to ensure that the vehicle is safe to operate on city streets and is in compliance with this section and with the State of Illinois motor vehicle code;
- b. A physically handicapped applicant must submit a certificate signed by the physician, certifying that the applicant is able to safely operate a qualified golf cart or other non-highway vehicle on City streets; and
- c. The applicant must provide evidence of insurance in compliance with the provisions of the Illinois statutes regarding minimum liability insurance.
- ~~d. The City may suspend or revoke a permit granted hereunder upon a finding that the holder thereof has violated any provision of this section or there is evidence that permittee cannot safely operate a qualified golf cart on the designated roadways.~~
- ~~e. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any provision of this section, including any provisions of the state law that are adopted herein by reference, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to penalty as provided in Title 1, Chapter 4 of this code.~~

4. The City may suspend or revoke a permit granted hereunder after a hearing and upon a finding that the holder thereof has violated any provision of this section or there is evidence that permittee cannot safely operate a qualified golf cart or other non-highway vehicle on the designated roadways.

5. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any provision of this section, including any provisions of the state law that are adopted herein by reference, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to penalty as provided in Title 1, Chapter 4 of this code.

**E. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval and publication as required by law.**

**PASSED** by the City Council of the City of Le Roy, Illinois, upon the motion made by Kelly Lay and seconded by Greg Steffen by roll call vote on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2019 as follows

Aldermen elected 8

Aldermen Present 8

Voting Aye:

Dawn Hanafin, Rick Kline, Kyle Merkle, Brad Poindexter, Kelly Lay, Ron Legner, Matt Steffen, Greg Steffen.

Voting Nay:

None

Absent:

None

Abstain:

None

Other:

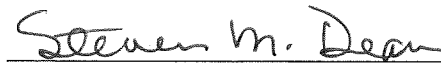
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And deposited and filed in the office of the City Clerk in said municipality on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2019.




Vicki Moreland, City Clerk of the  
City of Le Roy  
Mc Lean County, Illinois

**APPROVED BY** the Mayor of the City of Le Roy, Illinois, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2019



Steven M. Dean, Mayor of the City of Le Roy,  
Mc Lean County, Illinois

ATTEST: (SEAL)



Vicki Moreland, City Clerk of the City of Le Roy  
Mc Lean County, Illinois

**CERTIFICATE**

I, Vicki Moreland, certify that I am the duly appointed and acting municipal clerk of the City of Le Roy, of McLean County, Illinois.

I further certify that on December 2, 2019 the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved **ORDINANCE NO. 19-12-03-70**

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Which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

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The pamphlet form of **Ordinance No. 19-12-03-70**, including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted at the municipal building, commencing on **December 2, 2019** and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the municipal clerk.

Dated at Le Roy, Illinois this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2019.

(SEAL)

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Vicki Moreland  
City Clerk of the City of  
Le Roy, McLean County, Illinois

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
                                  ) SS:  
COUNTY OF MCLEAN     )

I, Vicki Moreland, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Le Roy, McLean County, Illinois, and as such City Clerk that I am the keeper of the records and files of the Mayor and the City Council of said City.

I do further certify that the foregoing is a true, correct and complete copy of an ordinance entitled:

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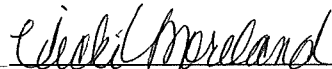
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I do further certify said *ordinance* was adopted by the City Council of the City of Le Roy at a regular meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2019 and prior to the making of this certificate the said ordinance was on file with the permanent records of said City where it now appears and remains as a permanent record of said ordinance in the record books.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2019

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(SEAL)

  
Vicki Moreland, City Clerk of the  
City of Le Roy,  
McLean County, Illinois