

CITY OF McBAIN
RESOLUTION NO. 10112021 of 2021

**ALLOWING THE OPERATION OF GOLF CARTS
ON CITY STREETS**

At a regular meeting of the McBain City Council held in the City Hall located at 9478 S. Morey Road, McBain, Michigan on October 11, 2021.

PRESENT: Warren, Heuker, Heethuis, Smith, Lutke, Kubiah

ABSENT: None

The following resolution was made by Heuker and seconded by Smith, to-wit:

Recitals

WHEREAS, the City of McBain has a population of fewer than 30,000 individuals;

WHEREAS, MCL 257.657a authorizes a City with a population of fewer than 30,000 individuals by resolution to allow the operation of golf carts on the streets of a City, subject to the requirements of that statute; and

WHEREAS, the City of McBain desires to exercise this statutory authority to allow the operation of golf carts on City streets by the adoption of this Resolution.

Resolution

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the McBain City Council hereby allows the operation of golf carts on the streets of the City of McBain, under the terms and conditions of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that for purposes of this Resolution, "Golf Cart" shall mean the following: "A vehicle designed for transportation while playing the game of golf."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the operation of a golf cart on the streets of the City of McBain shall comply with all of the following regulations:

1. No golf cart shall be operated on M-66 within the City of McBain, except when crossing M-66 using the most direct line of crossing.

2. A person shall not operate a golf cart on any City street unless he or she is at least 16 years old and is licensed to operate a motor vehicle.
3. The operator of a golf cart shall comply with the signal requirements of Section 648 of the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code that apply to the operation of a vehicle.
4. A person operating a golf cart upon a City street shall ride as near to the right side of the street as practicable, exercising due care when passing a standing vehicle or a vehicle proceeding in the same direction.
5. A person operating a golf cart shall not pass between lines of traffic, but may pass on the left of traffic moving in his or her direction in the case of a 2-way street or on the left or right of traffic in the case of a 1-way street, in an unoccupied lane.
6. A golf cart shall not be operated on a City sidewalk constructed for the use of pedestrians.
7. A golf cart shall be operated at a speed not to exceed 15 miles per hour and shall not be operated on a City street with a speed limit of more than 30 miles per hour except to cross M-66 or any City street.
8. A golf cart shall not be operated on a City street during the time period from 1/2 hour before sunset to 1/2 hour after sunrise.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall not apply to a police officer in the performance of his or her official duties.

YES: Henker, Heethaus, Kubiak, Lutke, Smith, Warren

NO: none

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED

CITY OF McBAIN

By: 

Joey Roberts, Mayor

I, the undersigned, the Clerk of the City of McBain, Missaukee County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of certain proceedings taken by the McBain City Council at its regular meeting held on October 11, 2021, relative to adoption of the resolution therein set forth; that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

Dated: 10/11/21

Marcia Smith
Marcia Smith, Clerk