

CHAPTER 77

GOLF CARTS

77.01 Operation of Golf Carts Permitted

77.02 Violations

77.01 OPERATION OF GOLF CARTS PERMITTED. Golf carts may be operated on City streets by persons possessing a valid driver's license if all of the following conditions are met:

1. A golf cart shall not be operated upon a City street, which is a primary road extension through the City to wit: US Highway 71. However, a golf cart may cross such primary road extensions at the intersection of Lakeshore Drive and US Highway 71 and at the intersection of Brooks Lane North (175th Street) and US Highway 71 (subject to Iowa Department of Transportation's approval for the crossings).
2. Golf carts shall be equipped with a slow-moving vehicle sign and a bicycle safety flag.
3. Golf carts shall not be operated anywhere within the City limits of the City of Okoboji, Iowa, after sunset and before sunrise.
4. Golf carts operated on City streets shall be equipped with adequate brakes.
5. Golf carts shall meet any other safety requirements imposed by the City.
6. Golf carts are only allowed to operate on City streets from April 1 to October 31.
7. Golf carts must operate at a speed of 15 mph or less.
8. If stopped by law enforcement, a golf cart operator must be able to provide a valid driver's license.
9. A golf cart operator must have proof of valid insurance for the golf cart for any injury liability/accident it causes.

77.02 VIOLATIONS. A person convicted of a violation of this chapter is guilty of a simple misdemeanor punishable as a scheduled violation under Section 805.8A, subsection 3, paragraph "f."

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.247)

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