

BYLAW NO. 05-2023

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Subject to and in accordance with, s. 113.1 of *The Traffic Safety Act* and *The Registration Exemption and Reciprocity Regulations (2014)*

The Council for the Rural Municipality of Keys No 303 in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts as follows:

Short Title

1. This Bylaw shall be referred to as the "Golf Cart Bylaw"
2. That all the provisions and enactments set forth in this bylaw shall relate to and be in full force and effect within the limits of the Organized Hamlet.
3. **Definitions:**
 - 1) "designated officer" means the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Municipal Bylaw Officer or any other person appointed to enforce municipal bylaws;
 - 2) "golf cart" is a vehicle as defined in *The Registration Exemption and Reciprocity Regulations*.
 - i. Is designed to carry golfers and their equipment
 - ii. Cannot exceed 24 km/hr (14.9 mph)
 - iii. Weighs less than 590 kgs (not including the weight of the passengers and golf clubs)
 - iv. Does not include an all-terrain vehicle as defined in *The All-Terrain Vehicles Act*; or a low-speed vehicle as defined in the *Motor Vehicle Safety Regulations, C.R.C., c. 1038*.
 - 3) "municipality" means The Rural Municipality of Keys No 303;
 - 4) "Organized Hamlet" means the Organized Hamlet of Crystal Lake;
 - 5) "highway" means a highway as defined by *The Highways and Transportation Act, 1997*.
4. **Scope:**
 - 1) It shall be lawful to operate a golf cart during the hours between one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise and one-half (1/2) hour after sunset on all the public highways within the limits of the Organized Hamlet.
 - 2) Persons operation a Golf Cart on the roadways within the limits of the Organized Hamlet must not operate on any provincial highway, except to directly cross. Golf Carts cannot operate on any roadway with a posted speed over 50km/hr.
 - 3) Golf Carts shall display a slow-moving warning device as defined in section 2(1)(kk) of *The Vehicle Equipment Regulations (1987)* and be displayed in accordance with section 10 of the regulations, with one side parallel to and not less than 900 millimetres nor more than 1500 millimetres from the ground.
 - 4) A valid class 7 or higher driver's license is required to operate a Golf Cart on the public highways within the limits of the Organized Hamlet as per *The Traffic Safety Act* and Regulations.
 - 5) The owner of the Golf Cart must carry a minimum of \$200,000 in 3rd party liability insurance; and must also provide proof of insurance at the request of a peace officer.
 - 6) No person shall operate a golf cart:
 - i. Other than within the prescribed hours; and
 - ii. Without the prescribed license as established by law.
 - 7) The provisions of this Bylaw are enforceable by a designated officer.

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- 8) Any person who contravenes any portion of this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and liable upon summary conviction to a fine of not less than \$100.00 or more than \$500.00.
- 9) The Organized Hamlet will monitor and inform SGI of any collisions that occur and if there were any injuries or fatalities.
- 10) All personal and public liability will be the responsibility of the owner/operator of the Golf Cart.
- 11) All Golf Cart operators must follow the rules of the road as set out in *The Traffic Safety Act* and any other Municipal Bylaws related to traffic. Federal and provincial impaired driving laws also apply to the operation of a Golf Cart.
- 12) No section of this Bylaw shall supersede or preside over and section of *The Traffic Safety Act* and corresponding Regulations.

5. Repealing of Bylaws

- 1) Bylaw No 2000-3 shall be hereby repealed.
- 2) Bylaw No 02-2022 due to SGI not approving it.

6. Bylaw in Effect

- 1) This Bylaw shall come into force once approved by the SGI.



Calvin Stith

 Reeve

B. H.

 Administrator
 Section 8(1)(f) of *The Municipality Act*

Read a third time and adopted
 this 02nd day of March, 2023

B. H.

 Administrator