

**TOWN OF LYNDON, JUNEAU CO., WISCONSIN**  
**ALL-TERRAIN/UTILITY TERRAIN VEHICLES (ATV/UTV) USE & OPERATION**

**2023-1**

- (1) State Laws Adopted. The statutory provisions of Wis. Stat. Sec. 23.33 and Wis. Stat. Chaps. 340 to 348 establishing definitions and regulations with respect to ATVs and UTVs and Wis. Admin Code Chap. NR 64 are adopted by reference. Unless otherwise specifically provided here, any act required to be performed or prohibited by any statute or administrative code provision incorporated herein is required or prohibited by this ordinance. Any future amendments, revisions or modifications of the Wisconsin Statutes or Wisconsin Administrative Code incorporated herein are made a part of this ordinance in order to provide uniform statewide regulation of ATVs and UTVs.
  
- (2) Designation of ATV and UTV Routes.
  - (a) All Town of Lyndon roads are designated ATV/UTV routes.
  - (b) ATVs/UTVs operators shall not exceed a speed of 35 m.p.h.
  - (c) The Town reserves the right to close or modify ATV and UTV routes at any time.
  - (d) All ATV and UTV routes shall be signed in accordance with Wis. Stat. Sec. 23.33(8) and Wis. Admin. Code Sec. NR 64.12. The Sauk Ridge Runners ATV Club will install and maintain all route signs on Town of Lyndon roads.
  
- (3) Conditions and Restrictions on Operation. In addition to the provisions contained in Wis. Stat. Sec. 23.33 and Wis. Stat. Chaps. 340 to 348 , and as a condition for the use of ATV and UTV routes designated and authorized herein, the following conditions and restrictions shall apply to all ATV and UTV operators and passengers, as applicable:
  - (a) No person shall operate an ATV or UTV within the Town on approved ATV Routes between the hours of 10:00 pm and 6:00 am, or as otherwise authorized in writing by the Town on a temporary basis.
  - (b) No person shall operate an ATV or UTV on any gravel shoulder, ditch or other area of any road right-of- way other than on the paved roadway
  - (c) No ATV or UTV operator or passenger shall be in possession of an open intoxicant while the ATV or UTV is in operation. No person shall operate an ATV or UTV while under the influence of an intoxicant, a restricted controlled substance, a controlled substance analog, or any combination of these elements, to a degree which renders the person incapable of safely operating the ATV or UTV.
  
- (4) Licensing, insurance and registration.
  - (a) Driver's license. Every person who operates an ATV/UTV on a segment of Town road which is designated as an ATV/UTV route shall have in his or her immediate possession a valid motor vehicle operator's license and shall display the license document upon demand from any law enforcement officer or official described in Wis. Stat. Sec. 23.33(12).
  - (b) Insurance. Every person who operates an ATV/UTV on a segment of a Town road which is designated as an ATV/UTV route, shall carry liability, and/or other insurances consistent with Wisconsin state law for the operation of a motorized vehicle.
  
- (5) Enforcement. The penalty for any violation shall be as provided in the under Wis. Stat. Sec. 23.33(13) which are adopted by reference.

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(6) Effective date

This ordinance is effective on publication or posting.

The town clerk shall properly publish this ordinance as required under s. [60.80](#), Wis. stats.

Adopted this 13th day of April, 2023.

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Pat Mitchell, Town Chairman

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Gary Giebel, Town Supervisor

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Jim Rodwell, Town Supervisor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Denise J. Giebel, Town Clerk