

Ordinance 6-07-19-1

ATV/UTV Vehicle Routes

Section I – Intent

The Township of Elderon, Marathon County adopts the following ATV/UTV vehicle route or the operation of ATV/UTV vehicles upon the roadways listed in Section III.

Following due considerations of the recreational value to connect trail opportunities and weighted against possible dangers, public health, liability aspects, terrain involved, traffic density and history of automobile traffic, this route(s) has been created.

Section II – Statutory Authority

This route is created pursuant to The Elderon Town Board authority under section 1.1.01 as authorized by 23.33 (8) (b), Wis. Stats.

The applicable provisions of 23.33 regulating ATV/UTV operation pursuant to routes are adopted.

Section III – Routes

The following roads are designated routes.

1. All of Elderon Township Roads are open to ATV/UTV use.

Section IV – Conditions

As a condition for use of this route, the following conditions shall apply to all operators (and passengers);

- A. All ATV/UTV operators shall observe posted roadway speed limits of 35 MPH Maximum.
- B. All ATV/UTV operators shall ride single file and must drive on the pavement.
- C. Routes must be signed in accordance with NR 64.12(7)c.

Secton V – Enforcement

This ordinance shall be enforced by any law enforcement officer authorized to enforce the laws of the state of Wisconsin.

Section VI – Penalties

Wisconsin state All-terrain Vehicle penalties as found in s. 23.33(13)(a) Wis. Stats., are adopted by reference.

Section VII – Severability

The provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed severable and it is expressly declared that the Elderon Township would have passed the other provisions of this ordinance irrespective of whether or not one or more provisions may be declared invalid. If any provisions of this ordinance or the application to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance and the application of such provisions to other persons circumstances shall not be deemed affected.

Section VIII – Effective Date

This ordinance becomes effective upon passage and publication.

Passed this 4th day of June 2019

Elderon Town Clerk

Mary Ostrawski, Clerk