

ORDINANCE NO. 29

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF SNOWMOBILES AND ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF ELYSIAN, MINNESOTA.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ELYSIAN HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Definitions. As used in this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires:

A. (City) means the City of Elysian or its officers or employees authorized to perform the functions to which there is reference.

B. (Snowmobile) means a self propelled vehicle designed for travel on snow or ice steered by skis or runners.

C. (Owner) means a person, other than a lien holder, having the property in or title to a snowmobile entitled to the use or possession thereof.

D. (Operator) means every person who operates or is in actual physical control of a snowmobile or all terrain vehicle.

F. (Register) means the act of assigning a registration number to a snowmobile or all terrain vehicle.

G. (Commissioner) means the Commissioner of Natural Resources acting directly or through his authorized agent.

H. (Roadway) means that portion of a highway improved, designed, or ordinarily used for vehicular travel.

I. (All Terrain Vehicle) means a three or four wheeled motorized vehicle designed for on the road and off the road use.

Section 2. Prohibited Acts.

A. It shall be unlawful to operate a snowmobile or all terrain vehicle upon County Road 11 or Main Street within the City of Elysian at any time except for direct crossing of said streets.

B. It shall be unlawful to drive an all terrain vehicle upon any portion of the State Department of Natural Resources trail situated within the city limits of Elysian, Minnesota.

C. All persons driving or operating a snowmobile or all terrain vehicle must obey all traffic regulations.

D. It shall be unlawful to drive a snowmobile or all terrain vehicle within the city limits of Elysian at any time without driver's license and/or safety certificate as otherwise required by Minnesota Statutes.

Section 3. Penalties. Any violation of this Ordinance shall be a misdemeanor punishable by no more than a \$700.00 fine or 90 days in jail.

Section 4. Enforcement. This Ordinance may be enforced by any conservation officer employed by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources or any other duly qualified peace officer within the State of Minnesota.

This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and publication.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1987.

Ronald J. Wagner
Mayor

Attest:

Patricia Newbauer
Clerk

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