TOWN OF SPIDER LAKE ALL-TERRAIN-VEHICLE ORDINANCE #01-01

The Town Board of the Town of Spider Lake does ordain as follows:

1. **That portion of the following named roads in the Town of Spider Lake shall be designated as All-Terrain-Vehicle (ATV)/Utility-Terrain Vehicle (UTV) (as those terms are defined in the Wisconsin Statutes) routes as part of the Sawyer County ATV/UTV Trail System, between those areas posted as such with ATV signs:**

    a. **Rock Lake Road (from the intersection of Snowmobile Route #77 and Rock Lake Road to the Bayfield County Line)**
    b. **Janet Road from Lenroot Town Line to Bodecker Rd. .36 miles**
    c. **Bodecker Road from Lenroot Town Line to Janet Road intersection. .19 miles**
    d. **Telemark Road from Bayfield County Line to Camp #38 Road. .5 miles**
    e. **Fire Tower Road from the Bayfield County Line to Camp #38 road, approximately 55 feet**
    f. **Lake Helane Road-- 1.2 miles from intersection of Lake Helane Road and Preston Road and .6 miles from the intersection of Telemark Road and Lake Helane Road, approximately 810 feet.**

2. **The following named roads in the Town of Spider Lake are designated for temporary use commencing when all-terrain vehicle route signs are posted and terminating October 23, 2017:**

    a. **Forest Road 203 from the northern boundary of the town to the road's intersection with Forest Road 328 (approximately 3.09 miles)**
    b. **Forest Road 328 from its intersection with FR 203 to FR 204 (approximately 1.33 miles)**
    c. **Forest Road 204 from its intersection with FR 328 to the northern boundary of the town (approximately 1.73 miles).**

3. **Roads designated for temporary use by ATVs and UTVs in Paragraph 2 of this ordinance are subject to all of the general provisions of this ordinance and are also subject to the following additional limitations and conditions:**

    a. **Such roads are limited to daylight ATV and UTV use (daylight being defined as that period of time beginning one-half hour after sunrise until one-half hour before sunset); and**
    b. **Such roads are only open to use from May 1 until October 23 each year.**

4. **Operation of ATVs and UTVs shall be subject to all provisions of s. 23.33 Wis. Stats which is adopted as part of this ordinance by reference, pursuant to s. 23.33 (11). The penalties for violating any of the provisions of this ordinance are the same as listed in S 23.33, Wis. Stats., and are adopted by reference.**

5. **The speed limit shall be 25 miles per hour while operating on any Town road designated for use.**

6. **ATVs and UTVs shall operate on the extreme right side of the roadway and travel with the flow of traffic.**

7. ATVs and UTVs are to be operated in single file.

8. ATV and UTV operators shall yield right-of-way to all other vehicular traffic and pedestrians.

9. Headlights shall be turned on and in working order at all times while operating on any Town road where ATV and UTV use is allowed.

10. Operators of ATVs and UTVs violating any of the above conditions or operating on any public road in the Town of Spider Lake not designated for ATV or UTV use are subject to the underlying violation of illegally operating on the roadway.

11. Operators of ATVs and UTVs travel at their own risk and the Town of Spider Lake will not be liable for any damages or injuries to operators of ATVs or UTVs occurring in the Town of Spider Lake.

12. This ordinance may be enforced by any law enforcement officer authorized to enforce the laws of the State of Wisconsin.

13. This ordinance, as amended, shall be effective upon publication or posting as provided by law and shall lapse on October 23, 2017 unless re-authorized or repealed by the Town Board prior to that date and shall replace the existing ordinance.

Approved/Denied this 8th day of October, 2014

Brian S. Hucker, Chair

Michael McGuiness, Supervisor

George J. Brandt, Supervisor

Ralph Meyer, Supervisor

John A. Cerman, Supervisor

Christine Ferda, Clerk

Amendment of 5/24/2001 adding b, c & d to Paragraph 1
Amendment of 4/12/2010 adding e and f to Paragraph 1, amending Paragraph 10 and correcting language.
Amendment of 3/9/11 adding a new Paragraph 2 and 3 and amending Paragraphs 4, 9, 13 and 14.
Amendment of 10/10/12 amending Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11& 13.
Amendment of 10/08/14 amending Paragraph 2 &13. (Dates)