

Town of Watson
BYLAW NO. 2023-16
A BYLAW TO PERMIT THE OPERATIONS OF GOLF CARTS ON THE PUBLIC ROADWAYS
WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF WATSON IN THE PROVINCE OF
SASKATCHEWAN

The Council of the Town of Watson in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts as follows:

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

1. It shall be lawful to operate a golf cart during the hours between sunrise and one half hour after sunset on all public roadways within the limits of the Town of Watson.
2. Golf carts operated under this bylaw must meet the definition in section 2(1)(e) of The Registration Exemption and Reciprocity Regulations.
 - a) “golf cart” means a self-propelled vehicle that:
 - (i) is designed to transport passengers and their equipment in an area designated as a golf course;
 - (ii) has three or more wheels;
 - (iii) cannot be operated at a speed of more than 24 km/h on level ground;
 - (iv) has an unladen weight of less than 590 kilograms; but does not include:
 - (v) an all-terrain vehicle as defined in the *All Terrain Vehicles Act*; or
 - (vi) a low-speed vehicle as defined in the *Motor Vehicle Safety Regulations*, C.R.C., c 1038
3. No Person shall operate a Golf Cart on a Provincial Highway within the Town limits except to directly cross.
4. Persons operating a golf cart on public roadways within limits of the Town of Watson must be using a golf cart for the sole purpose of transportation to and from the Golf Course, by the direct shortest distance between the Golf Course and where the golf cart is stored.
5. Golf carts shall operate only on the shoulders of the public roadways within the Town limits, and 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 millimeters nor more than 1500 millimeters from the ground.
6. No person shall operate a golf cart on public roadways within the limits of the Town of Watson without at minimum a Class 7 driver’s license.
7. The owner of the Golf Cart must insure themselves and every other person who, with the owner’s consent, operates that golf cart, against liability imposed by law arising out the ownership, use or operation of that golf cart and provides proof of insurance at the request of a peace officer. The minimum liability requirement is \$200,000.

8. Golf Carts must be operated in accordance with the rules of the road in The Traffic Safety Act and any other municipal bylaw related to traffic.

9. Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this bylaw is guilty of an offense, and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not less than \$100.00 and not more than \$200.00.

10. Bylaw 2023 - 12 is hereby repealed.

11. This bylaw shall come into force and take effect upon approval thereof by Saskatchewan Government Insurance.

Read a third time and adopted
This 13 day of September, 2023.



Norma Weber

Mayor

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Administrator

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
OF BYLAW NO. 2023-16 ADOPTED
BY RESOLUTION OF
COUNCIL Sept 13, 2023
[Signature]

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR