

# RECORD OF ORDINANCES

GOVERNMENT FORMS & SUPPLIES (644) 224-3338 FORM NO. 30043

 Ordinance No. 2-2022

 Passed FEBRUARY 7, 2022

VILLAGE OF NAVARRE  
STARK COUNTY, OHIO  
ORDINANCE NO. 2-2022

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING UNDER-SPEED VEHICLES AND  
ENACTING SECTIONS 75.27 THROUGH 75.31  
FOR INCLUSION IN NAVARRE CODIFIED REGULATIONS

Whereas, the Village of Navarre desires to permit use of "under speed vehicles," commonly referred to as "golf carts," on certain Village streets, and to ensure that such vehicles are safe to be operated thereon, and

Whereas, Village Council has separately passed Ordinance 1-2022, providing the Police Department with authority to inspect under speed vehicles,

Now Therefore, Village Council Ordains as follows, enacting Sections 75.27 through 75.31, to be included in its codified municipal regulations:

*Section 75.27 – Use of and Definition of Under Speed Vehicles -. (a) Subject to the requirements set forth in Sections 75.27 through 75.31 herein, the use of "under speed vehicles" (commonly referred to as "golf carts" and defined in Section 34.22), shall be permitted on Village Streets where the speed limit is twenty-five (25) miles per hour or less, provided further that such use may not occur on streets that are designated as either a state of Ohio or federal road or highway. (b) Under speed vehicles shall be permitted to cross Ohio or federal roads or highways at only two locations – across U. S. Route 62 at Sisterhen Court NW; and across Ohio Route 21/ U. S. Route 62 at the lighted intersection with Wooster Street.*

*Section 75.28 – Inspection – (a) Prior to the operation of an under speed vehicle on Village streets, the under speed vehicle must pass an inspection conducted by the Navarre police department, that complies with inspection requirements established by the Ohio Department of Public Safety (DPS-1373), and possess a valid Village of Navarre under speed vehicle permit issued by the Navarre Police Department. (b) If an under speed vehicle passes inspection, the owner/operator will be permitted to operate the under speed vehicle on Village Streets in compliance with Section 75.27. (c) The Navarre Police Department shall have the right to not issue a permit to any applicant for any or no reason. Further, the Navarre Police Department shall have the right to revoke any permit, for any or no reason, that had been previously issued.*

*Section 75.29 – Registration – Prior to operation of an under speed vehicle on Village streets, the vehicle must be registered in accordance with Ohio Revised Code, Chapter 4503, and be titled in accordance with Ohio Revised Code, Chapter 4505. Out of state under speed vehicles are not permitted on Village streets.*

*Section 75.30 – Operation – All under speed vehicles must be operated in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local traffic laws. No one shall use any under speed vehicle on any public sidewalks nor in any public parks. Anyone who operated an under speed vehicle on Village*

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*streets must have a valid driver's license. All child restraints must be used in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local traffic laws. All seatbelts are required to be used in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local traffic laws as they apply to automobiles and/or motor vehicles as defined in the Ohio Revised Code.*

*Section 75.31 – Required Equipment – All under speed vehicles, at a minimum, must have the following properly functioning equipment: (a) two brake lights, two head lights, two front and two rear turn signals, one rear tail light, and a white rear license plat light, (b) a horn, (c) a rearview mirror, (d) a windshield, (e) brakes and a brake system, (f) a steering mechanism, (g) appropriate tires that are free of major bumps, bulges, breaks, or any other unsafe condition, (h) a properly functioning muffler (for internal combustion engines, (i) license plate bracket (or similar device) mounted to the rear of the vehicle, and (j) one seat belt per occupant of the vehicle.*

First reading – January 3, 2022 6 - for; 0 - against

Second reading – January 17, 2022 \_\_\_\_\_ - for; \_\_\_\_\_ - against

Third reading and final passage – February 7, 2022 6 - for; 0 - against

Passed and effective February 7, 2022.

APPROVED:

*Robert L. Benson*

ROBERT L. BENSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

*Anne L. Johnson*

ANNE L. JOHNSON, CLERK TREASURER

I, Anne L. Johnson, Clerk-Treasurer for the Village of Navarre, Ohio, do hereby certify that the forgoing is a true copy of Ordinance 2-2022 duly passed and adopted by the Council of the Village of Navarre on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2022 as compared by me with the original on file in my office.

*Anne L. Johnson*

I, Anne L. Johnson, Clerk- Treasurer for the Village of Navarre, Ohio, do hereby certify that there is no newspaper in said Village and that publication of the above Ordinance was duly made by posting one copy thereof at the Village of Navarre's website, the Navarre Post Office and the Village Clean Laundromat and that said Ordinance will remain posted for at least fifteen days thereafter.

*Anne L. Johnson*