

ORDINANCE 85B

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF STRATTON AMENDING ORDINANCE 79B CONCERNING DIRT BIKES AND GO KARTS AND MAKING RELATED AMENDMENTS

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Stratton adopted Ordinance 79B concerning the operation of golf carts and UTVs on Town roadways; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has determined that it is the best interests of the Town and its citizens not to permit dirt bikes and go karts on its roadways.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF STRATTON, KIT CARSON COUNTY, COLORADO:

Section 1. Part I, Definitions, of Ordinance 79B is amended by the addition of the following definitions:

All-terrain vehicle ("ATV") means a three- or four-wheeled vehicle that travels on low-pressure tires with a seat that is straddled by the rider and with handlebars for steering control.

Dirt bike means a small motorcycle designed and built with special tires and suspension for riding on unpaved roads and over rough terrain.

Go kart means a small racing car having a lightweight or skeleton body and powered by a two-stroke engine.

Toy vehicle means any vehicle that has wheels and is not designed for use on public highways or for off-road use including, but is not limited to, gas-powered or electric-powered vehicles commonly known as mini bikes, "pocket" bikes, kamikaze boards, go-peds, and stand-up scooters.

Section 2. Part 1, Definitions, of Ordinance 79B is amended as follows:

Utility Terrain Vehicles ("UTV") shall have the same meaning as off-highway vehicles in C.R.S. § 33-14.5-101, as may be amended, except the term shall not include dirt bikes and all-terrain vehicles.

Section 3. Ordinance 79B is amended by a new section to read as follows:

Part V. Prohibited Actions

It shall be unlawful to operate an ATV, dirt bike, go kart, or toy vehicle on any roadway within the Town of Stratton.

Section 4. Severability. If any article, section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such

decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The Board of Trustees hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and each part or parts hereof irrespective of the fact that any part or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 5. Recording and Authentication. Immediately upon its passage, the Ordinance shall be recorded in the Town of Stratton Book of Ordinances kept for the purpose, authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and attestation of the Clerk, and shall be published as required by law.

Adopted and Approved this 14th day of April, 2025.


Matt Brachtenbach, Mayor

Attest:


Melanee Johnson, Town Clerk

