ORDINANCE NO. 892

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 73.31 OF THE CITY OF GRAYVILLE CODE OF ORDINANCES, BEING AN BEING AN ORDINANCE REGULATING GOLF CARTS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF GRAYVILLE

WHEREAS, the City of Grayville Board of Commissioners passed Ordinance No. 689 on August 13, 2007, entitled, "An Ordinance Regulating Golf Carts within the City Limits of the City of Grayville", which ordinance was incorporated into the Grayville Code of Ordinances as Sections 73.30 through 73.32; and

AND WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners amended the provisions of Section 73.30, through passage of Ordinance No. 766 on October 8, 2012, allowing for the regulation of "recreational off-highway vehicles" within the city limits of the City of Grayville; and

AND WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Grayville finds that the requirements for operation of golf carts, as defined in Chapter 73.30 of the City of Grayville Code of Ordinances, should be amended to be consistent with the permit application requirements of the City and laws regarding safety belts and child restraint systems;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained that Section 73.31 of the City of Grayville Code of Ordinances shall be amended to read as follows:

§ 73.31 REQUIREMENTS

All persons wishing to operate a golf cart on the streets of the City of Grayville must insure compliance with the following requirements:

- A. Proof of liability insurance;
- B. Must display City decal front and rear;
- C. Must be inspected by City police or designated representative;
- D. Must have a valid Illinois driver's license:
- E. Must be equipped with windshield, seat belts for driver and each passenger, horn, brakes, a steering wheel apparatus, tires, a rearview mirror, an approved slow moving vehicle emblem on the rear of the golf cart, a headlight that emits a white light visible from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front, a tail lamp that emits a red

light visible from at least one hundred (100) feet from the rear, brake lights, and turn signals. When operated on a roadway, a golf cart shall have its headlight and tail lamps lighted (625 ILCS 5/11-1428);

- F. Must obey all traffic laws of the State of Illinois and City of Grayville;
- G. Passengers under age 8 must be secured by an appropriate child restraint system as covered by the Child Passenger Protection Act;
- H. Operator must be sixteen (16) years of age or older;
- I. No modification to golf cart suspension;
- J. Must not exceed twenty (20) miles per hour;
- K. May only operate on City streets with the exception of authorized crossing of state or county roads;
- L. Golf carts shall not be operated in inclement weather, nor when visibility is impaired by weather, smoke, fog, or other conditions.
- M. A person who drives or is in actual physical control of a golf cart on a roadway while under the influence is subject to Sections 11-500 through 11-502 of the Illinois compiled Statutes (625 ILCS 5/11-500 through 11-502);
- N. Golf carts shall not be operated on sidewalks or in City parks other than parking areas;
- O. Golf carts may not be operated on streets and highways and roads under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Department of Transportation (Illinois Route 1 or Illinois Route 130) or the county highway department, absent prior approval from the appropriate government authority.
- P. Golf carts may not be operated on state or county roads except to cross at designated streets when authorized by the State of Illinois Department of Transportation, or such other controlling department of government, as applicable. The City will insure that signs are erected to designate authorized crossing points, with one crossing to be authorized for State Route No. 1 (N. Court Street).

In all other respects, Ordinance No. 689 and Sections 73.30 through 73.32 of the Grayville

Code of Ordinances are ratified, republished, and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

Passed: <u>08-10-</u>, 2020.

Approved: 08 - 10, 2020.

Travis Thompson, Mayor

ATTEST:

JoEllen Seil, City Clerk

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JoEllen Seil, City Clerk
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