



Golf Cart Community

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Hello,

The Windsor Highlands Metro Districts ("WHMD") have been working with the Windsor Police Department on making WHMD a Golf Cart Community. After a few steps and reviews, Chief of Police, John Michaels made a presentation to the Town of Windsor Board Members for WHMD to become a "Golf Cart Community". After a vote which was unanimous, the Town Board members passed Resolution No. 2014-18. A resolution approving a Permit Pursuant to Chapter 8, Article VI of the Windsor Municipal Code for the Purpose of Allowing the use of Golf Carts on the Public Roadways within the neighborhood known as "The Highland Meadows Golf Course Community" and within the boundaries of Windsor Highlands Metro Districts.

What this means to our community is, you can now drive your golf cart on the roads (legally) within our District boundaries following Section 8-6-30 of the Windsor Municipal Code.

You can go to our Web site at <http://windsorhighlandsmetrodistrict.com>, click on the library tab on the left side of the page and scroll down to "District Map" and you will see our District map with the boundaries.

In general, you cannot cross CR 30 to the North, you cannot go pass Crooked Stick Drive to the south and you cannot go out on to CR 5 to the west. We will have signs installed showing you this is a golf cart community, along with signs posted showing no golf cart past this point. The District will be clearly marked for you.

This is for our community only; if you have friends that live outside our District/community they cannot drive their golf cart to our District/community.

Please see the Town rules on this, on the back of this page, which is under ARTICLE VI section 8-6-30. We are fortunate enough to be the first community to get this Municipal Code approved by the Town Board and we must follow all the rules, however, it can be revoked if the rules are not followed. Let's pave the way for other communities to model after WHMD.

If you would like more details on the Town of Windsor traffic codes on Golf carts, go to the Town web site and look up Article VI Section 8-5-10.

Last item, we would like to Thank Chief of Police, John Michaels and Town Board Member Myles G. Baker for their help in this venture.



Sec. 8-6-30. Of Town of Windsor Municipal Code: Golf Cars, restricted operations.

Notwithstanding the issuance of any permit under Section 8-6-20 above, the following restrictions shall apply:

- (1) No golf car shall be operated by any person under the age of sixteen (16) years.
- (2) No golf car shall be operated by any person unless such person holds valid driving privileges pursuant to Title 42, C.R.S., or the equivalent under the law of any other jurisdiction within the United States.
- (3) No golf car shall be operated upon any sidewalk, pedestrian trail or recreational facility within the Town, whether or not such trail or recreational facility is operated under authority of the Town, with the exception of golf courses and associated golf facilities.
- (4) Golf cars shall not be operated upon or across any portion of Colorado State Highway 392 or Colorado State Highway 257.
- (5) The operator of a golf cart must obey all traffic and parking regulations otherwise applicable to motor vehicles.
- (6) No golf car shall be operated between sunset and sunrise or at any other time when, due to insufficient light or unfavorable atmospheric conditions, persons and vehicles on the highway are not clearly discernible at a distance of one thousand (1,000) feet ahead, unless such golf car is equipped and illuminated with head lamps, tail lamps, stop lamps and turn signals as required under Title 42, Article 4, Part 2, C.R.S.
- (7) No golf car shall be operated in violation of any limitation or condition imposed by the Town Board pursuant to the authority provided under Paragraph 8-6-20(b)(5) above. (Ord. 2009-1357 §1)

Sec. 8-6-40. Golf cars, operation within roadway.

Golf cars shall be operated as close to the right side of the roadway as practicable, exercising due care when approaching, overtaking or passing a standing vehicle or one proceeding in the same direction or when approaching, overtaking or passing a pedestrian or bicyclist. (Ord. 2009-1357 §1)

Sec. 8-6-50. Violations.

Violations of this Article shall be punishable in accordance with the penalty provisions as set forth in this Code. (Ord. 2009-1357 §1)

See Town web site for all traffic codes.