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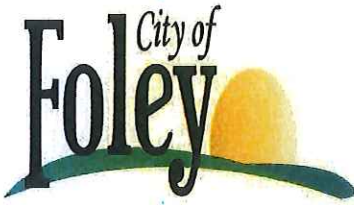
GOLF CART REGISTRATION PACKET

Dear Resident:

The following documents will be the information needed to register your golf cart for use on designated cart streets. This package consists of the registration and inspection form and information regarding the rules and regulations for use of a golf cart on designated cart streets. The following steps will be required in order to register your golf cart:

1. Complete, and sign the golf cart registration where indicated.
2. Proof of insurance must be obtained for the golf cart.
3. Foley Police Department must inspect and check off the required equipment. All equipment must be present at the time of inspection.
4. The City of Foley requires golf cart owners must read and understand the rules and regulations for operation of a golf cart.
5. A yearly \$25 fee will be charged for a golf cart permit. Once paid the permit will be obtained and placed on the windshield.
6. This permit is good for one calendar year beginning in January of each year. In the event you change addresses in the city limits of Foley you must notify the Foley Police Department.

Please take into consideration that the operation of a golf cart on designated cart streets is a privilege. Foley Police Department and the city reserve the right to revoke and deny any golf cart registration which is deemed necessary. Stay safe and follow the traffic laws.



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GOLF CART REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION

Name: _____ Foley Permit# _____

Address: _____

Golf Cart Manufacturer: _____ Serial or ID# _____

Insurance Company: _____ Policy# _____

I have reviewed the rules and regulations that were herein set in place by the City of Foley. I ensure that all drivers listed have a valid driver's license and will comply with the City of Foley Golf Cart Rules and Regulations.

 Signature Date

| REQUIRED EQUIPMENT | X = Present | X = OPERABLE |
|---|-------------|--------------|
| Seat Belts (lap or shoulder) | | |
| Head Lights | | |
| Brake Lights | | |
| Turn Signals Front and Rear | | |
| Windshield | | |
| Rear View Mirror or Side Mirrors | | |
| Operable Brakes | | |
| Steering Wheel-Reliable | | |
| Horn | | |
| Tires (Good Condition) | | |
| Amber Front and Rear Red Reflectors | | |
| Orange Warning Flag 6 Feet Above Ground | | |
| Officer Notes: | | |

 Officer's Name and badge #

 Date

 Date of Data Entry

 By – Initials

***** This Inspection N/A to State Tagged Carts *****

Rules and Regulations

Carts may not be operated on any public street, road, or highway within the corporate limits of the City of Foley that is not a Designated Cart Street and may be operated on Designated Cart Street only in accordance with the following rules and regulations. A State Tagged Cart this is not a Municipal Service Vehicle may not be operated on any public street, road, or highway within the corporate limits of the City of Foley on which the posted legal speed limit is greater than 25 miles per hour.

In addition:

(1) No person who is not a driver licensed by the State of Alabama or, in the case of a non-resident, by his or her home state or country or who is less than sixteen (16) years of age may operate a Cart on a designated Cart Street.

(2) Carts may be operated on Designated Cart Streets between the hours of sunrise and 10:00 pm. The headlights on the cart shall be illuminated at all times when it is in operation on Designated Cart Streets, regardless of the hours of operation.

(3) Any person who operates a cart on a Designated Cart Street must adhere to all State and municipal laws applicable to the operation of motor vehicles, including, without limitation, all laws concerning the operation of a vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs. The operator of a cart may not overtake and pass in the same lane occupied by the vehicle being overtaken. A cart may not be operated between lanes of traffic or between adjacent lines or rows of vehicles, and carts may not be operated two or more abreast in a single lane. The operator of a cart may, in a safe manner, cross over, perpendicular, a street with a speed limit greater than 25 mph, to continue on to the other side of low speed streets. However, golf carts that are owned by a golf course and regularly maintained by the golf course do not need to meet all the equipment requirements of this ordinance when the carts are driven over or cross over the streets perpendicular. However, these carts will not be driven at night.

(4) Cart drivers must yield the right-of-way to overtaking vehicles at all times.

(5) The maximum occupancy of a cart shall be the number of occupants for which the cart has approved seat belts. No cart shall be operated on any public street unless all occupants are seated with their seat belts fastened. No child under the age of five (5) shall be transported in a cart on any public street.

(6) No cart shall be operated on any public sidewalk or bike path.

(7) No cart shall be parked in a designated handicapped parking space unless the driver or at least one passenger has a valid handicap parking permit that is displayed on the cart.

(8) No cart may be operated on a Designated Cart Street without a valid permit sticker issued by the Foley Police Department to the owner of the cart attached. A yearly fee of \$25.00 per cart will be charged by for this permit sticker on the basis of each calendar year or portion thereof. Each cart must be inspected annually before a permit is issued and no permit shall be issued for any cart that does not meet the equipment and conditions of this Ordinance. No permit shall be issued for any cart without proof of that any person who may operate the cart on a public street is covered by a policy of liability insurance held by the owner of the cart. The required minimum liability limits of the cart shall be the same as required by the State of Alabama for operation of a motor vehicle.



Acknowledgment and Indemnity Agreement

The Foley City Council has enacted an Ordinance permitting the operation of golf carts on certain streets within the City pursuant to the authority of the Alabama Constitutional Amendment adopted pursuant to Act No. 2016-271. In enacting the Ordinance, the City Council has expressly confirmed its view that golf carts are not designed or manufactured to be suitable for use on public streets and roads, and the City of Foley in no way advocates or endorses the operation of golf carts on public streets. The City understands that residents within golf course residential communities and other communities desire to have the option to operate their golf carts on a limited basis within those communities in order to access the amenities in and immediately adjacent to those communities, and have secured the adoption of Act No. 2016-271 to allow the enactment of ordinances permitting such operation in Baldwin County subject to the terms of the Act and to such other restrictions the City may impose as authorized by the Act. In designating public streets on which golf carts may be legally operated, the Act requires the City to determine that golf carts may safely travel on such designated streets after consideration of factors including, but not limited to, the speed, volume, and character of motor vehicle traffic using the street. The designation in, or pursuant to, the City Ordinance of certain streets as streets on which golf carts may safely travel is not a determination or representation by the City that operation of golf carts on such streets is in fact safe or advisable even if done in accordance with the Ordinance due to the limited drive characteristics and safety features of golf carts. All persons operating golf carts must be observant of, and attentive to the safety of themselves and others, including their passengers, other motorists, bicyclists, and pedestrians. All persons who

operate or ride carts on public streets inside the City of Foley do so at their own risk and peril, and no permit for the operation of a golf cart on the public streets shall be issued except upon execution by the owner of the golf cart of this written undertaking to indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, agents, and employees harmless from any and all liability of any kind or character directly or indirectly associated with such operation.

ACKNOWLEDGED AND INDEMNITY AND AGREEMENT TO HOLD HARMLESS MADE:

Permit Applicant/Owner

Street Address

Phone Number

Date

Permit Issued by: _____

Permit #: _____

Inspection Certificate Attached