

**VILLAGE OF CASSVILLE
ORDINANCE NO. 2026-03**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 4, "TRAFFIC CODE", TO AMEND SECTION 4.11 ENTITLED "ATV/UTV REGULATIONS" AND TO ADD SECTION 4.115 ENTITLED "GOLF CART REGULATIONS" TO THE VILLAGE OF CASSVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Village Board of the Village of Cassville, Grant County, Wisconsin, does ordain as follows:

Section I: Chapter 4 entitled "TRAFFIC CODE", to amend section 4.11 entitled "ATV/UTV REGULATIONS" of the Village of Cassville Municipal Code to read as follows:

4.11 ATV/UTV REGULATIONS

- (1) Purpose. The purpose of this section is to establish all-terrain vehicle (ATV) and utility terrain vehicle (UTV) routes in the Village of Cassville and regulate the operation of ATV and UTV vehicles in the Village.
- (2) Operation. Operation of ATVs and UTVs shall be subject to all provisions of Section 23.33 of the Wisconsin Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time.
- (3) Routes. The ATV/UTV routes within the Village of Cassville shall be all streets and roads within the territorial boundaries of the Village, including highways that have a speed limit of 35 miles per hour or less.
 - (a) Provisions of Wis. Stats. Section 23.33(8) for Local Roads are adopted by reference as if set forth herein.
 - (b) Provisions of Wis. Stats. Section 23.33(11) for State Highways under 35 mph are adopted by reference as if set forth herein.
 - (c) Pursuant to Wis. Stats Section 23.33(11)(am)3, the Village of Cassville authorizes the operation of ATV/UTV's on Wis 133 to cross the bridge over the Furnace Creek. ATV/UTV's are required to do the following to cross the bridge:
 - i. Cross the bridge in the most direct manner practicable and at a place where no obstruction prevents a quick and safe crossing
 - ii. Stay as far to the right of the roadway or shoulder as practicable.
 - iii. Stop the vehicle prior to entering the roadway.
 - iv. Yield the right-of-way to other vehicles, pedestrians, electric scooters, and electric personal assistive mobility devices using the roadway or shoulder.
 - v. Exit the highway as quickly and safely as practicable after crossing the bridge.This subsection (3)(c) shall only be in effect if the Town of Cassville and Grant County enact a similar ordinance crossing to cross the same bridge.
- (4) Route Signs. Routes shall be marked with uniform ATV/UTV route signs in accordance with Chapter NR 64.12(7) of the Wisconsin Administrative Code. The ATV/UTV club shall be responsible for purchasing, maintaining, and installing all necessary and required signs.
- (5) Regulations. In addition to the provisions of Section 23.33 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the following restrictions are placed on the use of the Village ATV/UTV routes by this section:
 - (a) All ATV/UTV operators shall observe posted roadway speed limits.
 - (b) All ATV/UTV operators shall ride single file.

- (c) All ATV/UTV headlamps and tail lamps must be turned on at all times and ATV/UTVs must have operational brake lights.
 - (d) The Village of Cassville routes will be closed from 1:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
 - (e) No open intoxicants are allowed while operating on, or as a passenger in, any ATV/UTV on any street, roadway, alley, or other public right-of-way within the Village of Cassville.
 - (f) ATV/UTV operators shall possess a valid operator's license as defined in section 340.01(41g) of the Wisconsin Statutes, as may be amended from time to time.
 - (a) If under 16, can operate ATV with proper certification and adult supervision
 - (g) No person may operate an ATV/UTV within the Village of Cassville unless the owner or operator of the vehicle has in effect, a liability policy covering the vehicle being operated and such operator has in his or her immediate possession a certificate or proof of insurance covering such vehicle which shall be displayed upon demand from any traffic officer.
 - (h) No person shall operate an ATV/UTV upon any sidewalk or pedestrian way within the Village of Cassville unless it is being used for snow removal or when operated by authorized Village of Cassville Employees or agents while performing official Village maintenance, inspection, repair, snow removal, or other municipal duties.
 - (i) It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any ATV/UTV, in such a manner as to cause, by excessive and unnecessary acceleration, the tires of such vehicle to spin or emit loud noises, to unnecessarily throw stones or gravel, or cause the front wheels of the vehicle to leave the ground; nor shall such driver cause to be made by excessive and unnecessary acceleration any loud noise as would disturb the peace. It shall also be unlawful for any operator to ride an ATV/UTV with their feet off the footboards or footpegs.
- (6) Enforcement. The enforcement provisions under Section 23.33(12) of the Wisconsin Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time, are adopted by reference as if fully set forth herein.
- (7) Penalties. Penalties as found in Section 23.33(13) of the Wisconsin Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time, are adopted by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Section II: Chapter 4 entitled "TRAFFIC CODE", to add Section 4.115 entitled "GOLF CART REGULATIONS" of the Village of Cassville Municipal Code to read as follows:

4.115 GOLF CART REGULATIONS

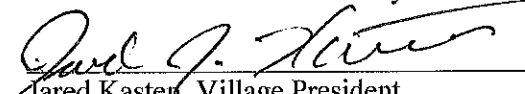
- (1) Purpose. The purpose of this section is to establish regulations regarding the operation of golf carts within the Village.
- (2) Definition. Golf carts are defined under Wis. Stats. 23.33(1)(fm), as the same may be amended from time to time, is adopted by reference as if fully set forth herein.
- (3) Regulations.
 - (a) Golf carts cannot be operated after dark unless they have headlights and taillights
 - (b) Operator must be at least 16 years of age and hold a valid driver's license

- (c) The same requirements as operating an ATV/UTV will be followed. See Section 4.11(5) of this code.
 - (d) No open intoxicants are allowed while operating on, or as a passenger in, any golf cart on any street, roadway, alley, or other public right-of-way within the Village of Cassville.
 - (e) Only allowed to operate on highways where the speed limit is 25mph or less.
 - (f) No person shall operate a golf cart with more occupants or number of persons for which the golf cart was designed by the manufacturer.
 - (g) Every golf cart operated on public street or roadway within the Village of Cassville shall be equipped with at least one properly mounted and functional rear view mirror that provides the operator with a clear view of traffic approaching from behind. The golf cart shall also have a Slow-Moving Vehicle (SMV) emblem properly displayed on the rear of the vehicle and clearly visible to approaching traffic.
 - (h) No person shall operate a golf cart on any public street or roadway within the Village of Cassville unless the golf cart is properly registered with the Village of Cassville and displays a current Village-issued permit/sticker in two (2) clearly visible locations.
 - a. Registration will cost \$25.00 and will be valid for as long as that person owns the golf cart.
- (4) Enforcement. The enforcement provisions for Golf Carts shall be the same as for ATV/UTV, as defined under Section 23.33(12) of the Wisconsin Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time, are adopted by reference as if fully set forth herein.
- (5) Penalties. Penalties for Golf Carts shall be the same as for ATV/UTV, as found in Section 23.33(13) of the Wisconsin Statutes, as the same may be amended from time to time, are adopted by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Section III: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect following its passage and publication or posting as required by law. All other sections of Chapter 4, Traffic Code, of the Village of Cassville Municipal Code not specifically amended under this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect as drafted.

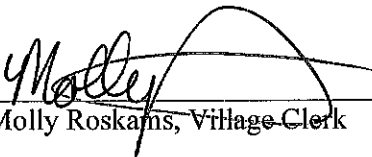
Adopted and approved this 6th day of October, 2026, by the Village Board of the Village of Cassville, Grant County, Wisconsin.

VILLAGE OF CASSVILLE by:


Jared Kasten, Village President

ATTEST: I, Molly Roskams, Village Clerk, do hereby certify that the amendment to Chapter 4, "Traffic Code", to amend Section 4.11 entitled "ATV/UTV Regulations" and to add section 4.115 entitled "Golf Cart Regulations" to the Village of Cassville Municipal Code has been approved by the

Village Board of the Village of Cassville, Grant County, Wisconsin, at a meeting held on October 6, 2026.


Molly Roskams, Village Clerk

Date Adopted: 10/6/2026

Effective Date: 11/1/2026