

Ordinance No. 02-19  
Amendment to the Polk County ATV and UTV Route Ordinance to Provide For Year  
Round Travel on Designated Routes

1 TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF POLK,  
2 WISCONSIN:

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4 On Recommendation of the Public Safety & Highway Committee

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6 Ladies and Gentlemen:

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8 Section 2.02 (f) of the Polk County ATV and UTV Route Ordinance permits ATV and UTV  
9 travel on routes designated under the ordinance from April 1 through December 1.

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11 WHEREAS, it is in the interest of the County to revise the Polk County ATV and UTV  
12 Route Ordinance to allow for year-round ATV and UTV use along designated routes.

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14 WHEREAS, after considering the issue, the Public Safety and Highway Committee adopted a  
15 recommendation that the County Board enact such an amendment on direct action as  
16 provided for by Article 3.1.a. of the County Board Rules of Order.

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18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the Polk County Board of Supervisors  
19 amends Section 2.02(f) to read, as follows:

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21 “Section 2.02 The operation of ATV’s and UTV’s on any portion of a County highway  
22 designated as an ATV route and/or UTV route shall be subject to the  
23 following:

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26 f. Operation of ATV’s and UTV’s shall ~~only~~ be permitted ~~from April 1~~  
27 ~~through December 1~~ year-round on routes designated under this  
28 ordinance.

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30 BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, as follows:

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- 32 1. The other provisions of said ordinance are unaffected hereby and remain in full force  
33 and effect.
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35 2. This amendment to the Polk County ATV and UTV Route Ordinance shall be  
36 effective upon passage and publication.

Offered on Recommendation of the Public Safety and Highway Committee this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 2019.

Offered this 22 day of Jan., 2019.

BY:

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Brad Olson, Supervisor, District #1

Doug Route  
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Doug Route, Supervisor, District #2

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Dean Johansen, Chair,  
Supervisor, District #3,

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Chris Nelson, Supervisor, District #4

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Tracy LaBlanc, Supervisor, District #5

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Brian Masters, Supervisor, District #6

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Michael Prichard, Supervisor, District #7

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James Edgell, Supervisor, District #8

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Kim O'Connell, Supervisor, District #9

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Larry Jepsen, Supervisor, District #10

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Jay Luke, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chair,  
Supervisor, District #11

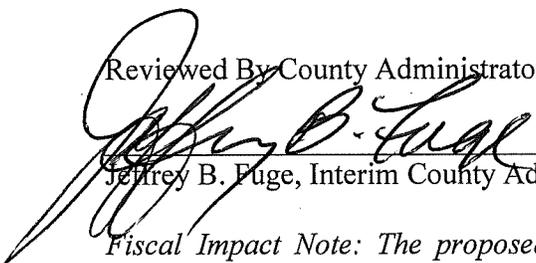
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Michael Larsen, Supervisor, District #12

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Russell Arcand, Supervisor, District #13

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John Bonneprise, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chair,  
Supervisor, District #14

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Joe DeMulling, Supervisor, District #15

Reviewed By County Administrator:

  
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Jeffrey B. Fuge, Interim County Administrator

*Fiscal Impact Note: The proposed amendment to the Polk County ATV and UTV Route Ordinance may require an additional expenditure of county funds to post revised signs that give notice to year-round usage.*

Reviewed and Approved as to Form and Execution:

  
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Malia T. Malone, Assistant Corporation Counsel

*Legal Impact Note: The proposed amendment to the ordinance presents no legal impacts on the operations of the County. The proposed ordinance removes the regulation that otherwise only allows ATV and UTV travel on designated routes from April 1 through December 1.*

Excerpt of Minutes

At its <sup>special</sup> regular business meeting on the 22 day of January 2019, the Polk County Board of Supervisors acted Ordinance No. 02-19: Amendment to the Polk County ATV and UTV Route Ordinance to Provide For Year Round Travel on Designated Routes as follows:

- Enacted by majority voice vote
- Enacted by simple majority of the board of supervisors by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_ in favor and \_\_\_\_\_ against.
- Adopted by unanimous voice vote.
- Defeated: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED BY:

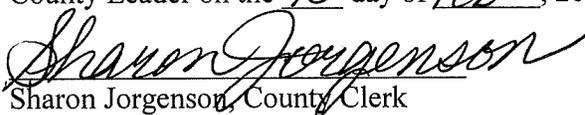
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Dean Johansen, County Board Chairperson

ATTEST:

  
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Sharon Jorgenson, County Clerk

Certification of Publication

Ord. No. 02-19, as enacted the 22 day of Jan, 2019, was published in the Inter-County Leader on the 13 day of Feb, 2019.

  
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Sharon Jorgenson, County Clerk

**CERTIFIED COPY OF POLK COUNTY ORDINANCE**

STATE OF WISCONSIN

COUNTY OF POLK

I, Sharon E. Jorgenson, Polk County Clerk do hereby certify that the attached hereto and incorporated herein is a full, true and correct copy of the Polk County Ordinance No. 02-19: Amendment to the Polk County ATV and UTV Route Ordinance to Provide for Year Round Travel on Designated Routes as adopted by the Polk County Board of Supervisors on the 22 day of January, 2019.

  
*Sharon E. Jorgenson* 1/22/19

Sharon E. Jorgenson, Polk County Clerk

Date