

Ordinance

Amending Chapter 53, Section 53-109 "Operation of golf cart" to allow golf cart operation on North Beach; Providing for severance; Providing for publication; Providing for penalty; and Providing an effective date.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. Chapter 53, Section 109 is amended as follows:

Sec. 53-109. - Operation of golf cart.

As authorized under Texas Transportation Code Section 551.404(a), a person who holds a valid driver's license may operate a golf cart on a public highway with a posted speed limit of not more than thirty-five (35) miles per hour if:

- (1) The person is employed by a political subdivision of the State of Texas, and is performing a duty for the political subdivision that requires the operation of a golf cart owned by the political subdivision;
- (2) The person is crossing a public highway at a marked or designated crossing that connects portions of the golf course separated by the public highway;
- (3) The person is employed by a restaurant, hotel, or tourist related business, and is transporting guests in a golf cart owned by the restaurant, hotel, or tourist related business, to and from the parking lots to the business;
- (4) The person is employed by a restaurant, hotel, or tourist related business, and is transporting supplies between two (2) facilities under common ownership in a golf cart owned by the restaurant, hotel, or tourist related business;
- (5) If the golf cart is operated on a highway within the city limits on Mustang Island east of S.H. 361 and north of Packery Channel; ~~or~~
- (6) If the golf cart is operated on portions of Mustang and Padre Island within the city limits that are south of Packery Channel; or
- (7) If the golf cart is operated on a highway within the city limits on North Beach east of U.S. 181 and north of the Harbor Bridge.

SECTION 2. If for any reason any section paragraph subdivision clause phrase word or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction it shall not affect any other section paragraph subdivision clause phrase word or provision of this ordinance for it is the definite intent of this City Council that every section paragraph subdivision clause phrase word or provision hereof be given full force and effect for its purpose.

SECTION 3. Publication shall be made one time in the official publication of the City of Corpus Christi as required by the City Charter of the City of Corpus Christi.

SECTION 4. Penalties are as provided in Section 1-6 of the Code of Ordinances.

SECTION 5. This ordinance takes effect after official publication.

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the first time and passed to its second reading on this the _____ day of _____, _____, by the following vote:

Nelda Martinez	_____	Brian Rosas	_____
Rudy Garza	_____	Lucy Rubio	_____
Chad Magill	_____	Mark Scott	_____
Colleen McIntyre	_____	Carolyn Vaughn	_____
Lillian Riojas	_____		

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the second time and passed finally on this the _____ day of _____, _____, by the following vote:

Nelda Martinez	_____	Brian Rosas	_____
Rudy Garza	_____	Lucy Rubio	_____
Chad Magill	_____	Mark Scott	_____
Colleen McIntyre	_____	Carolyn Vaughn	_____
Lillian Riojas	_____		

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the _____th day of _____, _____.

ATTEST:

Rebecca Huerta
City Secretary

Nelda Martinez
Mayor