

Ordinance No. 2020-1

All-Terrain and Utility-Terrain Vehicle Route

Town of Castle Rock, Grant County, Wisconsin

An Ordinance Designating All-Terrain and Utility-Terrain Vehicle Routes and Regulating the Operation of All Terrain and Utility Vehicles

Section I – Intent

The Town of Castle Rock adopts the following all-terrain and utility-terrain vehicle ordinance/ route for the operation of all-terrain and utility-terrain vehicles upon the roadways in Section III.

Section II – Statutory Authority

The Town Board of Castle Rock, Grant County, Wisconsin, has the specific authority to adopt the ATV and UTV Ordinance under s. 23.33 (8)(b) and (11), Wis. Stats. The Town of Castle Rock will retain the right to close any Town road to ATV/UTV operation for any reason, including but not limited to special events, unlawful use, and road construction repair. Said closures of Town roads to ATV/UTV operation may occur without notice. The Town of Castle Rock accepts no liability for the operation of ATV/UTV on any Town road under the provisions of this ordinance. Operation of ATV/UTVs is at the operators own risk. UTV/ATVs that operate on the aforementioned routes shall abide by all state laws regulating ATV/UTV operation.

Section III – Routes

In accordance with sec. 23.33 Wis. Stats., the designated all-terrain and utility-terrain vehicle routes within the Town of Castle Rock shall be on **any** township road located within the territorial boundaries of the Town of Castle Rock unless signed otherwise.

Section IV – Conditions

As a condition for the use of this route, the following conditions apply to all operators and passengers.

- 1) Routes shall be marked in accordance with Chap. NR 64.12(7), Wisconsin Administrative Code. No person may do any of the following in regards to signs marking Town ATV/UTV route.
 - (a) Intentionally remove, damage, deface, move or obstruct any route sign legally placed by the state, any municipality, or any authorized individual.
- 2) In addition to the provisions of sec.23.33, the Town of Castle Rock adopts in its entirety, Grant County Ordinance No.65 as part of this ATV/UTV ordinance.

Section V – Enforcement

This ordinance shall be enforced by any law enforcement officer authorized to enforce the laws of the state of Wisconsin.

Section VI – Penalties

Wisconsin state All-Terrain Vehicle penalties as found in s. 23.33 (13) (a) Wis. Stats., are adopted by reference.

Section VII – Severability

If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect the other provisions or applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

Section VIII – Effective Date

This ordinance becomes effective upon passage and publication or posting as required by law.

Passed this 10th day of March 2020

Town of Castle Rock, Grant County, Wisconsin

Signed;

Chairman: Brian Johnsrud

Clerk: Vern Hrubes
