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TO AMEND REGULATIONS GOVERNING NON-HIGHWAY VEHICLES AND
LOW-SPEED VEHICLES”

ADOPTED BY THE
CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF MONTICELLO
THIS 8TH DAY OF MAY, 2023

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WHEREAS, the City of Monticello (“City”) is an Illinois municipal corporation organized and operating under the Illinois Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Vehicle Code (625 ILCS 5/1-100, *et seq.*) authorizes the City to regulate the use of non-highway and low-speed vehicles on City streets (*see* 625 ILCS 5/11-1426.1(b); 625 ILCS 5/11-1426.2(a, c-d)); and

WHEREAS, the operation of low-speed vehicles upon City streets is specifically subject to applicable local ordinances (625 ILCS 5/11-1426.2(h)); and

WHEREAS, the City previously adopted regulations authorizing non-highway and low-speed vehicles to utilize City streets in certain circumstances (*see* City Code Title VII, Chapter 78);

WHEREAS, the City wishes to amend the City Code to also allow non-highway and low-speed vehicles to be test driven on City streets; and

WHEREAS, the City has considered the volume, speed, and character of traffic on its roadways and determined that non-highway and low-speed vehicles may safely travel on or cross roadways under City jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, updating the City’s vehicle regulations in accordance with this Ordinance will not jeopardize the public safety, and will promote the public health, safety and welfare by

providing for the safe operation of non-highway vehicles and low-speed vehicles on roadways under the City's jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council wish to amend the City of Monticello Code of Ordinances in accordance with this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Monticello, Piatt County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. RECITALS. The foregoing recitals are incorporated as though fully set forth herein.

Section 2. CHAPTER AMENDED. Chapter 78 Title VII of the City of Monticello Code of Ordinances, titled "Non-Highway Vehicles and Low-Speed Vehicles," is hereby amended as follows (additions in **bold and underline**, deletions in ~~bold and strikeout~~):

"§ 78.04 Annual Registration.

No non-highway or low-speed vehicle shall be operated on any roadway of the city, unless the owner(s) thereof shall have **first either: (1) been issued a temporary license plate for on-street driving from the Illinois Secretary of State, or (2)** registered the non-highway or low-speed vehicle with the city in accordance with the following:"

Section 3. SEVERABILITY. This Ordinance and every provision thereof shall be considered severable and the invalidity of any section clause, paragraph, sentence or provision of this Ordinance will not affect the validity of any other portion of this Ordinance.

Section 4. SUPERSEDER. All ordinances, resolutions, motions, or orders in conflict herewith shall be, and the same hereby are, repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage and publication in pamphlet form, in accordance with law; and the approval of

Ordinance No. 2023-23, “AN ORDINANCE AMENDING REGULATIONS GOVERNING NON-HIGHWAY VEHICLES AND LOW-SPEED VEHICLES.” The provisions of the City of Monticello Code of Ordinances amended herein shall be reprinted with the changes.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Monticello, Piatt County, this 8th day of May, 2023, by the following roll-call vote:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

Jill Potts, City Clerk
City of Monticello, Piatt County, Illinois

Approved by the Mayor of the City of Monticello this 8th day of May, 2023.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

City of Monticello, Piatt County, Illinois