

**APPLICATION FOR OFF ROAD VEHICLE PERMIT
VILLAGE OF MEAD, NEBRASKA**

Please complete the application and return to the Village of Mead, 312 South Vine Street, P.O. Box 46, Mead, NE 68041-0046.

1. Applicant's name _____
2. Applicant's address _____
3. Telephone (home) _____ (cell) _____
4. Off road vehicle requirements: Width _____ Dry Weight _____ Vehicle Serial # _____
Equipped with four low pressure tires? _____ Has a seat for operator? _____
Has handle bar or other steering assembly for steering control? _____
Equipped with bicycle safety flag? _____ Equipped with slow moving vehicle sign? _____
Equipped with headlight and taillight to display during required timeframe? _____
Has operating brake system? _____ Has adequate muffler system? _____
Has qualified spark arrester? _____ Has qualified exhaust system? _____

Approved _____
Police Chief _____ Date _____

Applicant Requirements to be provided prior to issuance of the permit:

All-terrain Vehicle _____ Utility-type Vehicle _____ Golf Car Vehicle _____

1. Applicant must have a valid Class O Operator's license or a farm permit;
2. Applicant's license to operate a motor vehicle is not currently suspended or revoked by the laws of the State of Nebraska for loss of points or driving under the influence of alcohol or other similar driving offenses, causing a revocation or suspension of said person's operators license;
3. That Applicant must submit proof of financial responsibility evidencing Applicant's ability to respond in damages for liability, on account of accidents occurring subsequent to the effective date of such proof, arising out of ownership maintenance, or use of said off-road designed vehicle;
4. That a non refundable application fee of \$50.00 shall accompany each application.
5. I understand that if the rules and regulations are violated, this permit will be revoked.

I have received a copy of Ordinance No. 685 and a map of the Village indicating golf cart use boundaries and hereby agree to abide by all rules and stipulations provided therein.

Signature _____ Date _____

Fee _____ Date Paid _____ Check # / Cash _____

Approved _____
Village Clerk _____ Date _____

§5-401 MINIBIKES; PUBLIC LANDS.

Mini-bikes shall be prohibited upon the public lands owned by the municipality except where allowed by resolution of the Governing Body. (Ref 60-2106 RS Neb.)

Article 5. All-terrain, Utility-type and Golf Car Vehicles

§5-501 ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES; UTILITY-TYPE VEHICLES; DEFINED.

- A. All-terrain vehicle: As used in this Article, unless the context otherwise requires, all-terrain vehicle shall mean any motorized off-highway vehicle which (1) is fifty (50") inches or less in width, (2) has a dry weight of twelve hundred (1200#) pounds or less, (3) travels on three (3) or more nonhighway tires, (4) is designed for operator use only with no passengers or is designed by the original manufacturer for the operator and one (1) passenger.
- B. Utility-type vehicle: As used in this Article, unless the context otherwise requires, a utility-type vehicle means any motorized off-highway vehicle which (1) is seventy-four (74") inches in width or less, (2) is not more than one hundred eighty (180") inches including the bumper, in length, (3) has a dry weight of two thousand (2000#) pounds or less, (4) travels on four (4) or more nonhighway tires. Utility-type vehicle does not include all-terrain vehicles, golf car vehicles, or low-speed vehicles.
- C. All-terrain vehicles and utility-type vehicles which have been modified or retrofitted with after-market parts to include additional equipment not required by Neb. Rev. Stat. §§60-6,357 and 60-6,358 shall not be registered under the Motor Vehicle Registration Act or any other category of vehicle under the Act. Ref 60-6,355 RS Neb. (Amended by Ord. No. 685, 7/12/16)

§5-502 ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES; UTILITY-TYPE VEHICLE; OPERATION.

- A. Except as provided in this Section, an all-terrain vehicle or utility-type vehicle shall not be operated on any controlled-access highway with more than two (2) marked traffic lanes. The crossing of any controlled-access highway with more than two (2) marked traffic lanes shall be permitted by a utility-type vehicle if the operation is in accordance with the operation requirements of subsection C of this section and if the following requirements are met: (i) the crossing is made at an intersection that: is controlled by a traffic control signal; (ii) the crossing at such intersection is made in compliance with the traffic control signal; and (iii) the crossing at such intersection is specifically authorized as provided in this municipal code section, which the governing body authorizes herein.
- B. The crossing of a highway other than a controlled access highway with more than two (2) marked traffic lanes shall be permitted by an all-terrain vehicle or a utility-type vehicle only if:
 - 1. The crossing is made at an angle of approximately ninety (90°) degrees to the direction of the highway and at a place where no obstruction prevents a quick and safe crossing;
 - 2. The vehicle is brought to a complete stop before crossing the shoulder or roadway of the highway;
 - 3. The operator yields the right-of-way to all oncoming traffic that constitutes an immediate potential hazard;
 - 4. In crossing a divided highway the crossing is made only at an intersection of highway with another highway; and;
 - 5. Both the headlight and taillight of the vehicle are on when the crossing is made.
- C. All-terrain vehicles or utility-type vehicles may be operated on a public street, road, or highway when such operation occurs only between the hours of sunrise and sunset. Any person operating an all-terrain vehicle or utility-type vehicle shall have a valid Class O operator's license or a farm permit as provided in Neb. Rev. Stat. §60-4,126 and shall not operate such vehicle at a speed in excess of twenty-five (25) miles per hour. The person operating the all-terrain vehicle or utility-type vehicle shall provide proof of such insurance coverage to any peace officer requesting such proof within five (5) days of such a request. When operating an all-terrain or utility-type vehicle, the headlight and taillight shall be turned on and the vehicle shall be equipped with a bicycle safety flag which extends not less than five (5') feet above ground attached to the rear of such vehicle. The bicycle safety flag shall be triangular in shape with an area not less than thirty (30) square inches and be day-glow in color. Said operation shall be in compliance with all Village Ordinances, Rules of the Road, parking and other vehicular and traffic regulations.

