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Golf Cart and Under Speed Vehicle Inspection Program

Ohio Law allows a municipality to authorize licensing and operation of golf carts and under speed vehicles (USV) within the corporate limits of the municipality as long as equipment standards are met on each vehicle. To be street legal, golf carts or USVs must have the following:

- Headlights
- 2 Brake lights
- Tail lights
- Turn signals
- Windshield
- Horn
- Rearview mirror
- License plate lights

More important items to be aware of:

- Golf carts or USVs must also not be capable of traveling over 20 mph.
- An Ohio operator's license is required to operate the golf cart or USV.
- There has to be a seat belt for every occupant on the golf cart or USV.
- Children must utilize child restraint seats as required by the Ohio Revised Code.
- Proof of Insurance must be presented at time of Inspection.
- Your golf cart or USV must have a VIN (vehicle identification number). Please know where this number is located on your vehicle and make sure it is clean and readable.

Golf carts and USVs must be inspected by a Marshallville Police Department Officer. This service is provided to all Marshallville residents who seek to operate their golf cart or USV on legal roadways within the village as defined in Village Ordinance XXXXX, which was approved on XXXXXX X, XXXX. This inspection process does not apply to ATV'S or UTVs, only golf carts and USV (Under Speed Vehicle less than 20 M.P.H.)

Each golf cart that passes inspection will be authorized to purchase a title from the Wayne County Title Office and registration / license plates from the Bureau of Motor Vehicles. These plates must be affixed to the front and rear of the golf cart. Golf carts that become licensed will be restricted to roadways with a speed limit of 35 MPH and lower as indicated in the village ordinance. Be sure to familiarize yourself with restricted areas.