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County
~~City~~ of CLINTON
~~Town~~
~~Village~~

Local Law No. 1 of the year 19 82

A local law Providing for the regulation and the operation of snowmobiles
(Insert title)
on public recreation trails in Clinton County. -

Be it enacted by the Board of Legislators of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

County
~~City~~ of Clinton
~~Town~~
~~Village~~ as follows:

- Section 1. Legislative Intent. The purpose for this Local Law is to establish a fee for admission to and services rendered on County recreation trails and to protect the public health, welfare and safety by regulating the operation of snowmobiles on public recreation trails and places in the County of Clinton in a manner which will be compatible with the use of such trails and public places other than highways for vehicular and pedestrian travel and other uses, and which will promote the safe and proper use of snowmobiles for recreation and commerce and to minimize detrimental effects of such use on the environment.
- Section 2. Definitions.
- (a) The terms, words and phrases used in this Local Law shall have the same meaning as such terms, words and phrases are defined in Section 21.05 of the Parks and Recreation Law of the State of New York.
- (b) "Recreation Trail" shall mean the areas, rights of way, easements and other interests in real property acquired by the County for public use.
- (c) Whenever the word "County" is used herein, it shall mean the County of Clinton.
- Section 3. Operation of Snowmobiles on Clinton County Recreation Trails and other public places. Operation of snowmobiles on County recreation trails shall be subject to the applicable provisions of Title D. Article 21 of the Parks and Recreation Law, the rules and regulations of the Office of Parks and Recreation, the rules and regulations of the Division of Lands and Forests, and the rules, restrictions and conditions set forth in this Local Law.

(If additional space is needed, please attach sheets of the same size as this and number each)

Section 4. Recreation Trails, other than highways.

(a) Subject to the restrictions and conditions of this Local Law and the rules and regulations of the Office of Parks and Recreation, snowmobiles may be operated on or along all recreation trails of the County of Clinton marked and designated as such by the Superintendent of Highways of the County of Clinton and set forth on a map of said trails filed in the office of the Superintendent of Highways.

(b) Except as provided in subdivision "a" of this section, operation of snowmobiles on any other public places of the County is hereby expressly prohibited.

Section 5. Conditions and Restrictions. Whenever the operation of a snowmobile is permitted on recreation trails of Clinton County, the following conditions and restrictions are hereby imposed on all snowmobile operations:

(a) Operating Hours. The County recreation trails shall be open for use during such hours as shall be determined by resolution duly adopted by the Clinton County Board of Legislators. The hours of operation shall be posted at appropriate places along the trails.

(b) Financial Security. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a snowmobile on any County recreation trail unless the owner or operator of such snowmobile is insured against public liability and carries with him proof of financial liability, such as a certificate of liability insurance of the type, coverage and of the minimum amount as defined and required by owners and operators of motor vehicles by the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York. Such proof shall be displayed by the owner or operator of any snowmobile, upon request, to any law enforcement officer or to any person who has suffered or claims to have suffered either personal injury or damage to property as a result of the operation of such snowmobile by any such owner or operator.

(c) Direction of Operation. The operation of snowmobiles on County recreation trails shall be only in the direction, if any, marked by appropriate route direction markers.

(d) Unattended Snowmobiles. It shall be unlawful for any owner or operator to leave or allow a snowmobile to be left unattended on any Court highway, County recreation trail or public place, while the motor is running or with any key for starting the same left in the ignition or elsewhere of said snowmobile.

(e) Obedience to Vehicular Traffic Controls. Each person operating a snowmobile on any County recreation trails shall observe strictly all vehicular traffic signs and signals and all other rules and regulations applicable to vehicular travel and shall obey the orders and directions of any state or local police officer or other law enforcement officer authorized to direct or regulate traffic.

(f) Other Restrictions. No person shall operate a snowmobile on any street, highway or recreation trail or any other public place in Clinton County while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Section 7. Violations. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of this Local Law or the regulations posted and authorized by this Local Law shall be deemed a violation and the violator shall be liable to a fine of not less than Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

Section 8. Separability. If any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision or section of this Local Law shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such portion of this Local Law shall be deemed separate and distinct from the remainder of this Local Law and such judgment shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this Local Law.

Section 9. Effective Date. This Local Law shall take effect immediately.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was put to a roll call vote, which resulted in the following numbers: "Yes" 7; "No" 3.

THE RESOLUTION, therefore, was duly adopted.

(Complete the certification in the paragraph which applies to the filing of this local law and strike out the matter therein which is not applicable.)

1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 1 of 1982.
County
of the ~~City~~ of Clinton was duly passed by the County Legislature
~~Town~~ (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
on January 4 1982 in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval or no disapproval by Elective Chief Executive Officer, * or repassage after disapproval.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 19_____
County
of the ~~City~~ of _____ was duly passed by the _____
~~Town~~ (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
on _____ 19_____ and was approved _____ by the _____
not disapproved _____
repassed after disapproval _____ Elective Chief Executive Officer *
and was deemed duly adopted on _____ 19_____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 19_____
County
of the ~~City~~ of _____ was duly passed by the _____
~~Town~~ (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
on _____ 19_____ and was approved _____ by the _____
not disapproved _____
repassed after disapproval _____ Elective Chief Executive Officer *
on _____ 19_____. Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a
mandatory referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting
permissive ~~general~~
thereon at the special election held on _____ 19_____, in accordance with the appli-
annual
cable provisions of law.

4. (Subject to permissive referendum, and final adoption because no valid petition filed requesting referendum.)

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of the ~~City~~ of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____
~~Town~~ (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
_____ 19_____ and was approved _____ by the _____
not disapproved _____
repassed after disapproval _____ Elective Chief Executive Officer *
_____ 19_____. Such local law being subject to a permissive referendum and no
valid petition requesting such referendum having been filed, said local law was deemed duly adopted on
_____ 19_____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

*Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairman of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village or the supervisor of a town, where such officer is vested with power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 19..... of the City of..... having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of § 36 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the special general election held on 19 became operative.

6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as Local Law No. of 19..... of the County of, State of New York, having been submitted to the Electors at the General Election of November, 19, pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of Section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and of a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph 1 above.

Lrona E Broderick

Clerk of the County legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

Date: 1/14/82

(Seal)

(Certification to be executed by County Attorney, Corporation Counsel, Town Attorney, Village Attorney or other authorized Attorney of locality.)

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF CLINTON

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing local law contains the correct text and that all proper proceedings have been had or taken for the enactment of the local law annexed hereto.

[Signature]
Signature
County Attorney
Title

Date: 1/20/82


County
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~~Village~~

DATE: Feb. 1, 1982

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please be advised that Local Law (s) No. 1
of 1982 of the County of Clinton
was/were received and filed on January 25, 1982.
Additional forms for filing local laws with this office will be
forwarded upon request.

Sincerely yours,


Beatrice S. Frederick
Supervisor of Miscellaneous
State Records

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Clinton County Legislature

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