

**CITY OF JEFFERSON
ORDINANCE NO. 6-22**

**AN ORDINANCE MODIFYING ORDINANCE 265-19 THAT WAS ADOPTED ON
JANUARY 18, 2022**

WHEREAS, the City of Jefferson (the City) has previously adopted several ordinances regulating the use and operation of all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) and utility-terrain vehicles (UTVs), the latest version of which was adopted on January 18, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the City finds that the use of ATVs and UTVs have not been problematic for the safety and well-being of the citizens of the City and, therefore, the use of these vehicles can be expanded as set forth below.

NOW THEREFORE, the Common Council of the City of Jefferson does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 4 – ATV/UTV Routes

A. ATV/UTV usage shall be authorized on all City streets except as follows:

1. No usage on Business State Highway 26 North on Main Street from Puerner Street to North Watertown Avenue/Junction Road.

Section 6 – Speed Limits. All ATV/UTV operators shall observe the posted speed limits on City streets.

Section 8(J) – Groups of 25 or more ATV/UTV operators shall notify the Jefferson Police Department before entering the legal boundaries of the City.

Section 12 – Sunset Provision. Ordinance 265-19 as modified herein shall terminate six months at 11:59 PM after adoption unless extended by the Common Council of the City of Jefferson.

Section 14 – Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect after passage, publication, and attestation as required by law.

Section 15 – Legal Effect. All provisions of the existing 265-19 that are not in conformity herein are hereby repealed. All other provisions are reaffirmed.

First Reading: September 20, 2022

Second Reading: October 4, 2022

Passed By a Vote of 8 to 0.