



**CITY OF BELLE ISLE, FLORIDA
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET**

Meeting Date: September 15, 2020

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From: B. Francis, City Manager

Subject: Ordinance 20-11 Use of Golf Carts

Background: The Council directed the City Staff to draft an ordinance to allow the use of golf carts on City streets. The proposed ordinance was discussed at the August 4, 2020 meeting, changes were made by the Council and incorporated in the new draft which was read for the first time at the August 4th Council Meeting.

The staff is preparing a registration packet with will include an information brochure. We expect this to be done by October 1, 2020. At that time cart owners will be able to have their carts inspected for safety requirements and registered that they have passed the safety requirements. The staff will also contact HOAs with the information. If carts have not been inspected or display the safety inspection sticker, the BIPD will give them a warning and direct them on how to register their carts.

However since the Council is allowing carts on certain streets, the ordinance has to be reviewed by FDOT prior to the use of carts on the sidewalks at Conway.

Staff Recommendation: Discuss the proposed ordinance and make any necessary changes or move to read the ordinance for a second time and adopt it at the next Council Meeting.

Suggested Motion: I move that we read Ordinance 20-11 for the second time and adopt it.

Alternatives: Do not move forward with the ordinance.

Fiscal Impact: TBD based on the number of carts to register.

Attachments: Ordinance 20-11