



AGENDA ITEM ANALYSIS

Project/Issue Name: 24-05 An Ordinance of the City Council Amending Title III, Chapter 300, Section 300.020 (“Definitions”), and Adding New Section 340.125 (“Golf Carts And Utility Task Vehicles”) to Title III, Chapter 340, of the Municipal Code of the City of Republic, Missouri.

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Issue Statement

Proposal of New Ordinance regarding Golf Carts and Utility Task Vehicles; Requirements for Lawful Operation; Prohibited Uses; Special Use Permit Requirements and Penalties.

Amendment to City Code 300.020 Definitions (Adding definitions of “Golf Cart” & “Utility Task Vehicle”/UTV to the Code.

Discussion and/or Analysis

Due to incidents of residents using golf carts and UTVs in Republic neighborhoods, we need an ordinance outlining the use of these vehicles, which we do not currently have. An Ordinance will outline all of the operational information as well as the prohibited uses and allow the department to address issues and complaints as they arise.

Recommended Action

The Police Department recommends the adoption of an Ordinance regarding the Lawful Operation & Prohibited Uses of Golf Carts and Utility Task Vehicles in the City of Republic. We also recommend an amendment to City Code 300.020 Definitions that will add the definitions of these to the Code.