STATE OF WISCONSIN, TOWN OF DRAPER, SAWYER COUNTY ORDINANCE #1-2022 2022 SNOWMOBILE ORDINANCE

SECTION I – This ordinance repeals and supersedes any and all previous snowmobile ordinances in the Town of Draper. The purpose of this ordinance is to establish snowmobile access and routes, and to regulate the operation of snowmobiles as defined in sec. 340.01(58a) Wisconsin Statutes in the Town of Draper.

SECTION II – The town board has the specific authority to adopt this Snowmobile Route Ordinance under s. 350.18, Wis. stats. and general authority under its village powers under s. 60.22, Wis. stats.

SECTION III – "ACCESS" The Town of Draper recognizes the right of persons to operate snowmobiles on town roads from their residence or place of lodging to the nearest snowmobile route or trail, pursuant to the conditions set forth below in Section V of this Ordinance.

SECTION IV – "ROUTES" The following roads are hereby designated snowmobile routes in the town:

- 1. The following Forest Roads within the Town of Draper: FR161, FR162, FR163, FR172, FR311
- 2. The portion of S. Clover Road before it turns west to the south end, known as "Clover Spur;"
- 3. From Tuscobia Trail north following Old Grade Road to GG;
- 4. N. Clover Road from the intersection of Blaisdell Lake Road north to Fishtrap Road, west to the Draper town line;
- 5. Snuss Boulevard from the south intersection with Trail #36 north on Snuss to the intersection with Trail #36;
- 6. Oxbo Dr. from Hwy 70 north to intersection with Trail #36 bridge
- 7. Feleen Road from the Trail #36 bridge north to the intersection with Trail #36

SECTION V - CONDITIONS

- A. Town roads designated as snowmobile routes shall be marked with uniform snowmobile route signs in accordance with s. 350.13, Wis. stats.
- B. Operation shall be subject to all provisions of s. 350.04 (2), Wis. stats., and any other provision of chapter 350, Wis. stats., which is adopted as a part of this ordinance by reference, pursuant to s. 350.18, Wis. stats.
- C. Snowmobiles must be operated in single file on the extreme right hand side of the roadway and travel with the flow of traffic.
- D. Headlights shall be turned on and in working order at all times while operating on the roadway or shoulder.
- E. Snowmobiles must yield right-of-way to other vehicle traffic or pedestrians.
- F. The speed limit shall be 35 miles per hour while operating on all Town of Draper roads or the posted speed limit if lower, and 45 miles per hour on Forest Roads. All snowmobile operators shall slow the vehicle to 10 mph or less when operating within 100 feet of a person or ice fishing shanty, or within 150 feet of a dwelling.
- G. The Town's primary purpose is to maintain the roads to DOT standards for vehicular traffic and safety; reckless operation will result in restrictions to this ordinance.
- H. Operators of snowmobiles travel at their own risk and the Town of Draper will not be liable for damages or injuries to operators of snowmobiles occurring in the Town of Draper.

SECTION VII - The penalties under s. 350.11, Wis. Stats., are adopted and incorporated by reference.

SECTION VIII—If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

SECTION IX – This ordinance is effective on publication or posting.

The town clerk shall properly publish this ordinance as required under s. 60.80, Wis. stats., and mail a copy to the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and to the Sawyer County Sheriff's Department, as required under s. 350.047, Wis. stats.

Adopted this 10th day of October, 2022 by a quorum of supervisors present and voting at a properly noticed Town Board meeting.

Brenda Adler, Chair

_William Heath, First Supervisor

Judy Sobralski, Second Supervisor

I hereby certify that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Draper on this 10th day of October, 2022.

__Elizabeth A. Klein, Clerk, Town of Draper