

ST. JAMES TOWNSHIP, BEAVER ISLAND  
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN  
**Resolution 2023.07.12.23**

**Resolution to Allow Golf Carts to Operate in St James Township in  
accordance with the Michigan Vehicle Code.**

At a regular meeting of the St James Township Board, Charlevoix County, Michigan, July 12, 2023

PRESENT: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

The following resolution was made by \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by  
\_\_\_\_\_

WHEREAS Public Act 491 of 2014, amended the Michigan Vehicle Code, being MCL 257.1 through MCL 257.923 which allows for the limited and regulated use of Golf Carts on public streets and highways; and

WHEREAS under the amended the Michigan Vehicle Code, local units of government may allow for the limited and regulated use of Golf Carts on their public streets and highways under the terms and conditions specified in MCL 257.657a via the adoption of a Resolution; and,

WHEREAS the St James Township Board desires to allow the limited use of Golf Carts on its streets and highways as permitted and regulated by MCL 257.657a; and,

NOW THEREFORE IT RESOLVED: under the conditions contained in the Michigan Vehicle Code, as amended, being 257.657a, St James Township does hereby allow for the use of Golf Carts on the streets and highways of St James Township which conform to the requirements of Public Act 491 of 2014; and,

NOW THEREFORE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: St James Township reserves the right to rescind this approval if in the future it is determined that the limited and regulated use of Golf Carts on the Township's streets and highways has become a safety hazard or is deemed to be a nuisance.

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_

NAYS: \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The above signed, Julie Gillespie, hereby certifies that she is the duly elected and acting clerk of the Township of St James and further certifies that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at a special board meeting of the Township board held on July 12, 2023.