

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING PROTECTIVE HEAD GEAR FOR THE OPERATION OF MOTORCYCLES, MOTOR-DRIVEN CYCLES, MOTORIZED BICYCLES AND ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES OR ALL-TERRAIN CYCLES IN THE CITY OF GOSNELL, ARKANSAS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOSNELL, ARKANSAS:

SECTION I: This ordinance shall apply to all motorcycles, motor-driven cycles in excess of or less than a displacement of two hundred and fifty (250) cubic centimeters, motorized bicycles, whether with or without pedals, and without regard to the motor cylinder capacity, and all-terrain vehicles, including those with three, four or six wheels, being 50 inches or less in width and having a dry weight of 600 lbs. or less, equipped with low pressure tires designed primarily for off-road recreational use, and having an engine displacement of no more than 400 cubic centimeters.

SECTION II: The term "operator" for the purpose of this Ordinance shall be every person who drives or is in actual physical control of the above described motorcycles, motor-driven cycles, motorized bicycles and all-terrain vehicles or cycles.

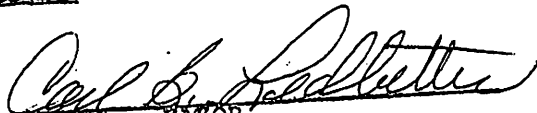
SECTION III: All operators and passengers of motorcycles, motor-driven cycles, motorized bicycles and all-terrain vehicles or cycles are required to wear protective head gear which meets the State requirements for motorcycles.

SECTION IV: Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined a sum of not less than TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00) nor more than ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00).

SECTION V: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION VI: While the City of Gosnell recognizes the Statutes of the State of Arkansas controlling the use of the vehicles described herein, but it is felt necessary that this additional regulation regarding helmets should be added for the health, peace, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Gosnell so an emergency is declared so that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately after its passage.

ADOPTED this 14th day of June, 1988.


MAYOR

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK