

TOWN OF OSCEOLA

Polk County, Wisconsin

CHAPTER 19 ALL-TERRAIN AND UTILITY-TERRAINVEHICLE ROUTE ORDINANCE No. 17-08-02

Amending Chapter 19 All-Terrain and Utility-Terrain Vehicle Route of the Town of Osceola Code of Ordinances Approved 3/15/12, Amended 8/1/17

SECTION 1 – TITLE AND PURPOSE

The title of this ordinance is the Town of Osceola All-Terrain (“ATV”) and Utility-Terrain Vehicle (“UTV”) Route Ordinance. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the previous Chapter 19 ATV Route Ordinance to include UTVs and open up additional roads as ATV and UTV routes in the town.

SECTION II – AUTHORITY

The Town Board of the Town of Osceola, Polk County, Wisconsin, has the specific authority to adopt this ATV/UTV Route Ordinance under Wisconsin Statutes 23.33 (8) (b) and (11).

SECTION III – ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

The Town Board of the Town of Osceola, Polk County, Wisconsin, by this ordinance adopted on proper notice with a quorum and roll call vote by a majority of the town board present and voting, provides the authority for the town to designate ATV/UTV routes in the town and to regulate the use of those ATV/UTV routes in the town.

SECTION IV – OPERATION OF ATV/UTV ROUTES

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 23.33 (4) (d) 4, except as otherwise provided in Wisconsin Statutes 23.33 (4), no person may operate an ATV/UTV on the roadway portion of any highway in the town except on roadways that are designated as ATV/UTV routes by this ordinance. Operation of ATV/UTV on a roadway in the town that is an ATV/UTV route is authorized only for the extreme right side of the roadway except that left turns may be made from any part of the roadway that is safe given prevailing conditions. Except on roadways that are designated as ATV/UTV routes and except for authorized maintenance vehicles and snowmobiles, it shall be unlawful to operate any ATV/UTV on any Town road, or on any public lands and private lands or parking lots held open to the public. The operator shall at all times have written consent of the land owner before operation of such craft or vehicle on private lands.

SECTION VIII – PENALTIES

The penalties under Wisconsin Statutes 23.33 (13) (a) are adopted by reference.

SECTION IX – SEVERABILITY

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 the ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

SECTION X – EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance is effective August 1, 2017 and upon publication or posting.

The town clerk shall properly publish or post this ordinance and attached map as required under s.60.80, Wis. Stats.

Adopted this 1st Day of August 2017

By the Town Board of the Town of Osceola

Doug Schmidt, Chairman

Mike Wallis, Supervisor

Daniel Burch, Supervisor

ATTEST:

Lorraine Rugroden, Clerk-Treasurer

____ Voice Vote
____ Roll Call Vote
____ Yeas: ____ Nays: ____ Absent/Abstain

TOWN OF OSCEOLA ATV/UTV ROUTES

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**ROADS OPEN TO
ATV/UTV USE**

Osceola Town Road

All Town roads in the Town of Osceola limits are designated ATV/UTV routes, with the exclusion of the following roads listed:

Education Ave:
From 248th St. west to Town line

Simmon Dr:
From CTH M south to Town line

**ROADS NOT OPEN TO
ATV/UTV USE**

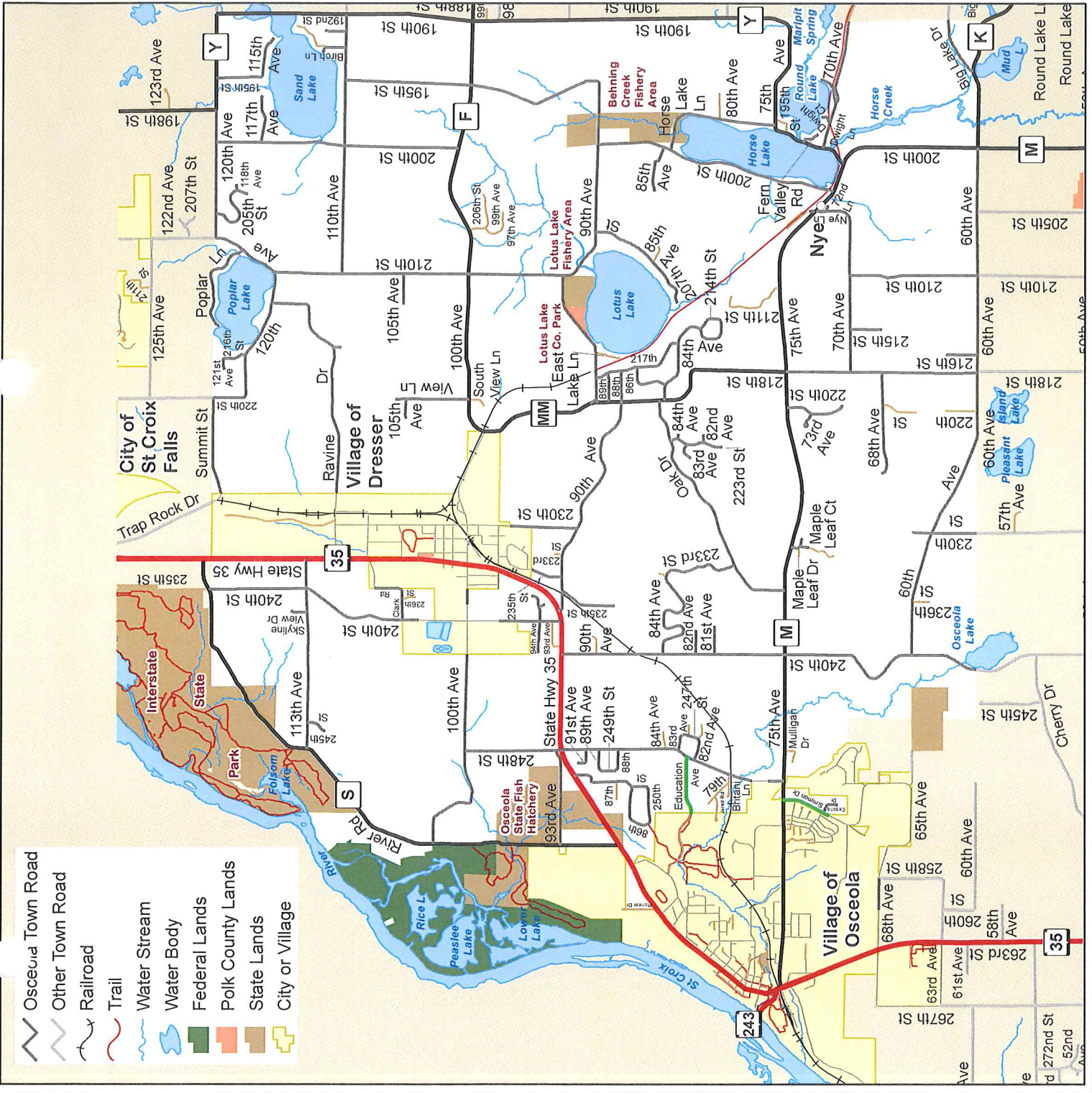
- Osceola Town Road
- State Highway
- County Road
- City/Village Road
- Private Road

NORTH

Mile
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Polk County Dept. of Land Information
Division of Geographic Information Systems
100 Polk County Plaza, Suite 130
Balsam Lake, WI 54810
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www.co.polk.wi.us/landinfo Date: 10/3/2017

This drawing is the result of a compilation and reproduction of land records as they appear in various Polk County Offices. The drawing should be used for reference purposes only. Polk County is not responsible for any inaccuracies herein contained.



- Osceola Town Road
- Other Town Road
- Railroad
- Trail
- Water Stream
- Water Body
- Federal Lands
- Polk County Lands
- State Lands
- City or Village