Motorized Golf Cart Permit Application

Instructions: No person shall operate a motorized golf cart on roadways in the City unless granted a permit under Section 70.02 of the Municipal Code. Registration does not exempt compliance with applicable local, state and federal laws. Return completed form with proof of insurance to the City Clerk at the City of Morristown. Annual permit period of April 1 - March 31.

1. Name (Please Print) ____________________________________________

2. Address______________________________________________________
   (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Day Phone ____________________________ 4. Email _______________________

5. Driver's License # ____________________________ Expiration Date __________

6. Insurance Policy # ____________________________ Expiration Date __________

7. Golf Cart _____________________________________________________
   Make          Model          Year          Serial/VIN#

Motorized Golf Cart Requirements:

☐ A driver's license is required to operate
☐ Insurance
☐ Slow-moving vehicle emblem
☐ Permit sticker

By signing below, I hereby certify under penalties of law that all information is true and correct. I will comply with Ordinance Section 70.02, Motorized Golf Carts of the City of Morristown's Municipal Code and the Statutes of Minnesota.

Applicant’s Signature ____________________________ Date __________

**************FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**************

☐ Permit Fee: $10.00 Date Paid ____________________________

☐ Permit Sticker: 20____-____ Expiration Date ____________________________

Authorized Official Signature ____________________________ Date __________
§ 70.02 OPERATION OF GOLF CARTS.
(A) Operation of motorized golf carts. A driver's license is required to operate motorized golf carts on designated public streets upon obtaining a permit.
(B) Permit required. No person shall operate a motorized golf cart without obtaining a permit as provided herein.
(C) Application. Every application for a permit shall be made on the form supplied by the city and shall contain the following information:
   (1) The name and address of the applicant; and
   (2) Proof of insurance complying with M.S. § 65B.48, as it may be amended from time to time.
(D) Time of operation. Motorized golf carts may only be operated from sunrise to sunset unless equipped with original equipment headlights, taillights, and rear-facing brake lights. They shall not be operated in inclement weather or when visibility is impaired by weather, smoke, fog, or other conditions, or at any time when there is insufficient light to clearly see persons or vehicles on the roadway at a distance of 500 feet.
(E) Slow moving vehicle emblem. Motorized golf carts shall display the slow moving vehicle emblem provided for in M.S. § 169.522, as it may be amended from time to time, when operated on designated roadways.
(F) Intersections. The operator of a motorized golf cart may cross any street or highway intersecting with a designated roadway.
(G) Application of traffic laws. Every person operating a motorized golf cart under permit on designated roadways has all the rights and duties applicable to the driver of any other vehicle under the provisions of M.S. Ch. 169, as it may be amended from time to time, except when these provisions cannot reasonably be applied to motorized golf carts and except as otherwise specifically provided in division (H) below.
(H) Applicable state laws. The provisions in M.S. Ch. 171, as it may be amended from time to time, are not applicable to persons operating motorized golf carts under permit on designated roadways pursuant to this section. Except for the requirements of M.S. § 169.70, as it may be amended from time to time, the provisions of M.S. Ch. 169, as it may be amended from time to time, relating to equipment on vehicles is not applicable to motorized golf carts.
(I) Annual renewal; permit fee. Permits granted pursuant to this section shall be for a period of 1 year, April 1-March 31, and may be renewed annually. The fee for a permit shall be set by the City Council as part of the annual fee resolution.
(J) Revocation of permit. A permit may be revoked at any time by the Sheriffs Department if there is evidence that the permittee cannot safely operate the motorized golf cart on designated roadways.
(K) Operation. Motorized golf carts shall be operated, at all times, as close to the right-hand curb as possible, except when the driver is making a left-hand turn.
(L) Highways; sidewalks; trails. No person shall operated a motorized golf cart on a public sidewalk or trail, nor on a state or county highway.

Permit Sticker - front driver's side fender