

The Township of Hamilton, Warren County, Ohio Board of Trustees met in regular session on June 3, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at Hamilton Township, Warren County, Ohio, with the following Trustees present:

Mark Sousa– Trustee, *Chair*  
Darryl Cordrey – Trustee, *Vice Chair*  
Joseph P. Rozzi – Trustee

Mr. Sousa presented the following Resolution and moved its adoption:

**HAMILTON TOWNSHIP, WARREN COUNTY, OHIO  
RESOLUTION NUMBER 26-0603A**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE USE OF UNDER-SPEED GOLF CARTS ON  
PUBLIC STREETS AND HIGHWAYS WITHIN HAMILTON TOWNSHIP,  
WARREN COUNTY, OHIO**

**WHEREAS**, Ohio Revised Code Section 4511.214 authorizes local authorities to permit and regulate the operation of under-speed vehicles, including golf carts, on public streets and highways within their jurisdiction;

**WHEREAS**, Ohio Revised Code Section 4511.215(B) permits local authorities to establish additional requirements governing the operation of such vehicles on township roadways; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees of Hamilton Township recognizes the increased use of golf carts within the community and the desire of residents to operate them legally on certain township roadways;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Hamilton Township, Warren County, Ohio, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** *Authorization.* The operation of under-speed vehicles, as defined by Ohio Revised Code Section 4511.214(A), including golf carts, is hereby authorized on any public street, road, or highway within Hamilton Township where the posted speed limit is twenty-five (25) miles per hour or less, provided the operator complies with all applicable provisions of the Ohio Revised Code and this Resolution.

**SECTION 2.** *Driver and Vehicle Requirements.* All operators of golf carts authorized under this Resolution shall:

- A. Possess a valid driver's license; and
- B. Operate the vehicle in accordance with all applicable traffic laws; and

- C. Ensure the vehicle is properly registered, insured (if required), and compliant with Ohio law.

**SECTION 3.** *Inspection Requirements.* All golf carts operated pursuant to this Resolution shall:

- A. Successfully complete an inspection in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 4513.02; and
- B. Meet all safety standards required by the Ohio Department of Public Safety prior to operation.

**SECTION 4.** *Additional Safety Requirements.* Pursuant to the authority granted under Ohio Revised Code Section 4511.215(B), Hamilton Township establishes the following additional requirements:

- A. Each vehicle shall be equipped with two functioning rear taillights;
- B. Each vehicle shall be equipped with two functioning brake lights; and
- C. All required lighting shall comply with the applicable provisions of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 5.** *Compliance.* All golf carts operated under this Resolution must comply with:

- A. All applicable sections of the Ohio Revised Code;
- B. All state and local traffic laws; and
- C. Any additional safety regulations promulgated by the Township.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that all formal actions of the Board of Trustees concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board, and that all deliberations of the Board of Trustees that resulted in this formal action occurred in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

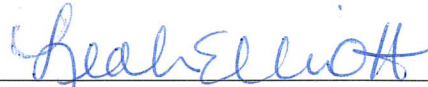
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Resolution shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

Mr. Cordrey seconded the Resolution and the following being called upon the question of its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Darryl Cordrey –	Aye <u>✓</u>	Nay _____
Joe Rozzi –	Aye <u>✓</u>	Nay _____
Mark Sousa –	Aye <u>✓</u>	Nay _____

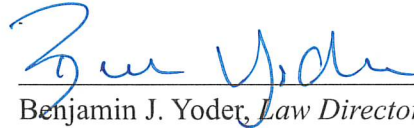
Resolution adopted this 3rd day of June, 2026.

Attest:



Leah M. Elliott, *Fiscal Officer*

Approved as to form:




Benjamin J. Yoder, *Law Director*

I, Leah M. Elliott, Fiscal Officer of Hamilton Township, Warren County, Ohio, hereby certify that this is a true and accurate copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the Board on June 3, 2026.

Date:

6/3/2026



Leah M. Elliott, *Fiscal Officer*