

**SOUTHBRIDGE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION**

**UNLICENSED VEHICLE REGISTRATION**

**VEHICLE INFORMATION**

Registration Number Assigned: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Vehicle: \_\_\_\_\_ Gas/Electric: \_\_\_\_\_

Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ Serial #: \_\_\_\_\_

Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Passengers: \_\_\_\_\_

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**OWNER INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the Southbridge Homeowners Association Community Rules and Regulations applicable to Unlicensed Vehicles and have familiarized myself with its conditions and requirements.

Signature of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ASSOCIATION INFORMATION**

Registration Number Assigned: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Southbridge Homeowners Association  
Community Rules and Regulations

Unlicensed Vehicles

A. Definition:

1. Unlicensed Vehicles – Every electric or gasoline self-propelled motor vehicle (other than an electric personal assistive mobility device) which is not required to be registered and licensed by the State of Georgia for operation upon a highway in the state. The definition includes, but is not limited to, motorized scooters, mopeds, golf carts, other motorized carts and unlicensed low speed motor vehicles. Golf carts and other unlicensed vehicles owned by the Southbridge Golf Club are excluded from the Registration provisions; and from Operation provisions while those golf carts and unlicensed vehicles are operating on its privately-maintained property and cart paths.

B. Registration:

1. Every unlicensed vehicle within the community of Southbridge must be registered with the Southbridge Business Manager and display the assigned registration stickers and vehicle number.

2. Registration is required within 10 days of the date of purchase or before operation on the roads of the community of Southbridge.

3. Proof of liability insurance is not required for registration. Owners of unlicensed vehicles are strongly encouraged to obtain liability insurance as a significant liability could arise should their unlicensed vehicle be involved in an accident.

C. Operation:

1. Unlicensed vehicles should be operated with the same caution and care as exercised in operating a motor vehicle. Owners of unlicensed vehicles can be held criminally and civilly for acts committed on unlicensed vehicles.

2. All operators of unlicensed vehicles must possess a valid driver's license in compliance with Georgia state law for operating a motor vehicle. Violations on an unlicensed vehicle can affect the driver's license of the operator.

3. All operators of unlicensed vehicles on every road within the community of Southbridge are subject to the "Uniform Rules of the Road" which may be found in the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, Sections 40-6-1 through 40-6-397. Contents of the Code can be found on the internet at: <http://www.lexis-nexis.com/hottopics/gacode/default.asp>.

4. The speed limit on every road within the community of Southbridge, unless otherwise posted, is 25 MPH.

5. Unlicensed vehicles are not permitted to be operated on any sidewalks within the community of Southbridge or on the private cart paths owned by the Southbridge Golf Club.

6. Unlicensed vehicles should stay as near as possible to the right edge of the road while in motion and must yield to licensed motor vehicles, pedestrians and bicycles in their path.

7. All persons must be seated on a seating surface of the unlicensed vehicle while the unlicensed vehicle is in motion to avoid injury from falling or being thrown from the unlicensed vehicle.

8. Unlicensed vehicles cannot be driven earlier than 30 minutes before sunrise and later than 30 minutes before sunset without functional headlights and taillights being lit.

9. Accidents involving unlicensed vehicles, property damage resulting from their operation, reckless driving, underage operation and other dangerous situations should be reported immediately to the Savannah-Chatham Metropolitan Police by dialing 9-1-1.