



## RM of Marquis No. 191

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Dear Residents of South Lake:

We are reaching out to remind everyone about the importance of adhering to trespassing laws, particularly concerning the use of ATVs on private property within our municipality.

Recent observations have noted an increase in ATV activity on fields and pastures without the consent of landowners. It is crucial to understand that entering private property without permission is considered trespassing, which is a violation of the law.

### Important Points to Consider:

- 1. Legal Consequences:** Trespassing can result in fines and legal actions against individuals who do not respect property boundaries. We encourage all residents to familiarize themselves with local laws regarding trespassing.
- 2. Impact on Local Agriculture:** Many farms in our area depend on their land for their livelihood. Unauthorized ATV use can lead to damage to crops, disrupt livestock, and create safety hazards, posing significant challenges for farmers and landowners.
- 3. Respect for Property Rights:** It is essential to seek permission before entering private property. Building respectful relationships with landowners is vital for maintaining community harmony.

Thank you for your attention to this important issue. By working together to respect private property, we can create a safer and more respectful environment for all. We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Bob Purtill, Reeve

RM of Marquis No. 191 Council