



# POLICE DEPARTMENT

BOROUGH OF SURF CITY

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Chief of Police

## BEACH BUGGY RULES

*ORDINANCE 19-2.6*

- a. Every person desiring to operate a motor vehicle on the strand of ocean beach of the Borough shall first register the same with the Surf City Police Dept. and upon payment of the twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars fee shall be issued a permit, which will be effective from September of the current year to May of the next year.
- b. No vehicle, except Municipal, State or Federal vehicles shall be operated on the strand or beachfront during the period from the fourth Saturday in May to the third Saturday in September.
- c. No vehicle shall be operated on the strand or beachfront at a speed in excess of twenty (20) miles per hour.
- d. Only motor vehicles properly registered and licensed to drive on the public highways of the State of New Jersey and equipped with four-wheel drive and used for the purpose of sport fishing shall be permitted on the strand or beachfront.
- e. No permitted vehicle shall be operated on the sand dunes, and all permitted vehicles shall obtain access to the beachfront from the public streets only at places specifically designed by the Police Department.
- f. All permitted vehicles shall be required to maintain a reasonable distance from congested bathing beaches or other areas where bathers, and fishermen or others using the beach are present.
- g. No rubbish, debris or litter of any sort shall be discarded from any vehicle while being operated on the ocean beach.
- h. No vehicles shall be operated on the beachfront at night without adequate lights.
- i. Every vehicle being operated on the beach shall be operated in a safe, reasonable and careful manner at all times so as not to endanger the lives and safety of other persons using the beachfront.

**Surf City Beach Buggy Permits are only valid in Surf City.**

**Surf City boundaries are; South 3<sup>RD</sup> street thru North 25<sup>TH</sup> street**

**Beach Access Streets are 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, and 18<sup>th</sup>.**

**Don't forget to let some air out of your tires.**

**Please drive carefully and safely.**

**Please take your trash with you, help us keep the beaches clean!**