

Snowmobile Operator's Code of Ethics

I will be a good enthusiast. I recognize that people judge all snowmobile owners by my actions. I will use my influence with other snowmobile owners to promote fair conduct.

I will not litter on trails or camping areas. I will not pollute streams or lakes.

I will not damage living trees, shrubs or other natural features. I will go out only when there is sufficient snow so that I will not damage the land.

I will respect other people's property and rights.

I will lend a helping hand when I see someone in distress.

I will make myself and my vehicle available to search and rescue parties.

I will not interfere with or harass hikers, skiers, snowshoers, ice anglers or other winter sports enthusiasts. I will respect their rights to enjoy our recreation facilities.

I will know and obey all federal, state, and local rules regulating the operation of snowmobiles in areas where I use my vehicle. I will inform public officials when using public lands.

I will not harass wildlife. I will avoid areas posted for the protection or feeding of wildlife.

I will stay on marked trails or marked roads open to snowmobiles. I will not snowmobile where prohibited.

Snowmobilers!

Stumps, rocks, or other hazards may be present on all trails or areas. Some trails are not maintained, packed or groomed. Drive with caution.

Group travel is advised for safety. Let someone know your route and destination.

Operate snowmobiles at safe speeds and always be prepared to stop within one half of visible distance

Yield to pedestrians and skiers.

Avoid traveling on designated ski trails.

Snowmobile at your own risk.