ORDINANCE

Initiated By:
Crawford County Highway Committee

Submitted By:
Crawford County Highway Committee

Drafted By:
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Corporation Counsel

Date Drafted:
July 17, 2014

AN ORDINANCE CREATING SECTION 7.09 OF THE CRAWFORD COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATING TO HIGHWAY WEIGHT LIMITS

WHEREAS, 2013 Wisconsin Act 377 under Section 348.15(9)(f)(1) Wis. Stats. provides that there is no weight limitation per wheel, axle, or group of axles for Category B implements of husbandry as defined in Section 340.01(24)(a)(1)(b), but does apply gross vehicle weight limitations on these vehicles; and,

WHEREAS, Section 348.15(9)(f)(2) authorizes Crawford County to require compliance with axle weight limitations established under Section 348.15(3)(g) for Category B implements of husbandry as defined in Section 340.01(24)(a)(1)(b) on all highways under its jurisdiction; and,

WHEREAS, Crawford County desires to provide that the highways under its jurisdiction are properly maintained,

NOW THEREFORE, the Crawford County Board of Supervisors do ordain as follows:

Section 1: That Crawford County Ordinance Number 7.09 is hereby created to read as follows:

"7.09 MAXIMUM WEIGHT LIMITS ON COUNTY HIGHWAYS FOR IMPLEMENTS OF HUSBANDRY AND AGRICULTURAL COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES.

1. All Implements of Husbandry (including Category B implements of husbandry) and all Agricultural Commercial Motor Vehicles, as those terms are defined by Chapter 340 of the Wisconsin Statutes, may not exceed the weight limits imposed on Crawford County Highways by Section 348.15(3)(g) Wis. Stats."
2. An annual or consecutive month no-fee permit to exceed the length and/or weight limitations on the highways under its jurisdiction may be applied for from the Crawford County Highway Department. The Crawford County Highway Department shall review and grant or deny each no-fee permit application in accordance with Section 348.27(19) Wis.Stats.

Section II: This Ordinance shall become effective in 2015 after its passage and publication as required by law.

Dated this ___ day of August, 2014.

Tom Cornford, Chairman
David Olson
Wade Dull

Gerald Krachey
Henry Esser

Passed and approved this 19th day of August, 2014.

Peter Flesch
County Board Chairman

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Geisler
County Clerk