ORDINANCE NO. 09-2014

TOWN OF YORKVILLE
RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN

AN ORDINANCE TO OPT-IN FOR CATEGORY B IMPLEMENTS OF HUSBANDRY TO COMPLY WITH THE TABLE OF STATUTORY WEIGHT LIMITS UNDER WISCONSIN STATUTES SECTION 348.15(3)(g)

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

WHEREAS, Wisconsin Statutes Section 348.15(9)(f)1. authorizes the municipality to require compliance with axle weight limitations established under Wisconsin Statutes Section 348.15(3)(g) for Category B implements of husbandry defined in Wisconsin Statutes Section 340.01(24)(a)1.b. on all highways under its jurisdiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, by the Town Board of the Town of Yorkville, Racine County, Wisconsin, that, pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes Section 348.15(9)(f), all implements of husbandry (including Category B implements of husbandry defined in Wisconsin Statutes Section 340.01(24)(a)1.b.) may not exceed the weight limits imposed by Wisconsin Statutes Section 348.15(3)(g), and

FURTHER, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that, to exceed the length and/or weight limitations on highways under this jurisdiction, a no-fee permit may be applied for from the Town of Yorkville, and

FURTHER, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that, pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes Section 348.27(19)(b)4ma., in the event an application for a no-fee permit is made for a Category B implement of husbandry as defined in Wisconsin Statutes Section 340.01(24)(a)1.b., the Town of Yorkville is required to provide an approved alternate route, which may include highways that are not under its jurisdiction, if prior approval has been given by the jurisdiction over the alternate routes not under the Town of Yorkville’s jurisdiction for operation of Category B implements of husbandry, as defined in Wisconsin Statutes Section 340.01(24)(a)1.B, and

FURTHER, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that this ordinance shall remain in effect until rescinded by further action of the Town Board of the Town of Yorkville, Racine County, Wisconsin, and

FURTHER, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that the Clerk-Treasurer is hereby directed to provide a copy of this ordinance to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for posting on the Wisconsin Department of Transportation website, and

FURTHER, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that the Clerk-Treasurer is hereby directed to publish a summary of this ordinance within thirty days of its adoption, as required by Wisconsin Statutes 60.80(1), and

FURTHER, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that this ordinance take effect the day following its posting on the Wisconsin Department of Transportation website and its publication.

Adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Yorkville, Racine County, Wisconsin, this 22nd day of December, 2014.

Ayes: 3
Nays: 0
Abstentions: 0

By: Peter L. Hansen, Chairperson

Attest: Michael McKinney, Clerk-Treasurer

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