

**CITY OF FORT WAYNE RIGHT OF WAY DEPARTMENT**  
**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO TRANSPORT OVERSIZE OR OVERWEIGHT VEHICLES AND**  
**OBJECTS OVER CITY OF FORT WAYNE ROADS**

The City of Fort Wayne Public Works,  
 Fort Wayne, Indiana

Date \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby make application for a permit to transport the following described oversize or overweight vehicles or other objects over the local roads, indicated below. (If the vehicles or other objects are to be transported over state highways or county roads, permission must be obtained from the proper state highway or county authorities.)

**DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLES**

Type of Vehicles \_\_\_\_\_

*(Truck, Truck and Trailer, Tractor and Semi-Trailer, etc.)*

**Truck**

Make of Truck \_\_\_\_\_ License No. \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Trailer**

Make of Semi-Trailer \_\_\_\_\_ License No. \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

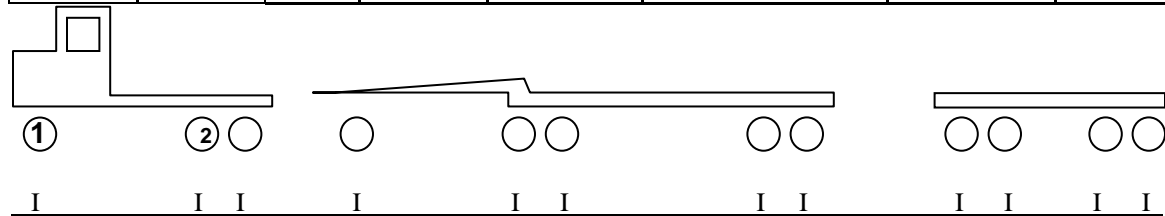
The overall dimensions of above vehicles including the load or objects to be transported are:

Length \_\_\_\_\_ ft \_\_\_\_\_ in. Width \_\_\_\_\_ ft \_\_\_\_\_ in. Height \_\_\_\_\_ ft \_\_\_\_\_ in.

Weight of Empty Vehicle \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. Number of Trips \_\_\_\_\_ Miles per Trip \_\_\_\_\_

Gross Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Total Length of Haul in Fort Wayne \_\_\_\_\_ Miles

| DISTANCE BETWEEN AXLES In Foot and Inches | Axle No. (See Note) | Number Wheels on Each Axle | Pneumatic or Solid Tires | Manufacturer's Rated Width of Each Tire | Total Width In Inches of All Tires on Each Axle | Total Weight on Each Axle in Pounds | Pounds per Inch Width of Tire Measured Between Flanges of Rim |
|---|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|---|
|   | 1                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 2                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 3                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 4                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 5                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 6                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 7                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 8                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 9                   |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |
|   | 10                  |                            |                          |   |   |                                     |   |



(Insert Distance between axles)

The above vehicles loaded with \_\_\_\_\_, weighing \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.  
(Give Model No. and Capacity of shovel, crane or other heavy equipment \_\_\_\_\_)

Are to be transported from (give origin of load) \_\_\_\_\_

To (give destination) \_\_\_\_\_ over the following route(s): \*

**List Each Road Traveled within limits from interstate or highway to destination**

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

If Applicable, over Allen County Bridges: (To be verified by Permit Department) \*\* See Provisions \*\*

Road Name \_\_\_\_\_ Bridge No. \_\_\_\_\_

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The above vehicles will not be operated on the City Roads at a speed greater than \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour

Charge: \$65.00, Per Fort Wayne Code of Ordinances 99.009 Fee Required on All Permits except Mobile Homes House Trailers (10' or less in width) – Make check Payable to City of Fort Wayne.

It is necessary to transport the above vehicles and loads over City Streets for the following reasons: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\*It is understood that if this permit is granted it will apply only to City Roads and not State Highway or County Roads. County Permit may be required from Allen County Highway Department – 260-449-7369  
NOTE: The applicant may secure application blanks from the Public Works, Permit Department. The application, properly filled out should then be submitted to the City of Fort Wayne Permit Office.

## GENERAL PROVISIONS

**A minimum of seventy-two (72) hours** will be required for application review prior to approval and acceptance of permit.

- a. 72 hours may be required to perform an Engineering Analysis for loads exceeding weight limits over Allen County Highway Department maintained bridges. If an Engineering Analysis is required, the applicant may be responsible for the costs associated with the study to be confirmed by the Allen County Highway Department Permits Office.
- (1) At no time will traffic be blocked from use of the city road unless special conditions have been described and approved. Said vehicles will be operated in such a manner as to impede traffic in the least possible manner. Watchmen will be furnished, if required, to direct traffic around vehicles or objects. Said vehicles or objects will not be left parked on the traveled portion of the roadway either night or day unless specific permission is granted by the Public Works Permit Department or Local Public Authority (LPA).
    - (a) It is determined that said vehicles or loads start moving on \_\_\_\_\_ Expiring \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, And will not be on the above county roads more than \_\_\_\_\_ hours. (Period for moving extra heavy or large loads will be limited to 10 days)
    - (b) It is desired that permission be granted to operate these vehicles for the maximum period of thirty (30) days beginning \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_. \*(See below, (7) Special Provisions.)
  - (2) If this application to move vehicle or loads over the above city roads is granted, the applicant hereby assumes responsibility for any damage to property or persons caused directly or indirectly by the transportation of said loads under the proposed permit. The applicant further agrees to hold The City of Fort Wayne harmless from all suits, claims; damages or proceedings of any kind as a direct or indirect result of the transportation of said vehicles or loads.
  - (3) In the event that it is necessary to remove any buildings, railings or other structures from the road, or in the event that any building, railings or other structures are damaged on account of the transportation of said vehicles, then the cost of removal, damage and replacement of said buildings, railings or other structures shall be borne by the applicant to the satisfaction of Local Public Agency responsible for ownership.
  - (4) The applicant further agrees that the equipment, load or object to be transported will not be loaded or unloaded from the vehicle or vehicles within the traveled limits of the road without the specific permission from the Public Works Permit Department.
  - (5) The applicant further agrees to furnish the City of Fort Wayne, upon request, with an acceptable bond or other security to cover any damage that might occur to roads, bridges, or structures which might be caused by the transportation of said vehicles or objects under the proposed permit. The applicant further agrees to furnish the City of Fort Wayne, upon request, with a financial statement of said applicant.
  - (6) Special provisions: The mover and/or owner of said vehicle and/or load will be held responsible for necessary flagging of traffic. If by reason of weather conditions, narrow bridges (bridges less than 20' in width or if load protrudes over the center line of the bridge), limit of visibility or any other reason that transportation of said vehicle and/or load creates a traffic hazard, two (2) flagmen shall be required as long as said hazard exists. One flagman shall be placed not less than 500' nor more than 600' in front of said vehicle and/or load and another spaced the same distance to the rear of said vehicle and/or load being moved is more than 12' in width or 70' in length, two (2) flagmen shall be furnished at all times and spaced as indicated heretofore. EXCEPT FOR THE MOVEMENT OF STEEL AND CONCRETE BEAMS, SEE SPECIAL PROVISIONS, ADOPTED DEC. 7, 1961.  
\*Said vehicles will not be on City Streets during hours of darkness.
- Said vehicles will not be on Public Roads on Sunday or the following legal holidays. NEW YEAR'S DAY, MEMORIAL DAY, INDEPENDENCE DAY, LABOR DAY, THANKSGIVING DAY OR CHRISTMAS DAY.
- There shall be no movements under special permits from 12:00 noon the day before a holiday until 12:00 noon the day after a holiday and/or (A long holiday weekend.) Other added restrictions may be imposed around any of these holidays. Said vehicle will be marked with six red flags. Four of these will be placed as near to each corner of said vehicle as possible, and one on each side at mid or widest point. These flags shall be in good condition, plain red with no figures, with a minimum size of 16" square and shall be placed so that they can be clearly seen by approaching traffic. Said vehicle must be marked on front and rear of said vehicle or load with a sign reading "OVERSIZE LOAD". The sign must be at least 18" wide, at least 6' and not over 8' long. The size of letters will be 12", red on white background.
- This application date does not apply to any Public Roads or Bridges that are closed for construction purposes, or to any roads or bridges that are posted for a gross load limit less than the gross load of vehicles and load described in this application; nor to any State Highways or County Road.
- Said vehicle will be driven at a slow speed so as to cause the least amount of impact to the pavement.

Approved:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Right of Way Department

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Engineer of Permits, Traffic Department

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Allen County Highway Department

Applicant's Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Company or Firm

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Street or Mailing Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
 City or Town and State

By \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signature)

Title \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE**

It is not contemplated to promiscuously grant permits for the exceeding of the regular limitations prescribed by law in Acts of Indiana Legislature when other reasonable means of transporting the heavy loads are available. It is very clearly the intent of the law to grant such permits only in special cases where it is impractical, if not absolutely impossible, to comply with the specified limitations in the law. Such permits would be considered proper for the hauling of unusually long or wide articles such as telephone poles, individual pieces of machinery, moving of small buildings, etc.; or the hauling of heavy loads for short distances where other means of transportation is not available. The requests to move buildings or any unreasonably large equipment or object on the main heavily traveled highways may be refused where such movement will seriously interfere with traffic for any great length of time. Permits will not be issued for the hauling of heavy loads or extra long or wide loads when such loads can be reasonably subdivided into smaller units complying, or more nearly complying, with the restrictions set out in the law.

**ADDITIONAL APPLICATION INFORMATION**

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