

ERIE COUNTY, OHIO - HAULING PERMIT (419) 625-9622 - fax

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This Hauling Permit authorizes the movement of the below listed vehicle or vehicles that exceed maximum weight and/or size parameters of said vehicle(s) or load(s) as specified in ORC sections 5577.01 to 5577.09, or otherwise not in conformity with ORC sections 4513.01 to 4513.37. This permit does not authorize travel on State Routes or the Ohio Turnpike.

Permit # _____ Fee \$ _____ Date Paid: _____ Receipt # _____

Permit Valid From _____ to _____

Hauling Permit Issued To: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Movement/Hauling is authorized in respect to roadways in the jurisdiction(s) indicated below:

County Highways: _____ Roadways under the jurisdiction of the Erie County Engineer,

Village Roadways: _____ Bay View, _____ Berlin Heights, _____ Castalia

Township Highways: _____ Berlin, _____ Florence, _____ Groton, _____ Huron, _____ Margaretta, _____ Milan, _____ Oxford, _____ Perkins, _____ Vermilion, _____ Various Township Highways

City Streets: _____ City of Sandusky

NOTICE - Authorization to move Overweight, Over Dimensional or Non-Conforming vehicles/loads on roadways under the jurisdiction(s) of: the City of Huron, the City of Vermilion, the Village of Kelley's Island or the Village of Milan must be requested from the particular local authority with respect to roadways under their jurisdiction.

Movement/Hauling is authorized in excess of: _____ Posted Weight Limits (Vehicle's GVW and axle(s) weights = Legal)

_____ Width (Over 8'6" Wide but Less than 13 feet Wide) _____ Width (13 feet or more Wide) Overall Width = _____

_____ Length (Over Legal but Less than 90 feet Long) _____ Length (90 feet or more Long) Overall Length = _____

_____ Height (In excess of 13 feet 6 inches High) Overall Height = _____

_____ *GVW in excess of 80,000 pounds or Axle/Axle Combinations in excess of State of Ohio maximum limits

Description of Cargo/Load: _____

Authorized Route(s): _____

Table with 5 columns: Year, Make, License #, Notes/Empty Weight, # of Axles. Contains 5 rows of blank lines for data entry.

_____ List of _____ Additional Vehicles Attached

No weights (Gross, Axle, Axle Combinations) may exceed maximum Weight Ratings (GVWR, GAWR) for said vehicles.

_____ hereby agrees to pay the cost of repairing any and all damages caused to the highways or structures by reason of the above mentioned hauling, agrees to hold the Permitting Authority, Erie County Commissioners, the Erie County Engineer, the Local Authority with jurisdiction over said roadway and all other government entities harmless from all liability. It is further agreed that ANY vehicle being operated under the authority of this permit must have current automobile insurance and be covered by a minimum of \$500,000.00 Property Damage Liability Insurance.

This permit is granted subject to the conditions, restrictions and limitations of Sections 5577.01 - 5577.12 of the Ohio Revised Code and all provisions contained herein. Any alteration of this permit invalidates it.

A copy of this permit is required to be carried in each vehicle covered by this permit and must be provided to any legal authority upon request.

PERMISSION IS HEREBY GRANTED FOR DELIVERY PURPOSES ONLY AND NOT FOR THRU TRAFFIC

Permit Authorized By: _____ Requested By: _____
Erie County Engineer or Authorized Designee Company or Individual

Signature: _____

Special Conditions _____

**ADDITIONAL LIMITATIONS/PROVISIONS REGARDING ISSUANCE OF THIS PERMIT &
THE TRANSPORTATION/MOVEMENT OF OVERSIZE LOADS**

1. Issuance of this permit only authorizes movement on highways under control of the local authority(s) of Erie County specified on this permit. Permission to travel on State Routes, The Ohio Turnpike, or any other roadway not covered by this permit, must be obtained from the proper authorities.
2. **Hauler is responsible** for checking all routes prior to movement of permitted load to ensure that the movement of the vehicle/load can be completed safely. This includes verification, from the bridge owner, that the permitted load can safely travel over all ODOT or Ohio Turnpike bridges located on the county or township highway or municipal streets.
3. No vehicle(s) or load being moved under the authority of this permit shall be left parked on the roadway either day or night except in the case of an emergency, in which case adequate protection shall be provided for the traveling public. The vehicle(s) shall not be loaded or unloaded within the roadway's lanes of travel unless prior authorization is granted and specified in the "Special Conditions" section of this permit.
4. The operator of the vehicle must comply with all laws, rules, or regulations covering the movement of traffic over highways and streets.

WARNING FLAGS AND SIGNS

1. Warning flags shall be 18 inches square, red or orange in color, in good repair and free of printing or other markings. Flags shall be securely fastened by at least one corner or securely mounted on a staff.
2. Warning flags shall be displayed on all over dimensioned vehicles and loads.
3. Over width vehicles and loads shall bear two flags at the widest extremities of the load as well as one flag at each corner of the vehicle or load. Warning flags are not required to be displayed on the tractor (power unit).
4. Over length vehicles and loads or vehicles and loads with a rear overhang of 4 feet or greater shall display a single flag at the extreme rear if the over length or projecting part is two feet wide or less. Two flags shall be displayed if the over length or projecting portion is wider than two feet and the flags should be located to indicate maximum width.
5. Warning signs, when required, shall read "OVERSIZE LOAD" and shall be at least 7 feet long and 18 inches high. The signs background shall be yellow. The letters (OVERSIZE LOAD) shall be black and at least 10 inches high with a minimum 1.41inch brush stroke.
6. OVERSIZE LOAD signs shall be displayed on any vehicle or vehicle/load exceeding the maximum legal length limit as set in the Ohio Revised Code, Section 5577.05
7. OVERSIZE LOAD signs shall be displayed on any vehicle or vehicle/load with an overall width of 10 feet or greater.
8. OVERSIZE LOAD signs shall be displayed on any vehicle or vehicle/load with an overall height in excess of 14 feet 6 inches.
9. OVERSIZE LOAD signs, when required, shall be displayed on the front and rear of the over dimensioned vehicle or vehicle/load.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR VEHICLES OR VEHICLE/LOAD COMBINATIONS THAT EXCEED STATE MAXIMUM WEIGHT LIMITS

1. Permits will not generally be issued for a vehicle or load that exceeds maximum weight limits as specified in Sections 5577.02 through Section 5577.05 of the Ohio Revised Code if said vehicle or load can be reasonably reduced to its least overweight configuration. Any item, object or component that the permit applicant requests to be carried on a permitted vehicle that is contrary to the prior sentence must be specifically addressed and listed in the Special Conditions section of this permit. If an Ohio Department Of Transportation (ODOT) hauling permit is issued authorizing movement of this same vehicle/load, no weights or dimensions authorized by that permit may be exceeded on any roadways authorized by this permit. Conditions, in addition to those contained on the ODOT permit, may be imposed before movement is authorized on roadways specified on this permit.

2. The following information must be provided before authorization will be granted to move any vehicle or vehicle/load combination that exceeds State of Ohio Maximum Weight Limits:

Gross Vehicle Weight: _____ lbs. ODOT Permit # (if issued for same vehicle & load): _____
If applicable: _____ _____ _____ _____ lbs.
 DESCRIPTION (Ex: Excavator) MAKE MODEL WEIGHT

3. Any single axle load shall not exceed 20,000 lbs. unless authorized and listed in the special condition section.
**** Any movement of a vehicle/load that is 10 (ten) feet or more wide is prohibited on any roadway covered by this permit from sunset to sunrise.**
***** Any load with an overall height in excess of 13 feet 6 inches shall be required to coordinate the move with the owners of all overhead signs, signals, utilities, etc., which may obstruct safe, clear movement.**

4. **Permits issued in conjunction with an ODOT approved permit are considered single trip only, unless stipulated otherwise by Erie County.**

NON-COMPLIANCE WITH ANY PROVISION OF THIS PERMIT, EXCEEDING VEHICLE AND/OR AXLE WEIGHTS OR DIMENSIONS GRANTED OR THE COMMISSION OF ANY VIOLATION FOR OFFENSES THAT ARE RELEVANT TO THE SAFE MOVEMENT OF A COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE (for example (but not limited to), Speed, Reckless Operation, OVI, Improper Lane Change, etc.) SHALL RENDER THE PERMIT NULL AND VOID AT THE TIME OF NON-COMPLIANCE AND THE VEHICLE WILL BE DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN "UNPERMITTED MOVEMENT" AT THAT TIME. ANY AUTHORIZATION GRANTED BY THE ISSUANCE OF THIS PERMIT IS REVOKED AT ANY TIME THE VEHICLE IS ENGAGED IN UNPERMITTED MOVEMENT.

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