

TOWN OF HIGHLAND
Douglas County, Wisconsin

ROAD DESTRUCTION ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE TO REGULATE ANY PERSONS FROM OBSTRUCTION OR DAMAGING TOWN ROADS OR ROAD RIGHT OF WAYS IN THE PROCESS OF HAULING OF RAW FOREST PRODUCTS AND OVERWEIGHT EQUIPMENT.

Section I: Purpose

The purpose of this ordinance is to avoid damages and repair of roadways in the Town of Highland and provide safety to the citizens commuting on town roads.

Section II: Conditions of Issuance

All persons shall notify the Town Board prior to any logging, hauling of raw forest products and overweight equipment which may cause damage to the town roads in the Town of Highland. The logging company shall be responsible for obtaining permits for all trucks that are hauling raw forest products. All loggers shall obtain approval from the Highland Town Board for the placement of culverts or fill onto town roads.

A logger shall, unless otherwise approved by the Highland Town Board, have their landings outside of the town road right of way. All ditches and off takes shall be kept free of all logging debris or slash.

Section III: Violation

Anyone doing damage to any town roads and/or ditches while in the process of logging, hauling of heavy equipment, construction and/or other activities or services shall be properly notified. The town highway department will make the necessary repairs or hire the work done and all costs or related bills will be forwarded to the responsible party for collection.

Section IV: Validity

Should any section, clause or provision of the Ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared invalid.

Section V: Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effective on the 22nd day of May, 2013 after proper notice and publication of this said Ordinance according to law.

Amended the 22nd day of May, 2013