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#### **ESTABLISHING HIGHWAY PERMIT FEES**

WHEREAS, Wis. Stat. § 83.025 grants authority to Sawyer County (the "County") to adopt, operate and maintain a county trunk highway system, and Wis. Stat. § 59.03(2) grants authority to the County to adopt ordinances regulating the use and preservation of county highways;

WHEREAS, the County has under its jurisdiction a County trunk highway system (the "CTH System");

WHEREAS, the County has adopted Highway Ordinances for the issuance of various permits including: (1) Application/Permit to Work on Highway Right-of-Way; (2) Application/Permit to Construct, Operate, and maintain Utilities Within the Highway Right-of-Way; (3) Application/Permit For Connection to County Trunk Highway; (4) Hauling Permit.

WHEREAS, these permits cost time and resources to issue and establishing a permit would assist in recovering the issuance cost

WHEREAS, these permit fees were discussed at the County Public Works Committee meeting on February 7, 2024, and the County Public Works Committee voted to recommend to the County Board of Supervisors that the County Board of Supervisors adopt the permit fees below and that the Sawyer County Fee Schedule be adopted to reflect these Highway Permit Fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the County Board of Supervisors of the County of Sawyer does establish Highway Permit Fees as follow:

Right-of-Way Permit	\$25.00
Wood Permit	\$25.00
Driveway Permit	\$50.00
Hauling Permit	\$50.00
Hauling Permit (Waste Hauler-1 time -Seasonal)	\$500.00
Utility Permit	

Permit Application & Review Fee\* \$50.00 Fee Per Inspection \*\* \$100.00 Open Cuts Across Paved Roadways\*\*\* \$350.00

\*Permit not required for trimming & brushing operations

\*\*Fee per inspection – there shall be no charge for final site inspection. If, however, the right-of-way has not been property restored at the time of inspection and additional inspections are required, a \$100.00 fee shall be charged for each subsequent inspection until the right-of-way has been successfully restored.

\*\*\*Open cuts will require a restoration agreement between the utility and the Highway Department in addition to the permit fee.

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48	This Resolution and approval of the Highway Ordinances was recommended for adoption by the
49	Sawyer County Board of Supervisors at its meeting on February 15, 2024, by this Sawyer County
50	Public Works Committee on the 7 <sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024.
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65	The Sawyer County Board of Supervisors this 15th day of February, 2024 hereby adopts this
66	Resolution and approves and adopts the Highway Ordinances attached hereto as Exhibit A.
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71	Sawyer County Board of Supervisors Chairman Sawyer County Clerk
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