

FIELD DRIVEWAYS

Description of field driveway: The field driveway is an entrance to a field with no access to buildings or structures. (buildings or structures include homes, garages, sheds, barns, bins, silos etc.) If the field drive is converted to a driveway to serve one or more structures it shall be subject to the fees and specifications of the "Driveway Ordinance" adopted by the Town Board in October 1998 unless waived by town board action at a regular town meeting.

Application: An application will be filed in writing with the town board. It will describe the location of the field entrance so it can be checked by the town board.

Deposit: \$50.00 Deposit will be refunded when construction of field entrance is completed according to town board specifications and has been viewed by town board.

Field Entrance Fee: \$50.00 WILL NOT BE REFUNDED.

Culverts and Gravel: Each driveway shall have a culvert at the ditch line where the driveway meets the public road, unless waived by the Town Board. The culvert shall be a minimum (18 inches) eighteen inches in diameter and (30 feet) thirty feet in length. The cost of the culverts, gravel, installation and maintenance are the responsibility of the landowner.

Sight Distance: The field entrance must have an unobstructed view of at least (300 feet) three hundred feet in each direction unless the Town Board considers otherwise. County and state roads may require a longer sight distance.

Maintenance: Regular maintenance to field driveways (gravel, grading, replace culvert, ditch maintenance) will not be subject to the fee. If the location is changed it will be considered as a new driveway and subject to the new regulations and fee.

Penalties: a. Should a driveway be constructed or modified in a way which violates the provisions of this ordinance, the owners of the land through which the driveway passes shall pay a fine equal to (4 times) four times the fee charged for the permit application, whether or not that fee has been paid. The owner of the land shall also make the corrections indicated by the Town Board within a reasonable period of time determined by the Town Board of Mt. Pleasant Township.


b. If the owners of the land through which the driveway passes do not make the required corrections within the time specified, the Town Board of Mt. Pleasant Township shall determine the cost of correcting violations of the provisions of this ordinance including when necessary the return of disturbed land to it's original condition. The cost shall be paid to the town by the owners of the property through which the driveway passes as provided in Wis. Statutes. Section 66.60(16).


Effective Date: This amendment to the driveway ordinance adopted on September 21, 1998, shall take effect and be in force the day after it's passage by the Town Board of Supervisors of the Town of Mt. Pleasant, Green County, Wisconsin and after publication and posting by law.

Dated this 15th day of January 2001.


Edward Riese, Chairman


Robert Buehl, Supervisor


Charles Modaff, Supervisor

Attested: 
Karen Pfeuti, Clerk