

# Memorandum

**To:** All Staff

**From:** Dan Raczkowski, Deputy Director of Public Works

**Date:** March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**Re:** Seasonal Weight Restrictions on Village Streets

Each spring weight restrictions are placed on Village streets during the thaw. The specific times that the weight restrictions remain in effect are weather dependent. Normally the weight restrictions are put in effect in mid-March and remain in effect until weather dictates, likely the first or second week of May. The Village relies on information provided by the Marathon County Highway Department and by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation as to when the weight restrictions are initially posted and when they are lifted.

**Effective starting on Wednesday, March 15th, 2023, seasonal weight limits will be in effect in the Village of Weston.** All streets and roads in the Village of Weston will be under the spring weight restrictions of **8 tons gross vehicle weight (GVW)** when they are in effect with the following exceptions:

## **NO RESTRICTIONS**

1. Adventure Way – Weston Avenue to curve
2. Alderson Street – Schofield Avenue to the STH 29 overpass (Rothschild Village Limits).
3. Alderson Street – Ross Avenue to Mallard Court (Schofield City Limits).
4. Barbican Ave
5. Bayberry Street – Concord to Ross Avenue
6. Business and Technology Park Streets
  - a. Commerce Drive
  - b. Enterprise Way
  - c. RickyVal Street
  - d. Synergy Court
  - e. Technology Drive
  - f. Venture Circle
7. Christie Lane – CTH J to the Fabick CAT/Lincoln Contractors entrance
8. Concord Avenue – Camp Phillips Road to Bayberry Street
9. Fox St
10. Fuller Street – Schofield Avenue to Saxon Avenue
11. Janice Avenue – Mesker Street to west termination point
12. Jelinek Avenue – Alderson to the Kennedy Park Rehab Center Entrance
13. Jamar Street
14. Mesker Street – Jelinek Avenue to Ross Avenue
15. Municipal Street – East Jelinek Avenue to Sternberg
16. Progress Way
17. Ross Avenue – Metro Drive to Mesker
18. Ryan Street – Schofield Avenue to STH 29 Bridge
19. Ryan Street – Weston Ave to Shorey Ave



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## **NO RESTRICTIONS (Continued)**

20. Schofield Avenue – Metro Drive to CTH J
21. Service Lane
22. Stella Avenue – Municipal Street to 5801 Stella Avenue
23. Sternberg Avenue – Mesker to Municipal
24. Saint Clare’s Hospital Area
  - a. Franciscan Way – Ministry Parkway to Weston Avenue
  - b. Ministry Parkway – Franciscan to St. Clare’s loading dock entrance
  - c. Weston Avenue – Camp Phillips to Franciscan Way
25. Transport Way
26. Zinser Street
  - a. Schofield Avenue to STH 29
  - b. STH 29 to Weston Avenue
27. Weston Avenue – CTH J to Ryan Street
28. Weston Avenue – CTH J to Adventure Way
29. Weston Meadows Business Park Area
  - a. Jelinek between Prairie and Municipal
  - b. Prairie Street
  - c. Hilgemann Street
  - d. Westfair Avenue
30. Westview Boulevard

In addition to the afore mentioned Village streets, **Marathon County and Wis DOT** do not impose weight restrictions on the following roads/streets within the Village of Weston:

1. **Business Highway 51 – WIS DOT**
2. **CTH J** – Schofield Avenue to Weston Avenue
3. **CTH X/Camp Phillips Road** – Howland Avenue to the northern Village limits

For more specific questions about County highways, customers should call the Marathon County Highway Department at (715) 261-1800, or visit the Marathon County Highway Department webpage:

<http://www.co.marathon.wi.us/Departments/HighwayDepartment/DrivingInformation.aspx>.

The street operations staff will notify other Village staff and Everest Metro when seasonal weight restrictions are lifted. Anyone with specific questions about the restrictions and requests for any exceptions should be directed to:

**Dan Raczkowski** ([draczkowski@westonwi.gov](mailto:draczkowski@westonwi.gov)) or 715-241-2632 and secondly Michael Wodalski.

A single trip permit is required to haul a load **exceeding the 8 ton GVW limit** during the restriction period. Any hauler applying for a permit must first complete the required permit form. Applications are considered on a case-by-case basis. If approval is granted to exceed the seasonal weight limitations, such approval will be documented with the signature of an authorized agent of the Village of Weston.

Some background information about frozen roads and seasonal weight restrictions, as found on the Wisconsin DOT’s website, are attached. You may also visit the Wisconsin DOT’s website: <http://wisconsin.gov/Pages/dmv/com-drv-vehs/mtr-car-trkr/ssnl-wt-rsrctns/default.aspx>



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