

JEFFERSON COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
OVERSIZE VEHICLE PERMITS

RCW 46.44 specifies that a vehicle that exceeds 8.5' wide or 14' high required an oversize vehicle permit to operate on County Roads.

RCW 46.44.092 allows over-width permits for vehicles up to 14' wide on two-lane highways. It specifies that vehicles that exceed 14' wide, but do not exceed 16' wide may be issued a special permit for daylight hours only. The permit may specify minimum and maximum speed limits, prescribed routes, times, limits on frequency and conditions to ensure traffic safety.

WAC 468-38-070(b) specifies that authorization for vehicles exceeding 14' high is governed by the ability to clear overhead obstructions. In order to determine this, a specific route needs to be proposed by the applicant and Public Works may need to inspect the route.

WAC 468-38-100 specifies that vehicles wider than 11' require escort vehicles

WAC468-38-075 specifies that vehicles that do not exceed 12' wide and 14'.6" high may be issued a permit that allows nighttime operation.

WAC 468-38-120 specifies permit requirements for moving buildings that exceed 16' wide.

Public Works issues two (2) types of oversize vehicle permits:

And **Oversize Vehicle Annual Permit** may be issued for a vehicle not exceeding 12' wide and 14' high. It allows nighttime operation. The permit requires review by the Road Maintenance Supervisor.

An **Oversize Vehicle Special Permit** may be issued for a vehicle exceeding 12' wide, but not exceeding 16' wide, or for a vehicle exceeding 14' high. For a vehicle exceeding 14' high, a specific route must be proposed. The permit may authorize one or more trips. For a vehicle that exceeds 12' wide or 14'.6" high, the permit is valid for daytime hours only. The permit may specify minimum and maximum speed limits, prescribed routes, times, limits on frequency and conditions to ensure traffic safety. Prior to issuing the permit, the Road Maintenance Supervisor will consider the vehicle dimensions and review the proposed route. An **Oversize Vehicle Special Permit** may also be issued for moving a building. A specific route must be proposed. The permit will specify escort and backup vehicles, restrictions on traffic delay, insurance and safety precautions.

MOTOR VEHICLE PERMIT
ISSUED BY JEFFERSON COUNTY
VALID COUNTY ROADS LISTED BELOW

Permit No. _____

Single Use \$106.00 For 2017

Annual \$66.00 for 2017

Permit Issued to: _____

In accordance with the applicable statutes of the RCW 46.44 as now or hereafter amended, permission is hereby
Granted to operate the vehicle or vehicles herein described transporting:

Item _____ From _____ To _____

Via County Road (s) _____

This permit is valid for the period of _____

VEHICLE DESCRIPTION

Truck _____ Trailer _____
Tractor _____ Semi Trailer _____ Length _____ Ft _____ In Width _____ Ft _____ in
(License No.) (License No.)

Permitted axle weight _____ Gross weight _____

RESTRICTIONS

- * Valid up to 12' 0" width
- * Pilot car ahead and in rear (If over 11 feet.)
- * Red flags displayed on load (If over 11 feet.)
- * Daylight hours only. No movement during inclement weather.
- * Assume responsibility for overhead obstructions.
- * Subject to winter road restrictions.

LIABILITY CLAUSE

The mover shall reimburse the Jefferson County Department of Public Works for all expenses incurred by this Department and the Sheriff's Department.

Jefferson County, the County Sheriff and all officers and employees of the County will not be responsible in any manner for any losses or damages in the performance of work or for injury to or death of any persons. You agree to indemnify and hold harmless the County, the Sheriff and all other officers and employees of the County from any and all claims, suites, actions, costs including reasonable attorney fees.

It is understood that all Washington State highway standards and laws regarding the movement of over-width and/or over-weight loads shall be strictly complied with at all times.

I agree to all the above terms and conditions of this permit.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Title: _____

Name: _____ Date: _____

(Approved for Jefferson County)

Title: _____