

March 17, 2008

Commissioners met for a special emergency meeting on this day with the following members present: John Richwine and Paul Wilson. Also present were County Attorney Jim Wilson, 2nd Deputy Auditor Jane Lyons and the Commissioners Office Manager Linda Smith.

IN THE MATTER OF ORDINANCE NO. 2008-BC-O-04, ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING WEIGHT LIMITS ON COUNTY ROAD 1100 SOUTH

County Engineer, Chuck Leser, presented Ordinance No 2008-BC-O-04 to the Commissioners for their approval. He stated that 1100 South was in danger of being damaged and destroyed by overweight vehicles traveling on the 3 miles from SR 109 to Henry County so he recommended that the Commissioners put a weight limit of 15 tons on the road. They did a visual inspection and surveyed the thickness of the pavement and found it to be only 2 inches thick and that repeated trips of over 15 tons will damage the road and cause hazardous conditions.

Residence, Joan Kreig and Melissa Kreig, who live on 1100 South were present at the meeting and voiced their concern of the weight limit. They are building a concrete house this Spring and to have the weight limit they would not be able to have the concrete delivered to the building site because the trucks would be over 15 tons.

Commissioner Wilson stated that their main concern at this point was the road and that this is not a permanent solution to the problem and they will continue to work on a long term solution.

The Commissioners added a fine to the Ordinance for any violations.

Motion was made by Paul Wilson and seconded by John Richwine to approve said Ordinance. Motion carried unanimously.

ORDINANCE #2008-BC- O-04

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING WEIGHT LIMITS ON COUNTY ROAD 1100 SOUTH

WHEREAS, the Commissioners have received information regarding the deterioration of County Road 1100 South from State Road 109 to Henry County; and,

WHEREAS, the County, through its personnel and elected officials has investigated the situation and the deterioration of said road; and,

WHEREAS, based upon that investigation the Board of Commissioners believe there is actual or threatened injury to persons or property; and,

WHEREAS, there is urgent necessity requiring the immediate effectiveness of this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Madison County Board of Commissioners as follows:

- A. There is hereby established a 15 ton weight limit for all trucks and/or other commercial vehicles on County Road 1100 south from State Road 109 to Henry County, Indiana.
- B. That there is an urgent necessity requiring the immediate effectiveness of this Ordinance.

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- C. Violation of this Ordinance is subject to a minimum fine of \$1,000.00 per occurrence and a maximum of \$2,500.00 per occurrence.

PASSED AND ENACTED by the Board of Commissioners of Madison County, Indiana, this 17th day of March, 2008.

MADISON COUNTY BOARD
OF COMMISSIONERS

S/John M Richwine
John M. Richwine, President

Patricia Dillon, Member

S/Paul Wilson
Paul F. Wilson, Member

ATTEST:

S/Kathy Stoops-Wright
Kathy Stoops-Wright, Auditor

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There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

