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By-law Number 2019-014

A by-law to restrict the weight of vehicles passing over County bridges

Section 123 (2) of the Highway Traffic Act, R.S.O. 1990, Ch H.8 as amended from time to time provides that the municipal corporation or other authority having jurisdiction over a bridge may be by-law limit the gross vehicle weight of any vehicle or any class thereof passing over the bridge, and the requirements of subsection (1) with respect to the posting up of notice apply thereto.

The Council for the Corporation of the County of Bruce enacts By-law 2019-014 as follows:

To limit the weight of vehicles passing over the following bridges within the jurisdiction of the Corporation of the County of Bruce:

1. Bruce County Bridge No. 000140, 12th of Brant Bridge:

   No vehicle or combination of vehicles or any class thereof, whether empty or loaded, shall be operated over the bridge known as the 12th of Brant Bridge crossing the Saugeen River on the Concession 12/13 Road in Lot 11, in the former Township of Brant with a weight in excess of eight (8) tonnes.

2. Bruce County Bridge No. 000150, McCurdy's Bridge:

   No vehicle or combination of vehicles or any class thereof, whether empty or loaded, shall be operated over the bridge known as the McCurdy's Bridge crossing the Saugeen River on the Brockton/Arran-Elderslie boundary in Lot 6, Concession 15, in the former Township of Brant where:

   (a) in the case of a single vehicle the gross weight exceeds seventeen (17) tonnes,

   (b) in the case of a combination of two vehicles the gross weight exceeds twenty (20) tonnes,

   (c) in the case of a combination of three vehicles the gross weight exceeds twenty-eight (28) tonnes.

3. Bruce County Bridge No. 000200, Watson's Bridge:

4. Bruce County Bridge No. 000220, Hay's Bridge:

   No vehicle or combination of vehicles or any class thereof, whether empty or loaded, shall be operated over the bridge known as the Hay's Bridge in Concession 22 of the former Township of Greenock on the boundary between the former Bruce and Greenock Townships with a weight in excess of five (5) tonnes.

5. Bruce County Bridge No. 270050, Arran Township Shed (Invermay) Bridge:

   No vehicle or combination of vehicles or any class thereof, whether empty or loaded, shall be operated over the bridge known as the Arran Township Shed (Invermay) Bridge on County Road 27 in Lot 29, Concession 6/7, in the former Township of Arran with a weight in excess of five (5) tonnes.

6. The weight restrictions shall be effective for a period of approximately two (2) years from the adoption of this by-law. An inspection of the structures shall be undertaken in accordance with Ontario Regulation 104/97 of the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act as amended from time to time.

7. Any person violating the provisions of this By-law shall be subject to the penalties provided in Section 125 of the Highway Traffic Act, as amended.

8. This By-law shall become effective on the date that the notice of the limit of weight permitted in compliance with the Regulations under the Highway Traffic Act has been posted in a conspicuous place at each end of the bridge.

9. By-law 2015-023 is hereby repealed.

Passed this 7th day of March, 2019.

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Mitch Twolan
Warden

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Donna Van Wyck
Clerk