

DRIVEWAY ORDINANCE

**Driveway Ordinance for the
Town of Eileen
Bayfield County, Wisconsin
Amended October 11, 2011**

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary that there be authority to regulate private driveways entering public town roads;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Eileen, Bayfield County, State of Wisconsin, does ordain as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Board of the Town of Eileen that the following regulations shall apply to the construction of newly constructed private driveways:

PRIVATE DRIVEWAY CONSTRUCTION

(1) **APPROVAL REQUIRED:** No person shall establish or construct a private driveway, road or other access from a private property line to the traveled portion of any public town road without first filing an application and obtaining a driveway permit from the Town Board.

(2) **SPECIFICATIONS:** The location of said driveway shall be approved by the Town Board. Each driveway shall have a culvert at the ditch line, unless special permission is obtained from the Town Board. All cost of construction of said driveway, including the cost of the culvert, shall be paid by the property owner requesting the permit.

- A. New driveways for commercial, agricultural, ditches deeper than 4 feet, and needed turn around for township equipment shall be 40 ft. in length.
- B. New driveways for residential would be 30 ft. in length.
- C. Replacement requests for existing culvert would have A or B apply.

(3) **PENALTY:** Any person violating this section may be fined not less than \$200.00 nor more than \$1,000.00 and default of payment of said find shall result in referral to the Bayfield County District Attorney for further prosecution.

(4) **Temporary:** If a temporary driveway/access road is required to access a permitted construction site other than the approved driveway to the site, a driveway permit is required. Specifications of a temporary driveway will be determined by the Town Board or designee. A temporary approved driveway/access road must be removed and access area restored to original non-driveway condition at the time of completed construction or expiration of building permit.

This ordinance shall take effect after publication in the Daily Press, as required by law and also posted in the Town of Eileen bulletin board located at the Town Garage, the intersection of Whipperfurth Road and Carlson Road, Colby Road on the US Hwy 2 end, and the intersection of North Torkko Road and County Road G.

ADOPTED by the Town Board of the Town of Eileen this 11 th. Day of October 2011

Chairperson Terry Torkko _____

Supervisor George Setzke _____

Supervisor Tony Johanik _____

Attest to by Clerk Donna K. Anderson _____