

TOWN OF FREEPORT POSTED ROADS

EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 22, 2023

HEAVY LOADS LIMITED

The following is a list of Posted Roads in the Town of Freeport. The posting will begin February 22, 2023 and continue until May 1, 2023 **dependent upon the weather. All heavy vehicles are required to attain a permit to operate on a posted road in Freeport regardless of temperature.** Regular delivery route trucks are exempt (Oil trucks, Propane Gas Trucks, Trash Haulers, Municipal Vehicles and other necessary vehicles). This list is subject to change without notice. For current information or questions contact the Public Works Department (865-4461) or check our website: www.freeportmaine.com.

Allen Range Road	Harbor Ridge Road	Pettengil Road
Arnold Rd.	Harraseeket Road	Pine Street
Baker Road	Harvey Brook Drive	Pleasant Hill Road
Balsam Lane	Heritage Lane	Poland Road
Bartol Island Road	Holbrook Street	Porters Landing
Becks Lane	Howard Place	Pratt Street
Beech Hill Road	Hunter Road	Prout Road
Bonney Street	Independence Drive	Richards Lane
Bow Street @ Depot Street	Justins Way @ Cross Street	Ring Rose Road
Bragdon Road	Kelsey Ridge Road	Rocky Lane
Brown Road	Kendall Lane	Royal Avenue
Burnett Road	Lady Slipper	Sandy Beach Road
Buttercup Drive	Lambert Road	School Street (from Main St to the Bow St Market)
Byram Ave.	LaRue Drive	Scotch Pine Drive
Carriage Road	Ledgewood Drive	Sequoia Drive
Cedar Lane	Library Drive	Shore Drive
Chapel Street	Litchfield Road	Snow Road
Cheehaak Road	Lower Flying Point Rd.	South Freeport Road @ Smelt Brook
Church Road	Lower Mast Landing Road	South Street
Concord Road	Lunt Road	Spar Cove Road
Cottage Street	Main Street-S/F	Spring Street
Cove Road	Maple Avenue	Stagecoach Road
Cross Street	Maquoit Drive	Staples Point Road
Curtis Road	Marquis Road	Star Lane
Cushing Briggs Rd.	Mechanic Street	Stonewood Drive
Daisy Drive	Merrill Road	Summer Street
Deerfield Road	Middle Street	Tidal Brook
Dennison Avenue	Middle Street-S/F	Todd Brook
Desert Road @ Campus Drive	Mill Street	Torrey Hill Range Road
Dixon Road	Morse Street	True Street
East Street	Murch Road	Tulip Drive
Elm Street	Nathan Nye Street	Upper Mast Landing Road
Estes Drive	Noble Drive	Varney Road
Evergreen Drive	Oak Avenue	Wardtown Road-125 (from Woodside Ln to Town line)
Fernald Road	Old Brunswick Road	Ware Road
Flying Point Road	Old County Road + Old County Ext	Webster Road
Fogg Point Road	Old Flying Point Road	West Street @ Depot St + West St Ext
Forest Street	Old Mast Landing Road	Windsor Post Road
Foster Avenue	Old South Freeport Road	Winslow Park Way
Gay Drive	Park Street	Wolfes Neck Road
Grant Road	Park Street-S/F	Woodside Lane
Grove Street	Patterson Wheel Track	
Guptil Avenue	Percy Street	

Town of Freeport Posted Road Permit Guidelines

Purpose:

In order to prevent damage, each spring many Town roads are posted, limiting heavy loads from traveling along specified Town roads. Dependent on weather and road conditions, permits may be issued allowing heavy vehicles to travel along these roads. In order to obtain a permit to operate a heavy vehicle on a posted Town Way, a permit process has been established which is detailed below.

Guidelines:

All heavy vehicles are required to attain a permit to operate on a posted road in Freeport regardless of temperature.

In order to receive a Posted Road Permit, applicants must first complete an Application For Permit To Operate On a Posted Way. These applications are available at the Department of Public Works at 7 Hunter Rd. on Monday – Thursday from 7:00am-3:30pm, and on Fridays from 7:00am-10:00am. Applications are also available at the Public Safety Building at 16 Main St. on Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 8:00am-4:00pm. Completed forms must be submitted to the Public Works Superintendent, or his designee, for approval.

Permits will be issued at the discretion of the Public Works Superintendent based on forecasted weather conditions, temperatures, and road conditions. The issuance of a permit may be denied if the Public Works Superintendent determines the proposed use could reasonably harm or cause damage to the Town Way.

The Town of Freeport reserves the right to rescind permits due to changes in weather and road conditions.

The permit to be issued is only for the vehicle owner or operator.

Permits will be issued no earlier than 7:00pm, the evening prior to the effective date of the permit.

Permits will be issued for time periods not to exceed twenty-four (24) hours.

The cost of each permit is \$20.00, which must be paid for at the time the permit is issued.

No Permits will be issued:

When road temperatures exceed 32 degrees Fahrenheit, nor when the pavement is wet or when it is snowing.

Other Conditions:

Permitted vehicles may be required to reduce the weight of loads.

It will be unlawful for any vehicle exceeding the gross weight of 23,000 pounds to pass over posted Town roads anytime without a posted road permit. Any vehicles exceeding weight limits traveling during this period must have written permission from the Superintendent or his designee unless other arrangements have been made.

Permittee Responsibilities/Damage:

If the Public Works Superintendent has evidence that the permittee has caused damage to the roads, the permittee will be responsible for providing the full cost to repair the damage. No future permits will be issued until this damage is fully repaired.

TOWN OF FREEPORT
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO OPERATE ON A POSTED WAY

An Application is hereby made to the Town of Freeport Public Works Superintendent for permission as provided by the "Posted Road Permit Guidelines" to operate on a posted Town Way.

Applicant: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Type of Vehicles: _____ Plate#: _____ Plate#: _____
_____ Plate#: _____ Plate#: _____

GVWR: _____ lbs. Tare Weight: _____

Type of Cargo: _____ Cargo Weight/Load: _____ lbs.

Vehicle Owner: _____ Operator: _____

Name Contact Phone#

Destination of Vehicle(s): _____

Name of Posted Way(s): _____

Est. Total No. of Trips: _____ Max. No of Trips/Day: _____

Date and Time Period for Permit: _____

I, _____, have read the Town of Freeport Posted Road Permit Guidelines, and agree to abide by all conditions within these Guidelines:

Signature of Permittee

Printed Name and Title

Date

Make Check Payable to Town of Freeport in the amount of \$20.00 per vehicle, per day and mail or deliver to:

7 Hunter Rd phone: 207-865-4461
Attn: Public Works fax: 207-865-0244
Freeport, ME 04032 email: egibson@freeportmaine.com

PERMIT MUST BE IN VEHICLE AT ALL TIMES

_____ The above application is approved.

_____ The above application is hereby denied for the following reasons:

Earl Gibson, Public Works Superintendent
(or his designee)

Date

Check #/Amount: _____

Received By/Date: _____