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RESOLUTION# 14-11-7

Introduced by Highway Infrastructure and Recreation  
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Committee

Motion: Adopted:

1<sup>st</sup> Nelson Lost:

2<sup>nd</sup> Hokamp Tabled:

No: 0 Yes: 18 Absent: 1

Number of votes required:  
 Majority  Two-thirds

Reviewed by: PAK, Corp Counsel  
 Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_, Finance Dir.

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INTENT & SYNOPSIS: To regulate the use of implements of husbandry (farm equipment) on county highways and to provide a no fee permit for said use.

FISCAL NOTE: No direct fiscal impact. The regulations are designed to limit damages to the county highways and the need to make expensive repairs of those damages.

Source of Money: N/A

		NO	YES	A
1	Nelson, J		✓	
2	Rozar, D			
3	Feirer, M			
4	Wagner, E			
5	Hendler, P	Absent		
6	Breu, A			
7	Ashbeck, R			
8	Miner, T			
9	Winch, W			
10	Henkel, H			
11	Curry, K			
12	Machon, D			
13	Hokamp, M			
14	Polach, D			
15	Clendenning, B			
16	Plimi, L			
17	Zurfluh, J			
18	Hamilton, B			
19	Leichtnam, B			

WHEREAS, 2013 Wis. Act 377 under Sec. 348.15 (9)(f)1. provides that there is no weight limitation per wheel, axle, or group of axles for Category B implements of husbandry as defined in Sec. 340.01 (24)(a)1.b., but does apply gross vehicle weight limitations to these vehicles, and

WHEREAS, Wis. Stat. § 348.15 (9)(f)1. authorizes a municipality or county to require compliance with axle weight limitations established under Sec. 348.15 (3)(g) for Category B implements of husbandry defined in Sec. 340.01(24)(a)1.b. on all highways under its jurisdiction, and

WHEREAS, the Highway Infrastructure and Recreation Committee finds, after due consideration, that regulating the weight of implements of husbandry on a per axle basis is appropriate for highway maintenance purposes,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Wood County Board of Supervisors, that pursuant to Sec. 348.15 (9)(f) of Wis. Statutes, all implements of husbandry (including Category B implements of husbandry) defined in Sec. 340.01 (24)(a)1.b. may not exceed the weight limits imposed by Chapter 348.15 (3)(g) of Wis. Statutes on Wood County highways, and

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED that to exceed the length and/or weight limitations on county highways a no-fee permit may be applied for from the Wood County Highway department, and

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED that this resolution shall take effect January 1, 2015, and shall remain in effect until rescinded by further action of the Board,

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution shall be provided to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation to be posted on the state DOT website.

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AL BREU (Chairman)

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TRENT MINER (Vice-Chairman)

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DENNIS POLACH (Secretary)

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MARION HOKAMP

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WILLIAM WINCH

Adopted by the County Board of Wood County, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 20 14

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Cynthia Cress  
County Clerk

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Ramon A. Breu  
County Board Chairman