

Sec. 26-4.1. Permits authorizing the operation of overweight or oversized vehicles.

(a) Any person may make written application to the Public Works Department of the City of Grandview for a permit authorizing the operation of overweight or oversized vehicles upon the public streets within the corporate limits of the City of Grandview. An application for a permit authorized by this section shall be in writing, shall be dated, shall be signed by the applicant and shall contain, in addition, the following categories of information:

- (1) The kind of equipment to be operated, with a reasonably detailed description of such equipment, including a statement as to its weight, height, width and length.
- (2) The kind of commodity, if any, to be transported and a certificate as to its weight.
- (3) The street or streets over which said equipment is to be operated.
- (4) The date or dates the equipment is to be operated and the approximate time of said operation.
- (5) The number of trips to be made when the nature, route, time and frequency of operation can be determined at the time the permit is issued.

(b) In the event the activity for which the oversized or overweight permit is required is in any way associated with or related to the moving of a house, residence, or dwelling intended to be placed on real property on or along any street in the City of Grandview, the following additional information shall be required to be furnished by the applicant to the director of public works:

- (1) The street address from which the structure is to be moved and the street address of the location to which the structure is to be moved.
- (2) If the structure is to be moved to a location within the City of Grandview, each such application shall be accompanied by a site plan showing the location of the structure on the property in question.

(c) Before any permit is issued under this section, the applicant shall file with the public works department a bond in an amount not less than a dollar amount equal to the number vehicles for which the permit is sought multiplied by twenty thousand (\$20,000.00). Said bond shall be payable to the City of Grandview and conditioned upon the applicant's payment to the City of Grandview of the sum of money necessary to repair any damage which might be occasioned to any public street or publicly owned fixture appurtenant to such street by virtue of the operation of any vehicle operated pursuant to a permit issued under this section. Venue of any lawsuit for recovery upon said bond shall be in Jackson County, Missouri, and any bond issued hereunder shall contain an unambiguous contractual provision to that effect.

(d) An application fee shall be charged for each permit according to the following schedule:

- (1) Five dollars (\$5.00) for single trip permits.

- (2) Ten dollars (\$10.00) for periods not exceeding thirty (30) days.
- (3) Fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for periods not exceeding sixty (60) days.
- (4) Twenty dollars (\$20.00) for periods not exceeding ninety (90) days.
- (5) Fifty dollars (\$50.00) for periods not exceeding one year.

The proper fee shall accompany each application for permit and shall be made in cash or by cashier's or certified check or postal money order. The fee shall be returned if the application is denied.

(e) With respect to any application submitted pursuant to the provision of paragraph (a) of this section, the public works department, after consulting with the police department, may issue such permit for the operation of such equipment for fleets of equipment for specified periods of time, over a route or routes to be designated by the public works department, if such routes can be determined at the time the application for the permit is made. With respect to any application submitted pursuant to paragraph (b) of this section, the director of public works shall determine that the application is in proper order and shall forward it to the board of aldermen for approval. Any permit issued hereunder shall include at least the following:

- (1) The name, address and telephone number of the applicant, the date, a description of the equipment to be operated, and a description of the commodity or thing to be transported (if any).
- (2) With respect to any permit issued pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (a) of this section, a signature of an authorized member of the public works department. With respect to any permit issued pursuant to paragraph (b) of this section, the signature of the Mayor of the City of Grandview.
- (3) The time period for which the permit is issued.
- (4) The specified street or streets over which the equipment is to be operated, insofar as it can be determined at the time the permit is issued.

(f) In the event any application for a permit provided for in this section is denied, a person aggrieved by such decision may appeal to the board of aldermen within thirty (30) days following the date of the receipt of notice of the decision. A written notice of appeal may be filed in the office of the city clerk for consideration at the next regular meeting of the board of aldermen. At a public hearing relating to such denial, the board of aldermen may, for good cause shown, sustain the denial of the permit or order that such permit shall be issued. In reaching such decision, the board of aldermen may consider the safety and welfare of the public.

(Ord. No. 2884, § 1, 6-9-81; Ord. No. 4544, § 1, 12-14-93)

Editor's note—

Ord. No. 2884, § 1, adopted June 9, 1981, not specifically amendatory of the Code, has been included as [§ 26-4.1](#) at the discretion of the editor.