

**ORDINANCE TO TOTALLY OPT OUT OF IMPLEMENT OF HUSBANDRY (IOH) LENGTH AND WEIGHT LIMITS**

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 124**

STATE OF WISCONSIN  
TOWN OF MENTOR  
CLARK COUNTY

**SECTION I - TITLE/PURPOSE**

The title of this Ordinance is the Town of Mentor Totally Opt out of Implement of Husbandry (IOH) length and weight Limits. Adoption of this ordinance pursuant to Sec.348.27 (19) (b) 5.a. of the Wisconsin Statutes (as provided by 2013 Wis. Act 377) means that the governing body of a municipality or county authorizes operation, on all highways under their jurisdiction, implements of husbandry as defined in Sec. 340.01 (24) (see Act 377) and agricultural commercial vehicles as defined in Sec. 340.01 (1o) (see Act 377) to operate in excess of any length and weight limitations imposed by Chapter 348 of Wis. Statutes. However, all implements of husbandry and agricultural commercial vehicles are still bound to follow seasonal and special posting and any posting on highway bridges or culverts under Sec. 349.16 of Wis. Statutes.

**SECTION II – AUTHORITY**

The Town Board of the Town of Mentor Clark County has the specific authority under its village powers Wis. Stats 60.22 to adopt this ordinance.

**SECTION III – ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE**

The Town Board of the Town of Mentor, by the Ordinance, adopted by a majority of the town board on a roll call vote with a quorum present and voting and proper notice having been given, provides for the adoption by the town Implement of Husbandry by the Wis. Act 377.

**SECTION IV – COVERAGE**

Whereas, 2013 Wis. Act 377 under Sec. 348.77 (19) (b) 5.a. provides that a municipality or county may authorize implements of husbandry as defined in Sec. 3401.01 (24) and agricultural commercial vehicles as defined in Sec. 340.01 (1o) of Wis. Statutes to exceed any statutory length and weight limits imposed by Chapter 348 of Wis. Statutes,

Now, therefore, BEIT HEREBY ORDAINED by the Town Board of Mentor, of Clark County, that pursuant to Sec. 348.27 (19) (b) 5.a. of Wis. Statues may exceed any length and weight limits imposed be Chapter 348 of Wis. Statues.

Further, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED that this ordinance shall be in effect for the 2016 year.

Further, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED that this ordinance shall remain in effect until rescinded by further action of the Town Board.

Further. BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED that a copy of this ordinance shall be provided to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation to be posted on the state DOT website.

Adopted by the Town of Mentor Board this 10<sup>th</sup>, day of February, 2015.

  
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Timothy Gile, Town Chairman

Attested to by the Town Clerk

  
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Linda Laffe, Clerk