

## **NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT**

Wisconsin Department of Transportation OSOW Hours of Operation DTSD49

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on the OSOW Hours of Operation, s. 348.25, 348.26, 348.27 Wis. Stats., s. 59.84, Trans 230, s. 340.01 (23).

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION**

Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by:

1. Department's website: <https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=DTSD49>
2. Mailing written comments to:  
Division of Transportation System Development  
Wisconsin Department of Transportation  
4822 Madison Yards Way  
PO Box 7965  
Madison, WI 53707-7965

### **WEBSITE LOCATION OF FINAL GUIDANCE DOCUMENT**

The final version of this guidance document will be posted at [wisconsindot.gov](http://wisconsindot.gov) to allow for ongoing comment.

### **AGENCY CONTACT**

[dotdtsdguidancedocs@dot.wi.gov](mailto:dotdtsdguidancedocs@dot.wi.gov)



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Vehicles that are overweight only, unless specified otherwise in the permit, may operate 24 hours a day, including weekends and holidays.

### Smaller size vehicles -- if size does not exceed 12' 00" wide, 13' 06" high or 150' 00" long:

- No hours of operation restrictions in 67 counties unless specified on an individual permit.
- If traveling in Columbia, Dane, Milwaukee, Rock or Waukesha counties, vehicle may not be operated:
  - Between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Sunday
  - Between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Friday between the 4th Friday in May and Labor Day
  - Between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on any restricted-travel holiday
  - Between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on the day before any restricted-travel holiday, except July 3rd if that day falls on a Saturday
    - [2019 holiday hours of operation](#)
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### Larger size vehicles -- if size is greater than 12' 00" wide, 13' 06" high or 150' 00" long, the vehicle may not be operated:

- During the hours of darkness
- Between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Sunday
- Between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Friday between the 4th Friday in May and Labor Day
- During the period beginning at noon on Saturday and continuing until sunrise Sunday
- During the period beginning at noon on the day preceding and continuing until sunrise on the day following every restricted-travel holiday
  - [2019 holiday hours of operation](#)
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### If traveling on the Milwaukee County Expressway greater than legal width, height or length,\* the vehicle may not be operated (except on US 45 between West Florist Avenue and West Hampton Avenue and on I-94 between Waukesha line and 108th Street):

- Between 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. and between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday
- Between 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Friday
- Between 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday

\*Maximum allowed dimensions on the Milwaukee County Expressway are 14' 0" wide, 14' 06" high or 150' 00" long.

**Notice:** Zoo Interchange construction in Milwaukee County may likely limit movements of OSOW traffic. Carriers are strongly encouraged to verify their route through [511 Wisconsin travel info](#) or WisDOT's [oversize/overweight automated issuance system](#) prior to departing with an OSOW load.

Questions about the content of this page:

### Oversize-Overweight Permits

Wisconsin Department of Transportation  
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Madison WI 53707-7980

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