

# **TOWN OF LINCOLN**

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## **NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF UNIFORM MUNICIPAL EXCESS WEIGHT PERMIT CONDITIONS ORDINANCE**

On 5/5/2026, the Selectboard of the Town of Lincoln, Vermont, adopted a "Uniform Municipal Excess Weight Permit Conditions Ordinance". This notice is published pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1972 to inform the public of the adoption and of the citizens' right to petition for a vote to disapprove this adoption.

The Town of Lincoln's Uniform Municipal Excess Weight Permit Conditions Ordinance establishes rules for issuing excess-weight vehicle permits to support local commerce while protecting town roads and bridges from damage and ensuring public safety. The ordinance outlines conditions, restrictions, and enforcement measures needed to regulate heavy weight vehicle use, maintain vital transportation infrastructure, and balance business needs with responsible stewardship of public highways.

The full text of the Ordinance may be examined at the Lincoln Town office at 62 Quaker St, Lincoln, Vermont and may be examined during regular office hours.

### **CITIZENS' RIGHT TO PETITION FOR VOTE**

Title 24 V.S.A. § 1973 grants citizens the right to petition for a vote at a special or annual Town Meeting to disapprove an ordinance adopted by the Selectboard. To exercise this right, citizens must present to the Selectboard or the Town Clerk a petition for a vote on the question of disapproving the Ordinance signed by not less than five percent (5%) of the Town's qualified voters. The petition must be presented within forty-four (44) days following the date of the adoption of the Ordinance. Unless a petition requesting a vote is filed pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1973, the Uniform Municipal Excess Weight Permit Conditions Ordinance shall become effective sixty (60) days from the date of said adoption.

### **PERSON TO CONTACT**

Additional information pertaining to this Ordinance may be obtained by contacting Trish Waugh, Town Administrator at 62 Quaker St., Lincoln, Vermont 05443, or by calling 802-453-4502 during regular office hours.