



October 6, 2016

Board of County Commissioners
Clackamas County

Members of the Board:

Approval of a Board Order Establishing
A Restriction on Thru Truck Traffic on Salmonberry Drive

Purpose/Outcome	Establish a restriction on thru truck traffic, with an exemption for local deliveries, on Salmonberry Drive, RD 31062
Dollar Amount and Fiscal Impact	The cost of installing weight limit signs and additional enforcement would be minimal
Funding Source	DTD – Transportation Maintenance would be responsible for the signing costs. DTD – Transportation Safety and the Sheriff’s Office would be responsible for the enforcement of the traffic restriction.
Duration	Effective October 6, 2016 through October 6, 2018
Previous Board Action/Review	None
Strategic Plan Alignment	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To provide services to the traveling public so they can travel safely on a well-maintained County transportation system.2. By 2019, 120 additional miles of county roads will be improved to ‘good to excellent’ status, a nine percent increase from 2014.
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BACKGROUND:

Salmonberry Drive is located outside of Oregon City off of South End Road. It is a local road with a pavement condition index of about six. It is in poor condition now and currently services local residents and some delivery trucks. Construction has become active in the area, with heavy vehicles using Salmonberry Drive as their route to get to the job sites.

In order to protect this road, the Transportation Maintenance Division is requesting that a restriction on thru truck traffic be posted on Salmonberry Drive in order to restrict heavy vehicles. Local deliveries would be specifically exempted from this restriction. The attached Board Order was reviewed and approved by County Counsel.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board approve this Board Order implementing a new thru truck traffic restriction for Salmonberry Drive.

Respectfully submitted,

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Transportation Operations Manager
DTD Transportation Maintenance Division

In the Matter of Establishing
A Restriction on Thru Truck Traffic
On Salmonberry Drive, RD 31062

Order No.

This matter coming regularly before the Board of County Commissioners, and it appearing that the Board, pursuant to ORS 810.030, as the road authority may impose restrictions on the operation of certain kinds of vehicles on county roads outside the boundaries of an incorporated city when it determines that the restriction is necessary to protect any county road or section of county road from being unduly damaged, or where necessary to protect the interest and safety of the general public; and

It further appearing to the Board that imposing a restriction on thru truck traffic on Salmonberry Drive is necessary to protect Salmonberry Drive from being unduly damaged, and is necessary to protect the safety of the general public; and

It further appearing to the Board that truck traffic associated with local deliveries is limited, does not pose a significant risk to the safety of the general public, does not pose a significant risk of causing undue damage to Salmonberry Drive, and should therefore be exempt from the restriction on thru truck traffic; and

It further appearing to the Board that County forces will erect and maintain signs in a conspicuous manner and place at each end of Salmonberry Drive to give notice of the restriction on thru truck traffic being imposed and the exemption for local deliveries.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Clackamas County adopt a restriction on thru truck traffic on Salmonberry Drive, with an exemption for local deliveries, and County forces will erect and maintain signs in a conspicuous manner and place to notify the public of said restrictions.

DATED this 6th day of October, 2016.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Chair

Recording Secretary