### AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING RESTRICTIONS AS TO THE WEIGHT OF MOTOR VEHICLES OPERATING ON HIGHWAYS AND ROADWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OF FAYAL

The Board of the Town of Fayal, County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, ordains:

#### SECTION I. Rationale and Purpose.

The Board of the Town of Fayal has determined that the highways and streets within the town, by reason of deterioration, rain, snow, frost and/or other climatic conditions, will be seriously damaged or destroyed unless the use of motor vehicles thereon is prohibited or the permissible weights thereof reduced.

# SECTION II. <u>Designation of Supervisor of Roads and Highways</u>; Identification of Road Surfaces.

A supervisor of roads and highways shall be appointed and designated by the Town Board. It shall be the duty and responsibility of the supervisor to identify and determine the nature and type of road surfaces under the jurisdiction of the Town of Fayal. Road surfaces shall be identified as: a) gravel roadways; b) lower strength blacktop roadways or highways; c) higher strength blacktop roadways or highways.

# SECTION III. Prohibited Acts

- a) From March 20th through May 15th of each year, no motor vehicle exceeding 5 tons per single axle shall use or travel upon or across gravel roadways under the jurisdiction or control of the Town of Fayal;
- b) From March 20th through May 15th of each year, no motor vehicle exceeding 7 tons per single axle shall use or travel upon or across lower strength blacktop roadways or highways under the jurisdiction or control of the Town of Fayal;
- c) From March 20th through May 15th of each year, no motor vehicle exceeding 9 tons per single axle shall use or travel upon or across higher strength blacktop roadways or highways under the jurisdiction or control of the Town of Fayal.

#### SECTION IV. Penalties

Any person or corporation who violates section III above will be guilty of a misdemeanor for each such violation. In addition, the actions or conduct of an agent or employee, acting within the scope of his/her authority

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and duties, will be imputed to his/her master or employer.

In addition to any fines or penalties set forth above, any person or corporation violating this ordinance could be subject to civil suit for damages to the roadway or highway.

# SECTION V. Erection of Signs.

Signs shall be erected and maintained by the Town of Fayal on each roadway or highway indicating the prohibition or restriction. These signs are to be erected at each end of that portion of any highway or roadway affected, and the prohibition or restriction shall be not effective unless and until such signs are erected.

# SECTION VI. School Bus Exemption.

The weight restrictions imposed pursuant to this ordinance do not apply to a school bus transporting students.

# SECTION VII. <u>Effective Date</u>.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

Passed by the Town Board on this 3rd day of December, 1991.

TOWN OF TRIAL

Chairman

ATTEST:

Clerk

#### Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS)

Jeff Asbach, being duly sworn, on oath says that he/she is the publisher or authorized agent and employee of the publisher of the newspaper known as Mesabi Daily News, and has full knowledge of the facts which are stated below:

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