

ORDINANCE NO. 4815

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 94, SECTION 94-10(B)(9) OF THE BOSSIER PARISH CODE OF ORDINANCES “ANNUAL PERMITS”, TO ADD SUBSECTION (I) “HIGH VOLUME TRAFFIC PERMIT (HVT)”

BE IT ORDAINED by the Bossier Parish Police Jury in regular and legal session on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021, that Chapter 94, Section 94-10(B)(9) of the Bossier Parish Code of Ordinances, be and is hereby amended to add Subsection (I) as follows:

Section 94-10(B)(9) Annual Permits

*Section 94-10(B)(9)(I) is hereby added as follows:*

- I. High Volume Traffic Permit (HVT) - Upon application and receipt of permit, an owner or driver of a vehicle or combination of vehicles may be issued a special permit (free of charge) to allow access to a parish roadway in an operation of a High Volume Traffic event. A High Volume Traffic event is considered to be when 50 or more Commercial Motor Vehicle loads/trips to and from a location are accessed by a parish roadway. This shall include loads made by other Over-Sized (O/S) or Over-Weight (O/WT) Permits issued by the Parish of Bossier. The envelope vehicle shall not exceed any legal parameters set forth by the Bossier Parish Police Jury concerning, but not restricted to weight, width, length, or height, etc. There shall be a numbered sticker issued with each permit that must be displayed on the vehicle in a highly visible location. This shall be an annual permit valid for one calendar year (Jan 1-Dec 31). To amend this permit for use on a different route other than the route specified on the original permit; or to gain access to a different HVT location, the owner or driver shall contact the BPPJ CVEU Permit Section and notify them of the requested route or location change.

By referencing the number on the original permit (displayed on sticker and on permit), the permit, upon approval, shall be amended displaying the route to the location/site in current use, or a route to a new or separate location/site. Failure to do so invalidates the permit.

All special conditions of this permit shall be adhered to at all times. Failure to do so will invalidate the permit and may result in further actions concerning the HVT location.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provisions or items of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

The ordinance was offered by Mr. Rimmer, seconded by Mr. Marsiglia. Upon unanimous vote, it was duly adopted on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021.

RACHEL D. HAUSER  
PARISH SECRETARY

JEROME DARBY, PRESIDENT  
BOSSIER PARISH POLICY JURY