

Transportation Permits

Transportation permits are over-the-counter permits. They are required for all vehicles or loads that exceed the limits of a legal load. The City's Master Fee Schedule defines the limits of a legal load as 12' wide, 14' high, 65' long and/or 80,000 gross pounds. Any vehicle or load exceeding any one of these measurements requires a transportation permit.

Insurance

- Single trip (\$16)
- Move a house, single trip (\$55)
- Annual permit (\$90)
- Emergency permit (\$32). Emergency permit fees shall be in addition to other applicable fees.

Insurance

Transportation permits require a certificate of insurance (COI) naming the City as certificate holder and as additional insured with insurance limits per City requirements.

- COI must be the original copy and include Automobile Liability insurance with a limit no less than \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury and property damage.
- Insurance certificate for coverage must not be expired.
- AM Best's rating will be considered for the insurance provider.

Route Restrictions

- Fourth Ave. ('E' St. – 'H' St)
 - Due to median widths, **if the load is wider than 20' and if the route proposes to use Fourth Av between 'E' St and 'H' St**, a detour will need to be made off of Fourth Ave between 'C' St and 'H' St.
- Fourth Ave. south of 'L' St. –
 - Oversize loads may not be allowed due to pedestrian signals at or near Westby St., Orsett St. and Tremont Street.
 - Traffic Engineering review and approval required if traveling in this area.
- Broadway south of 'L' St.
 - Oversize loads are not allowed due to median widths.
- Freeway under/over crossings
 - Subject to current State Dept. of Transportation 'Notice of Change in Clearance or Bridge Weight Rating' notices.

General Conditions

- Contact the City's Traffic Signal staff (Rob LeClaire, 619- 397-6163) sufficiently in advance of the move to ensure that the move is completed without damage to City traffic signals, signs and/or other City equipment.
- Call the applicants attention to the general and standard special conditions on the back of the Transportation permit form and to the special conditions that you add to the permit.
- Vehicles and/or loads >13' wide, >16' high or >100' long require Traffic Engineering review and approval.

- General and standard special conditions on the back of the Transportation permit form along with any special conditions added to the permit may apply.

Single Trip Permits

- If moving a house or mobile home, see the section below.
- 5 working days is the maximum time period allowed for a single trip permit.
- If the width is > 12' a pilot car is required. Check the 'yes' box for pilot car.

Move a house or mobile home –

A Transportation permit shall not be issued:

- Unless a building permit for the move has already been issued, and a bond has been deposited with the Building Division for the move.

Annual Permits

- Annual permits shall not be issued for loads >12' wide or >14' high or >100' long.
- Annual permits shall not be issued to move houses or mobile homes.
- If the weight exceeds the limits in the CA Vehicle Code by more than 25%, then the move shall be subject to additional route restrictions as required by the City. See CA Vehicle Code (Div. 15) for weight limits per axle starting with Section 35000 and Ch. 5 Section 35550.
- If the certificate of insurance expires before the permit expires, the permit will be null and void unless updated insurance is provided prior to insurance expiration.