

RESOLUTION NO. 71-13  
BRIDGE LIMITS

WHEREAS, in conformance with procedures adopted by the Washington State Association of Counties, and in the interest of safety, Mason County makes periodic inspections of bridges on the County Road System; and,

WHEREAS, inspection and evaluation of Mason County bridges was completed and reported in the 2013 Bridge Inventory Report; and

WHEREAS, such inspection has determined that four (4) bridges of Mason County's fifty-eight (58) bridges cannot be certified as safe for all legal highway loads, and,

WHEREAS, one (1) bridge of Mason County's fifty-eight (58) bridges has suffered structural deterioration requiring the two lane bridge to be reduced to one (1) lane with traffic lights for traffic control and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the lane limitations, closure and load limits be posted to control traffic on the bridges, as listed below, for a period of one (1) year, unless the Board shall, by appropriate action based upon proper certification, modify or remove such restrictions.

<u>Bridge No.</u>	<u>Bridge Name</u>	<u>Max Load Limit</u>	<u>No. of Lanes</u>	<u>Maximum Speed Limit</u>
10290-035 Bulb Farm Rd.	Hliboki Bridge	----	1	----
10510-0.23 Bolling Road	Gosnel Creek Bridge	----	1	----
11070-0.15 Eich Road	Eich Road (1) Bridge	----	1	----
11070-0.26 Eich Road	Eich Bridge	----	1	----
*416400176 Skokomish Valley Road	Hunter Creek Bridge	Reduced to one (1) lane bridge	1	20

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Engineer shall post the said bridges as listed with the lane limits and load limits, as set forth herein. Violation of these limits shall constitute a misdemeanor in accordance with RCW 36.75.270.

DATED this 17th day of December 2013.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
MASON COUNTY, WASHINGTON


  
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\* Note: Load Restrictions not applicable to school buses and emergency vehicles

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