ORDINANCE NO. 2012-14

An Ordinance of the Pierce County Council Restricting Vehicular Load Limits on the North Fork Muck Creek Bridge (No. 28183-A); and Directing that Appropriate Signage be Erected.

Whereas, Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 36.75.270 allows a County to limit the weight of vehicles that may travel on any County road or bridge; and

Whereas, the North Fork Muck Creek Bridge (No. 28183-A), located on 8th Avenue East, was load rated using procedures established by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) and the Washington State Department of Transportation; and

Whereas, it is in the best interest of the traveling public to restrict the vehicular load maximums on the North Fork Muck Creek Bridge (No. 28183-A); and

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of Pierce County:

Section 1. Load restrictions for the North Fork Muck Creek Bridge (No. 28183-A) shall be as follows:

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<th>Legal Vehicle</th>
<th>Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight</th>
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<td>AASHTO 1</td>
<td>19 TONS</td>
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<td>AASHTO 2</td>
<td>28 TONS</td>
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<td>AASHTO 3</td>
<td>38 TONS</td>
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Section 2. Load restrictions will be effective as on the effective date of this Ordinance and shall remain until such time as the North Fork Muck Creek Bridge (No. 28183-A) has been replaced or rehabilitated.
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6/25/2012
Date/initials
Section 3. The County Engineer is directed to erect appropriate signage restricting vehicular load limits on the North Fork Muck Creek Bridge (No. 28183-A).

PASSED this [5th] day of [June], 2012.

ATTEST:

Denise D. Johnson
Clerk of the Council

PIERCHE COUNTY COUNCIL
Pierce County, Washington

Joyce McDonald
Council Chair

Pat McCarthy
Pierce County Executive

Approved [_____] Vetoed [_______], this [20th] day of [June], 2012.

Date of Publication of Notice of Public Hearing: May 16, 2012
Effective Date of Ordinance: June 30, 2012