

ORDINANCE 2026-16

AMENDING HANCOCK COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES TITLE XV, CHAPTER 153.03
PERMIT FORMS AND DOCUMENTS

The following forms and instructions for completing them can be obtained from the County Highway Department.

Providing complete and accurate information on these forms is essential to expedite the permit processing.

(A) Driveway Permit Application:

This document serves as both the application and the permit upon approval. It must be signed by the fee simple title owner.

(B) Performance Bond:

Required to ensure completion of work as per permit conditions. Must be approved by the Highway Department and notarized.

(C) Fee and Bond Schedule:

Driveway Approaches:

Activity	Fee (Updated)	Bond (Updated)	Drive Class
Residential Driveway	\$100	-	Class I
Temporary Drive	\$100	-	Class I
Entrance (off frontage road)	\$100	-	Class I
Sidewalks	\$100	\$3,000	Class V
Minor Commercial Drive	\$200	\$5,000	Class III
Major Commercial Drive	\$200	\$5,000	Class IV
Field Approach	\$100	\$1,000	Class V

Other Activities:

Activity	Application Fee	Minimum Bond
Utility work	\$100	\$25,000
Open cut (non-utility)	\$100	\$1,000
Boring/push under county road	\$200	\$1,000
Overweight/oversize vehicle	\$200	\$1,000
House moving	\$400	\$30,000

(D) Cash may be posted in lieu of a bond.

(E) Public utilities may post a yearly bond as determined by the County Engineer.

(F) Permits expire one year from the date of approval.

(G) Applicants must contact the County Highway Department to initiate the permit process.

(H) Preliminary discussions with the department are encouraged to determine permit classification and applicable procedures.

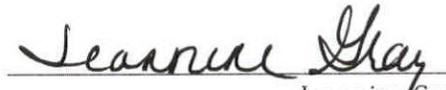
(Ord. 1999-6E, passed 6-28-99)

ADOPTED THIS 20th DAY OF JANUARY 2026

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
HANCOCK COUNTY, INDIANA



Gary McDaniel

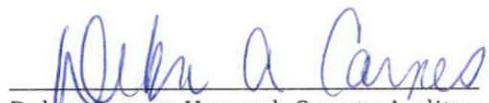


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