AUTHORIZING THE POSTING OF SIGNS TEMPORARILY PROHIBITING TRUCKS EXCEEDING 10 TONS ON VILLAGE MAINTAINED ROADS

WHEREAS, the 625 ILCS 5/15-716 provides when the local authority may restrict the right to use a highway or road under its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Barrington Hills has accepted such a right so that Village Code Section 9-2-6-3 authorizes the Village President, upon approval of the Board of Trustees by resolution, to prohibit the operation of trucks or other commercial vehicles upon highways or roads under the jurisdiction of the Village for up to ninety (90) days whenever any road or portion thereof will be seriously damaged by such use due to deterioration, rain, snow or other climatic conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Village Engineer has surveyed the roads under the Village's jurisdiction and has determined on or about March 13, 2023, that changing climatic conditions present a high risk of serious damage by operation of vehicles exceeding a gross weight of ten (10) tons; and

WHEREAS, the Village President has directed that all such roads be so posted by March 13, 2023, to temporarily prohibit trucks exceeding ten (10) tons on Village maintained roads.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington Hills, Cook, Kane, Lake and McHenry Counties, Illinois, as a Home Rule municipality, the following:

SECTION ONE: The Board of Trustees finds that the statements made in the preamble to this Resolution are true and correct and hereby adopts such statements as part of this Resolution.

SECTION TWO: The Board of Trustees hereby affirms the posting of Village maintained roads, with signs prohibiting certain vehicles weighing in excess of ten (10) tons gross weight for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days from March 13, 2023.

SECTION THREE: All outstanding overweight permits and the application for such permits shall remain suspended during the effective period of this temporary prohibition.

SECTION FOUR: The Chairman of the Roads and Bridge Committee, upon consultation with the Village Engineer, is hereby authorized to order the removal of said signs and thereby end the prohibition.

SECTION FIVE: If any part or provision of this Resolution shall be held or deemed to be invalid, such invalidity shall not have the effect of rendering another part or provision of this Resolution invalid.

SECTION SIX: This Resolution shall be in full force and affect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law.

Ayes:

5 (Strauss, Riff, Ekstrom, Croll, Cecola)

Nays:

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Absent:

2 (Hills, Konicek)

PASSED AND APPROVED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington Hills, Illinois, this 21st day of March, 2023.

APPROVED:

Village President

ATTEST:

Village Clerk