



Illinois Department of Transportation

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CIRCULAR LETTER 2006-06

PUBLIC ACT 94-0763: DESIGNATED TRUCK ROUTE SYSTEM

COUNTY ENGINEERS/SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS
MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS/DIRECTORS OF PUBLIC WORKS
MUNICIPAL CLERKS
CONSULTANTS

Public Act 94-0763 was signed into law by the Governor on May 12, 2006, and will become effective on January 1, 2007. This law requires the Department of Transportation to maintain and provide a listing of all Class I, Class II, and Class III designated streets and highways defined by 625 ILCS 5/1-126.1, Highway Designations. This law includes local streets and highways that have been designated as Class II or Class III highways by local agencies. It is the responsibility of the local agency with jurisdiction over a Class II or III designated highway to report its location to the department.

In order to facilitate the reporting requirement and to standardize the submittals, the department requests that local agencies submit to the District Bureau of Local Roads and Streets the attached Local Class II and Class III Truck Route Designation form; a location map highlighting Class II or III highways; and a copy of the resolution(s) designating the highway. On the map, place a reference number for each designated route. Then, use this reference number on the form to assist with the data entry. For municipalities, the Public Works Director, Municipal Engineer, or Municipal Clerk should make the submittal. For counties and townships, the County Engineer should make the submittal.

The department will use this information to display all Class I, II, or III designated highways on an interactive map on the department's Web site. A Web page will also contain a list of designated routes by county.

Since the effective date of this legislation is January 1, 2007, please submit the requested items no later than Friday, September 15, 2006. The contact information for each District Local Roads Engineer and a district map is attached for your convenience.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Charles J. Ingersoll in cursive.

Charles J. Ingersoll, P. E.
Engineer of Local Roads and Streets

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Joseph S. Hill, P.E.
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Attachments

AN ACT concerning transportation.

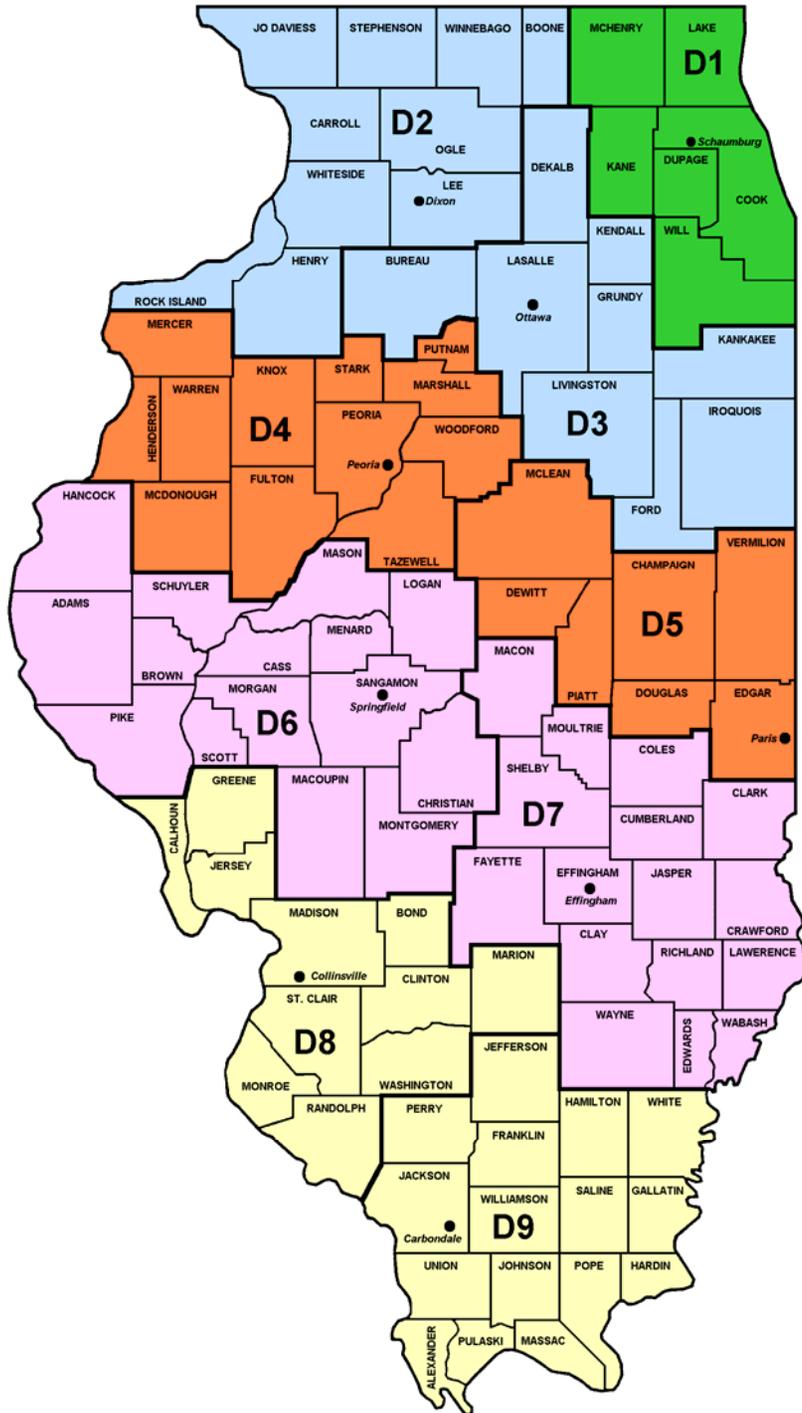
**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
represented in the General Assembly:**

Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding Section 15-116 as follows:

(625 ILCS 5/15-116 new)

Sec. 15-116. Designated truck route system. The Department of Transportation shall maintain and provide a listing of all Class I, Class II, and Class III designated streets and highways as defined in Chapter 1 of this Code. The Department shall also maintain and provide a listing of all local streets or highways that have been designated Class II or Class III by local agencies. Local agencies shall be responsible for reporting to the Department all streets and highways under their jurisdiction designated Class II and Class III. Local agencies shall also provide to the Department reference contact names and telephone numbers. The Department shall also maintain and provide an official map of the Designated State Truck Route System that includes State and local streets and highways that have been designated Class I, Class II, or Class III.

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