



# OVERWEIGHT AND OVERSIZE TRUCK PERMITTING ON LOCAL ROADWAYS



WDEA Annual Meeting  
Janet Sanford, Operator  
October 8-9, 2020





# LoadPass Permits

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A uniform system for the permitting of overweight and oversized loads on member county, township, and city roadways.

# Permit System History

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- Permit System started in the mid -1980's by ND Association of Oil and Gas Producing Counties (now Western Dakota Energy Association) to track and monitor overweight (non-divisible loads) and over-dimension trucks on oil county roads.
- Began as Non-Uniform system – each county had different rules, regulations and fees.
- Mid 1990s a group of member county sheriffs and county commissioners worked together to make the system as 'uniform' as possible between the counties.

# Permit System History

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- The permit system started as a self-issue paper permit 'on your honor' system.
- In 2010 the online ePermit Management System was built.
- ePermits AND Self-Issue Paper Permits were issued for the next five years.

# Permit System History

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- 2015 – Discontinued paper permits
- 2016 –
  - Rebranded system from ND Uniform County Truck Permit System to ‘LoadPass Permits’
  - WDEA Executive Board voted to expand to counties outside of oil country

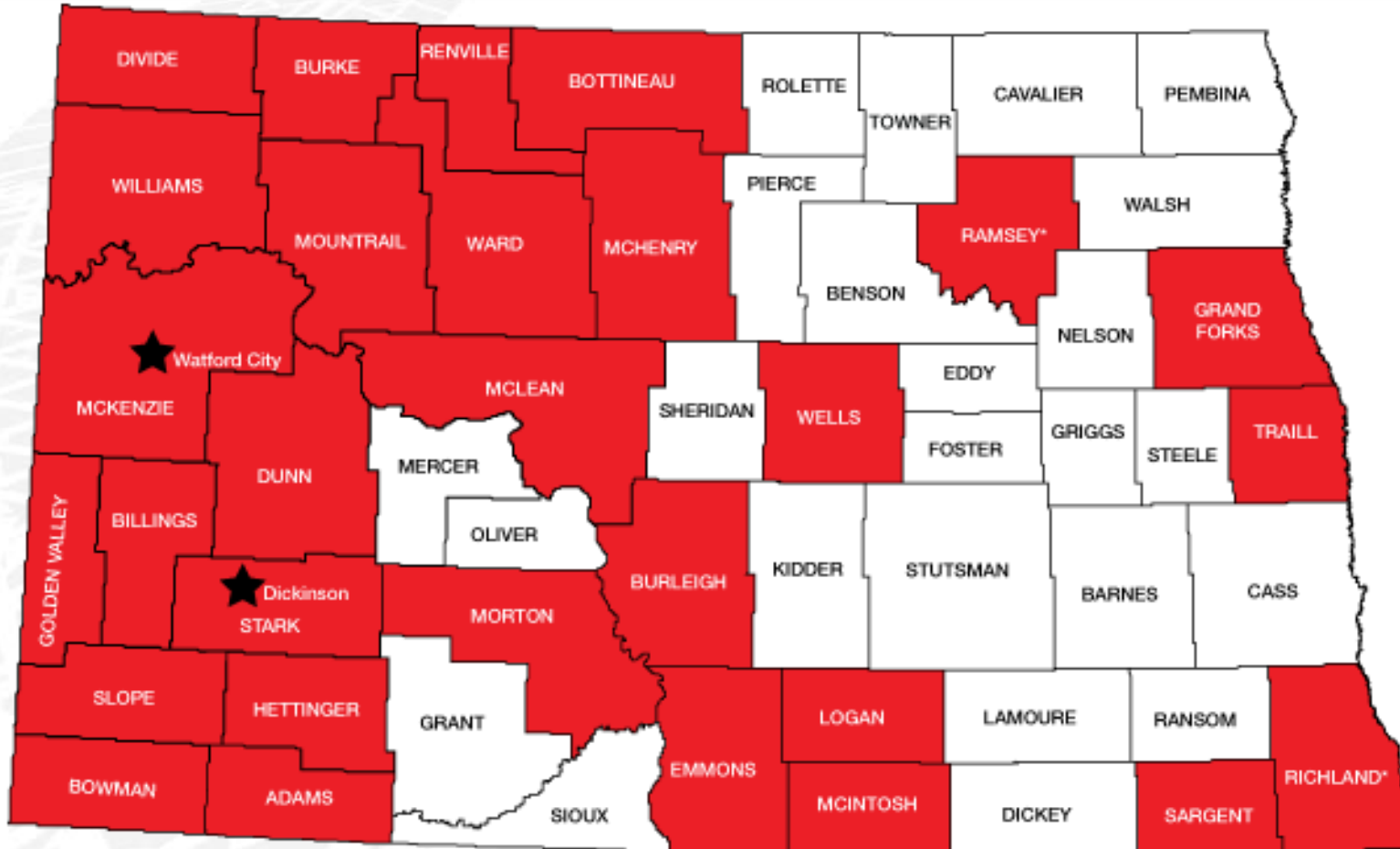
Members: 29 Counties / 2 Cities	
<b>ADAMS</b>	<b>MCINTOSH</b>
<b>BILLINGS</b>	<b>MCKENZIE</b>
<b>BOTTINEAU</b>	<b>MCLEAN</b>
<b>BOWMAN</b>	<b>MORTON</b>
<b>BURKE</b>	<b>MOUNTRAIL</b>
<b>BURLEIGH</b>	<b>RAMSEY</b> (Effective 01/01/2021)
<b>CITY OF DICKINSON</b>	<b>RENVILLE</b>
<b>CITY OF WATFORD CITY</b>	<b>RICHLAND</b> (Effective 01/01/2021)
<b>DIVIDE</b>	<b>SARGENT</b>
<b>DUNN</b>	<b>SLOPE</b>
<b>EMMONS</b>	<b>STARK</b>
<b>GOLDEN VALLEY</b>	<b>TRAILL</b>
<b>GRAND FORKS</b>	<b>WARD</b>
<b>HETTINGER</b>	<b>WELLS</b>
<b>LOGAN</b>	<b>WILLIAMS</b>
<b>MCHENRY</b>	







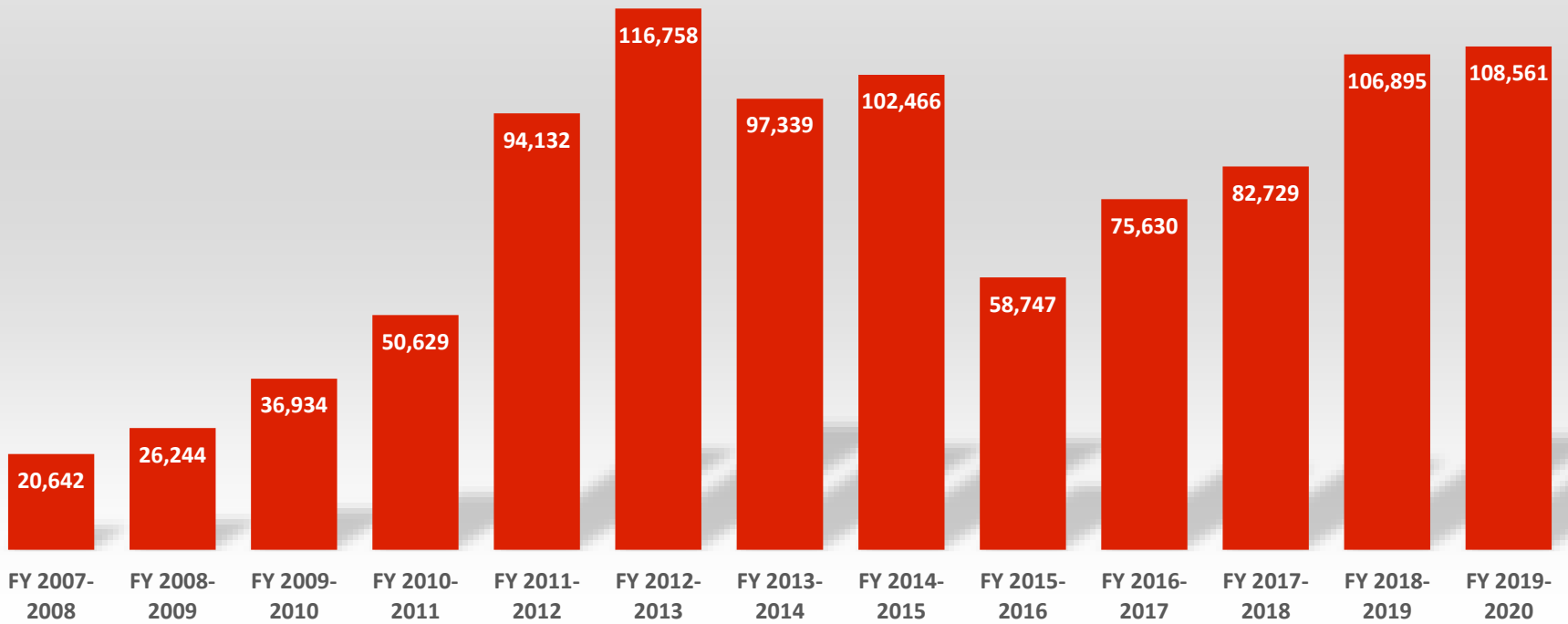
# LoadPass Permit Counties



\*Effective 1/1/2021



# Total Number of Permits Sold on Behalf of all Members Annually 2007-2019





# LoadPass Permits

## 2019-2020 Fiscal Year End Totals

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- Number of permits sold on behalf of the County/City Members - **108,561**
- Fees Collected and Distributed to the County/City Members - **\$ 20,724,609.76**
- Special Projects Fund - **\$ 315,602.22**
  - GIS Project
  - Wise Roads



# Routable Road Network (GIS Project)

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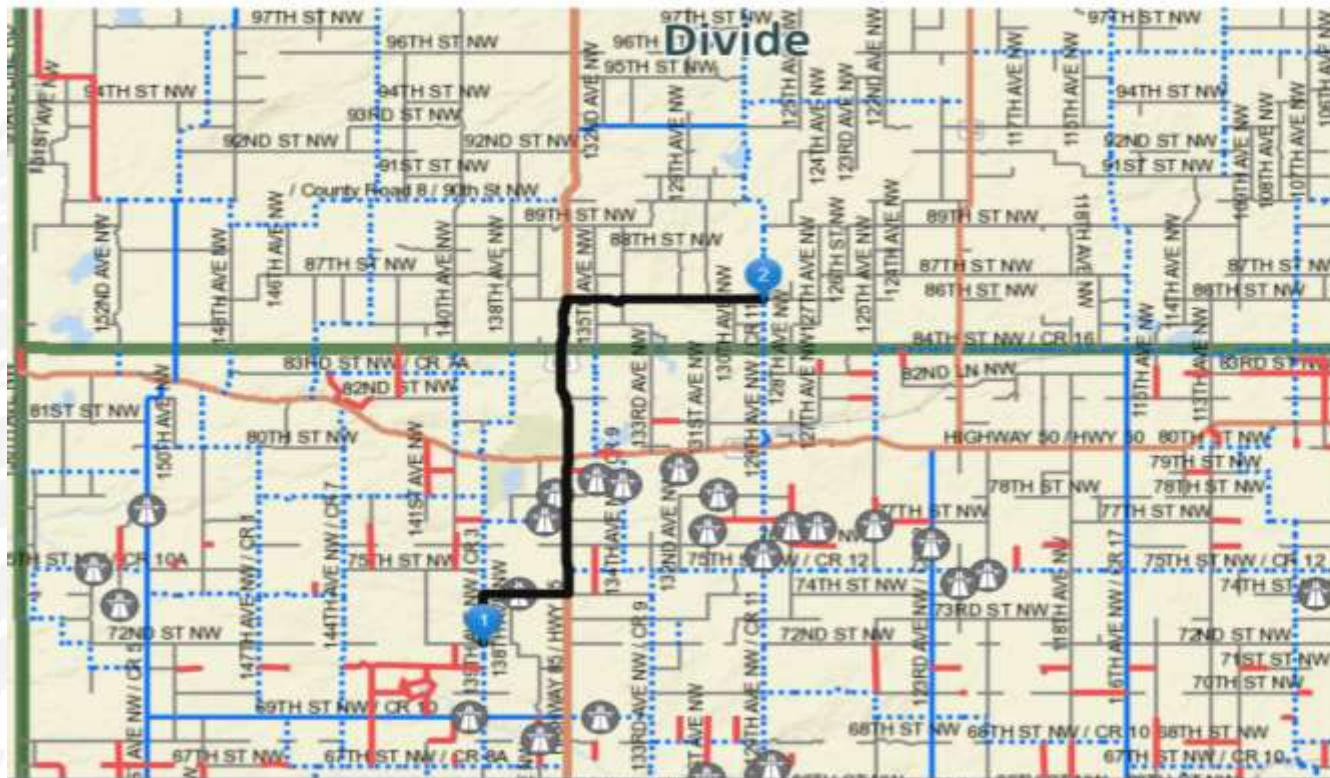
- Released August 20, 2019
  - After 2-1/2 years in development
- Provides users with an interactive routable map for more efficient permit routing.
- Provides political subdivisions with additional tools to control traffic on their roads.
- 88% of the permits purchased are now using the GIS routing vs. manual routing option

# LoadPass Routable Map

## LoadPass Routing Application

Weight

pounds



## Directions

24.18 miles

1. Start at 72nd St, Williston, North Dakota, 58801\_1004
2. Go northeast on 72ND ST NW toward 139TH AVE NW  
0.07 mi
3. Turn left on 139TH AVE NW  
1.93 mi - 3 min
4. Turn right on 74TH ST NW  
2.99 mi - 4 min
5. Turn left on



# LoadPass Permits

## Member County Road Data Stats

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Number of Road Segments	91,495
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Total Miles of Road	45,018
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Unique Road Names	7,660
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# LoadPass Notification System

Register at [Loadpasspermits.com](http://Loadpasspermits.com)

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- Notification System – Member Counties/Cities send out notifications of
  - Load Restrictions
  - Closures
  - Planned Construction ProjectsOver 13,000 individuals registered to receive notices
- FY 2019-2020 LoadPass Notification System sent out
  - Over 2 million text messages
  - Over 6 million emails
- Enhancement to Notification System anticipated to be released in November or December



# LoadPass Future Enhancements

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- Notification System Enhancement
- Fee Schedule conversion from GVW to Axle Weights
- Mobile-Friendly Enhancements



# LoadPass Advisory Committee

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- The LoadPass Advisory Committee is made up of representatives from
  - Member Counties
  - Member Cities
  - WDEA Executive Board
  - ND Township Association

Group meets semi-annually in the spring and fall



# LoadPass Advisory Committee Officers

President	Trudy Ruland	Mountrail County Commissioner
Vice-President	Pat Rummel	Billings County Sheriff
Member at Large	Matt Johansen	Billings County Sheriff
Member at Large	Al Heiser	Stark County Road Supt.
Ex officio – WDEA Executive Board	Daryl Dukart	Dunn County Commissioner
Ex officio – ND Township Assn	Thomas Wheeler	ND Township Association
Secretary	Janet Sanford	WDEA – LoadPass Operator

# Semi-Annual LoadPass Meeting

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- Fall LoadPass Advisory Committee Meeting will be held
  - Thursday, October 22, 2020 at 10:00 AM
  - Virtual Meeting via Zoom

# Contact Information

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