

Load Weight Restriction Bylaws

The period of enforcement for Load Weight Restriction is usually from March 1st to April 30th of each calendar year, with the potential extension of enforcement into the month of May.

Load restrictions may be enacted on municipal roads at any time throughout the year. Load restriction bylaws are being enforced with more diligence as funding decreases and infrastructure costs increase. The restricted weight remains at 5 tonnes per axle limit. Many of our ready-mix concrete trucks are extremely close to the limit without carrying a load.

If you will require concrete deliveries on a weight restricted road during this time, you can have your customer ask the Municipality for an exemption to the restriction. Dufferin Concrete will then require a copy of that exemption letter to be carried in each delivery truck.

As the supplier, Dufferin Concrete cannot request this exemption directly. If the exemption is not granted, Dufferin Concrete will conform to the bylaw. In this case there will be an additional delivery charge.

Customers requesting quotations on new rural structures that will potentially be constructed during this time should consider the load weight restriction. We encourage these customers to make arrangements with the Municipality, or plan construction schedules to fall outside of this period to avoid additional delivery charges.

We appreciate your understanding. Please contact your Sales Representative regarding details of load size and charges.

