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Price County Highway Department Policy for Work Zones on County Highways

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that work zones on Price County Highways are subject to consistent flagging and signing operations.

Effective July 1, 2020 all flaggers working on the Price County Highway System are required to be certified. The requirement is to ensure flaggers get the proper training in order to keep themselves, their fellow workers and the traveling public safe. The certification shall include:

- 4 hours of classroom training
- 8 hours of field/on-the-job training
- Refresher course every 2 years

Any training that meets the requirements identified in the Wisconsin Flagging Handbook will qualify as certification.

Flaggers will be required to provide proof of certification if requested by a Price County Highway Department representative. Failure to provide proof may result in an immediate shutdown of the operation and removal of all equipment, materials and personnel from the travel portion of the highway until a certified flagger with proof of certification can take over the flagging duties. Flaggers must follow the 2020 Wisconsin Flagger Handbook. The use of portable rumble strips for work zones on Price County Highways may be required by the Highway Commissioner.

All work within the Price County Right-of-Way will require a Work-on-Right of Way Permit regardless of the nature of the operation. Work zones must be properly signed in accordance with the approved signing detail issued with the permit. Failure to follow the approved signing plan could result in an immediate shutdown of the operation until the proper signing is in place.