



Q. What is a Road Use Agreement?

A. A Road Use Agreement is a written understanding reached between Beaver County and frequent haul users about the use of roads in the County.

Q. Who will need a Road Use Agreement?

A. Frequent haul users who incur more than four (4) trips per hour in any two-hour period or ten (10) or more trips per day will require a road use agreement for all hauling within the County 24 to 48 hours prior to the commencement of the haul.

In Beaver County, frequent haulers exist in the commercial, industrial and oil sectors, and in the agricultural sector (i.e. manure, chemical/fertilizer, water).

Q. Do Ag producers need Road Use Agreements?

A. If you are a farmer hauling a load of grain to the seed cleaning plant on occasion, you will not require a Road Use Agreement.

If your operation requires more than four (4) trips per hour in any two-hour period or ten (10) or more trips per day, you will require an Agreement 24 to 48 hours prior to the commencement of the haul. Examples may include the hauling of manure, anhydrous, etc.

Q. Are there different types of Road Use Agreements?

A. There are three commonly used forms of Road Use Agreements:

Annual Road Use Agreements are issued to the Prime Contractor or Carrier and are valid for either a single year term or they are continuous for the amount of time the Prime Contractor or Carrier is doing business in the Municipality. They provide a blanket agreement for all roads within the Municipality.

Site Specific Road Use Agreements are issued to the Prime Contractor for a specific LSD or Facility. They are valid for a single year or the length of time the Prime Contractor is the owner of the LSD of Facility. All sub-contractors hired by the Prime Contractor have permission to use the RUA as long as all conditions of the RUA are followed.

Single Trip Road Use Agreements are issued to the Prime Contractor or Carrier and are valid for a single trip from point to point using a designed route.

Q. How much do Road Use Agreements cost?

A. Entering a Road Use Agreement with Beaver County will not cost you anything.

Q. How do I get a Road Use Agreement with Beaver County?

A. To enter into a Road Use Agreement with Beaver County, please contact Roadata Services at 1.888.444.9288.

Q. Where can I get more information?

A. Beaver County's Road Protection and Traffic Control Bylaw 12-1003 and Road Use Policy are available at www.beaver.ab.ca. For more information, contact Rick Ells, Community Peace Officer, at (780) 663-3730.