



TOWN OF SILVER LAKE

Weight Limit Ordinance Violation 0#02-02-22

Violation Appeal Public Hearing Minutes

January 14, 2026-7:09 PM

Silver Lake Town Hall, 604 N Jefferson St.

PUBLIC HEARING OPENED AT: 7:09 PM

PRESENT:

- a) Elected Members: Medard (Hugh) Murfin, Nichole Taylor, Gloria (Jean) Weller (absent), Tonya Conley
- b) Department Heads: Jason McGlennen, Joey McNeal (absent), John Conley
- c) Attorney: Austin Rovenstine

Weight Limit Ordinance Violation Appeal:

Medard Murfin, Council President, opened the hearing and turned the floor over to Derek Ray and Chad Hull, Speedway Sand & Gravel Company. Derek and Chad were asking the council to consider waiving the fine. Mr. Ray explained that they were a subcontractor, and the actual contractor was supposed to obtain the permits and permissions needed to complete the work for which they were subcontracted. Mr Ray stated that neither Speedway nor Chad Hull knew that the contractor had not done so. Both Derek and Chad explained the weight of the cement truck but said it was no different from that of a trash truck or a school bus. Jason McGlennen, the town Marshal, pointed out that signs marked the weight limit and stated that buses have pick-up points in that area. They do not go down those roads; rather, the parents or children walk to a bus pick-up point. During the initial discussion, Hugh stated he believed the violation should stand based solely on signage, but realized that the weight of other trucks, such as trash trucks, was also an issue and needed to be addressed. After further discussion, Hugh stated that he would be willing to waive the fine and Nichole agreed with the waiver and stated the signs should be moved to the entrances of the roads so they could be seen in an attempt for larger trucks to notice prior to getting to that point. Austin, Town Attorney, said the violation Hearing Authority (town board) needed a motion. Nichole made a motion to waive the fine, Hugh seconded and all in favor, motion carried. The fine is hereby waived.

PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED:

Nichole made the first motion to close the hearing at 7:29 PM. Medard made the second motion, and all in favor; the motion carried.

Medard Murfin, Council President

Tonya Conley, Clerk-Treasurer