



## State Information Form- January 2010

### SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Name of state Nebraska

Are you a bonus state Yes  No

Total number of road miles in state highway system 9,945

Total number of road miles regulated in ODA program \_\_\_\_\_

On Interstate system 482

On NHS system 3,004

On FAP (6/1/91) system 7,728

Other 1,184

Does your State have FAP routes that have been transferred to local government control

Yes  No

If yes, how many miles are still under HBA control \_\_\_\_\_

Names of the routes still under HBA control \_\_\_\_\_

### SIZE AND HEIGHT

Current maximum size per side 1,000 sq ft

Current minimum size per side allowed before permit is required No minimum

How many sign faces are allowed in each direction Two

Do you allow temporary extension/cutouts on conforming signs Yes  No

Current maximum size of extension/cutouts on conforming signs Nothing set by Rule/Reg yet

Do you allow temporary extension/cutouts on nonconforming signs Yes  No

Current maximum size of extension/cutouts on nonconforming signs Nothing set by Rule/Reg yet

What is the maximum height of a sign structure No height restriction

How do you measure height of the sign structure Top of sign to ground

What is the maximum height of a sign face No height restriction

How do you measure height of a sign face Bottom of sign to ground

### FEE STRUCTURE

Application Fee \$ 15.00 (this also covers the first biennial permit)

Annual Permit Fee \$ All permit fees are charged biennially - not annually

Renewal Fee \$ 15.00 every two year(s)

Permit Investigation Fee \$ None

Administration Fee \$ None

Transfer Fee \$ None

Other Fees \$ 5.00 to replace lost/missing sign tag

INVENTORY

Total number of sign permits statewide as of January 1, 2010 \_\_\_\_\_

Number of conforming signs statewide as of January 1, 2010 \_\_\_\_\_

Number of nonconforming signs statewide as of January 1, 2010 \_\_\_\_\_

Do you permit sign faces Yes  No

Do you permit sign locations Yes  No

Do you permit sign structures Yes  No

ADMINISTRATION

Under what department and division is your ODA program administered State of Nebraska,  
Department of Roads, right of Way Division; Highway Beautification Section

Is your ODA program centralized Yes  No

Is your state ODA program divided into districts / regions Yes  No

If yes, total number of districts/ regions Eight Districts

Total number of employees in ODA program Ten

Number of ODA employees in Central office 2

Number of ODA employees in district / regional office 8

Number of certified cities in ODA program 0

Names of the cities certified 0

Is your ODA program privatized Yes  No

If yes, with whom do you have a contract \_\_\_\_\_

When was the program privatized \_\_\_\_\_

How many years does the privatization contract run \_\_\_\_\_

SPACING

When permitting in an unzoned commercial or industrial area, what is the maximum distance  
allowed between the qualifying business and sign site 600 feet

How many businesses are required to qualify a sign site One

What is the minimum spacing on

Interstate Outside corporate limits = 500' Inside corporate limits = 250'

FAP Outside corporate limits = 250' Inside corporate limits 100'

Inside incorporated municipalities \_\_\_\_\_

Outside incorporated municipalities \_\_\_\_\_

ON-PREMISE

Does your program regulate on-premise signs Yes  No

Does your state have on-premise animated/video sign regulations Yes  No

If yes, how do you regulate on-premise signs for brightness \_\_\_\_\_

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CEVMS

Does your state allow electronic signs Yes  No

Regarding electronic signs, what is the

Rotation rate Within 2 seconds Static rate 10 seconds

Additional fee \$ None

Did it require new legislation Yes  No

How do you measure brightness issues \_\_\_\_\_

Is spacing different for CEVMS signs Yes  No

If yes, what is spacing on CEVMS signs 5,000'

VEGETATION

Do you have a vegetation removal program Yes  No

Is there a participation fee Yes  No

Please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Application fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Vegetation removal fee structure \_\_\_\_\_

Is the program performed by  ODA  Maintenance  Other \_\_\_\_\_

What are the penalties for illegal vegetation removal Fine by State Statute; vegetation removal on State right-of-way is illegal under state statute 25-2130

Have you been successful in revoking a permit for illegal vegetation removal Yes  No

Have you been successful in collecting penalties for illegal vegetation removal Yes  No

Other Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

STAKEHOLDER INVOLVEMENT

Does your state have a task force or focus group comprised of state, federal, environmental, and industry representatives that meet on a regular basis to discuss

ODA / Junkyard/Vegetation issues Yes  No

If yes, is the group legislatively mandated Yes  No

FEDERAL / STATE AGREEMENT / REGULATIONS

Has your Federal / State Agreement been updated Yes  No

Is your Federal / State Agreement available on-line Yes  No

Provide the direct web link On the Nahba website

Are your statutes available on-line Yes  No

Provide the direct web link www.nebraska.gov

Are your regulations available on-line Yes  No

Provide the direct web link www.transportation.nebraska.gov

What year were your state statutes last revised \_\_\_\_\_

What year were your administrative rules last revised May 2004

APPEAL PROCESS

What type of appeal process does your state utilize (check all that apply)

- Internal / DOT hearing officer
- Administrative law judge
- Judicial review by circuit / district court
- Other No formal appeal process; re-review by NDOR staff; then litigation if necessary.

JUNKYARDS

Do you regulate junkyards on non-interstate (FAP) routes Yes  No

Number of permitted junkyards, within 1,000 feet of an interstate or FAP 30 +/-

Application Fee \$ 50 - includes 1st year's permit

Administration Fee \$ 0

Renewal Fee \$ 50 annually

INTERNET

Official state website www.nebraska.gov

State ODA website www.nebraskatransportation.org/roway/permits-adv.htm

State DOT website www.transportation.nebraska.gov

Other links of interest \_\_\_\_\_

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Name & Title