



State Information Form- January 2010

SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Name of state Ohio

Are you a bonus state Yes No

Total number of road miles in state highway system 19,000

Total number of road miles regulated in ODA program _____

On Interstate system 1573.45

On NHS system 4385.11

On FAP (6/1/91) system 6641.32

Other N/A

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 1,200 sq. ft.

Current minimum size per side allowed before permit is required 8 sq. ft.

How many sign faces are allowed in each direction 2, except multiple message

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

Current maximum size of extension/cutouts on conforming signs 20% of the current size

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

Current maximum size of extension/cutouts on nonconforming signs N/A

What is the maximum height of a sign structure N/A

How do you measure height of the sign structure N/A

What is the maximum height of a sign face N/A, just maximum size of 1200 sq. ft.

How do you measure height of a sign face Visual Inspection

FEE STRUCTURE

Application Fee \$ 225.00 per face, except multiple message (MM), and it is \$625.00

Annual Permit Fee \$ _____

Renewal Fee \$ \$125.00 per face \$325.00, MM every 2 year(s)

Permit Investigation Fee \$ Included with the application fee

Administration Fee \$ Included with the application fee

Transfer Fee \$ 25.00 per permit

Other Fees \$ 100.00 modification fee, 300 for MM, \$25.00 replacement plate fee

INVENTORY

Total number of sign permits statewide as of January 1, 2010 10,749

Number of conforming signs statewide as of January 1, 2010 6,367

Number of nonconforming signs statewide as of January 1, 2010 4,382

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 _____
Chief Legal Counsel, Office of Contract Administration

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 12

Total number of employees in ODA program 4

Number of ODA employees in Central office 4

Number of ODA employees in district / regional office N/A

Number of certified cities in ODA program N/A

Names of the cities certified N/A

Is your ODA program privatized Yes No

If yes, with whom do you have a contract N/A

When was the program privatized N/A

How many years does the privatization contract run N/A

SPACING

When permitting in an unzoned commercial or industrial area, what is the maximum distance allowed between the qualifying business and sign site 850 feet

How many businesses are required to qualify a sign site 1

What is the minimum spacing on

Interstate 500 feet except MM, 1000 feet

FAP 500 feet except MM, 1000 feet

Inside incorporated municipalities 250 feet

Outside incorporated municipalities 500 feet

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 N/A

CEVMS

Does your state allow electronic signs Yes No

Regarding electronic signs, what is the

Rotation rate 8 seconds Static rate 3 seconds or less

Additional fee \$ Yes

Did it require new legislation Yes No

How do you measure brightness issues Don't at this time

Is spacing different for CEVMS signs Yes No

If yes, what is spacing on CEVMS signs 1000 feet

VEGETATION

Do you have a vegetation removal program Yes No

Is there a participation fee Yes No

Please explain Any vegetation of value that is removed must be either replaced or pay reimburse

Application fee \$ None

Vegetation removal fee structure The evaluation of vegetation value is base from Guide for Plan Appraisal and, or, the Guide to Appraisal of Trees and other plants in Ohio.

Is the program performed by ODA Maintenance Other _____

What are the penalties for illegal vegetation removal Not sure, but penalties may match the value of the vegetation removed.

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 _____

Are your statutes available on-line Yes No

Provide the direct web link www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/ContractAdmin/Contracts/Pages/ADC.aspx

Are your regulations available on-line Yes No

Provide the direct web link Same as above

What year were your state statutes last revised November 2007

What year were your administrative rules last revised November 2003

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 Contracted hearing examiner

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 ODOT not involved anymore

Application Fee \$ N/A

Administration Fee \$ N/A

Renewal Fee \$ N/A

INTERNET

Official state website www.ohio.gov

State ODA website www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/ContractAdmin/Contracts/Pages/ADC.aspx

State DOT website www.dot.state.oh.us

Other links of interest _____

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Date _____

Name & Title