

**TOWN OF BRILLION
CALUMET COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-02

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING TRAFFIC VISIBILITY STANDARDS

Section 1: General.

The Town Board finds that in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare it is necessary to prohibit certain visual obstructions at road intersections.

Section 2: Visual Obstructions Prohibited.

No fence, wall, hedge, planting, vegetation, or structure shall be erected, placed, planted, maintained, or allowed to grow in such a manner as to obstruct vision in the vicinity of an intersection between a height of two and one-half feet and ten feet above the centerline grade of the road within the following areas:

- (a) The area established by measuring from the center of the minor road at the depth of the stop sign and in each direction for a distance of 150 feet. At a four-way stop, both roads are considered minor roads.

Section 3: Failure to Comply.

If an owner or occupant fails to comply with the provisions of Section 2, the Town Clerk or other authorized Town official shall notify the owner or occupant as to the violation of this ordinance. If such owner or occupant fails to abate or remove the violation within 30 days after notice, the Town Clerk or other authorized Town Official may take action to abate and remove the violation at the expense of the owner or occupant of the property.

Section 4: Cost of Abatement.

If the Town causes such violation to be removed as provided in Section 3, the actual cost thereof shall be charged to the owner or occupant and the amount charged shall be entered in the tax roll as a special charge against the property affected and the same shall be collected in all request like other taxes upon real estate.

Section 5: Penalties.

In addition to being liable for the costs of abating an encroachment under Section 3, any person who violates this Ordinance shall, upon conviction, forfeit not less than \$200 nor

more than \$1,000 for each offense, plus the costs of prosecution. Each day a violation continues constitutes a separate offense

Section 6: Effective Date.

This Ordinance takes effect upon its passage and publication as required by law.

Dated this 8th day of July, 2025.

TOWN OF BRILLION

By: _____
Kevin Fischer, Town Chairperson

Attest: _____
Karen Jannette, Town Clerk