

NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

Transportation Security Regarding Hazardous Materials DSP132

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on Transportation Security Regarding Hazardous Materials DSP132, ch. Trans 326, a proposed guidance document.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION

Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by:

1. Department's website:

<https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=DSP132>

2. Mailing written comments to:

Division of State Patrol
Wisconsin Department of Transportation
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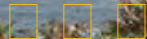
The final version of this guidance document will be posted at wisconsin.dot.gov to allow for ongoing comment.

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Licenses

Hazardous waste licenses are under the jurisdiction of the [Department of Natural Resources](#) (DNR). They require transporters of hazardous waste to obtain a license to haul the waste and the company must meet strict documentation requirements.

- The drivers of trucks hauling hazardous waste or materials are under the jurisdiction of the Department of Transportation.

Drivers must obtain proper endorsements for their [operator's license](#) through testing and must provide multiple proofs of identity.

Should the public be concerned?

Both hazardous materials and hazardous wastes are transported daily with little or no risk to the public. Regular shipments of gasoline, propane, acid and other substances are delivered across Wisconsin.

- State agencies have increased their inspection of motor carriers and individuals that are licensed to transport these materials.
- Transport companies are being advised to review their hiring practices and to be extra cautious in their procedures. They have also been cautioned to never leave their vehicles unattended.

Related information:

- [DNR hazardous waste regulatory program](#)
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