

<p style="text-align: center;">OTTAWA COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OPERATIONAL POLICY PERMITTING</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">NUMBER: 8</p> <p style="text-align: center;">EFFECTIVE DATE: 08/19/14</p> <p style="text-align: center;">REVISION NUMBER:</p>
<p>SUBJECT: IRRIGATION SYSTEMS WITHIN RIGHT-OF-WAY</p>	

Irrigation systems placed within Road Commission right-of-ways are the sole responsibility of the property owner. They are not an expense that is reimbursable by the Road Commission.

Any damage created to a property owner’s irrigation system as a result of winter or summer maintenance activities or that is created by the permitted use of the right-of-way by a utility company or other agency is the sole responsibility of the property owner. Such damage is not subject to claim or reimbursement by the Road Commission.

The Road Commission will make every effort to identify and protect irrigation systems within the right-of-way on construction and maintenance projects. If it is determined that an irrigation system needs to be removed or relocated, the property owner shall be responsible for its removal and reinstallation.

Adopted by the Board of County Road Commissioners: August 19, 2014