

**PERKINS COUNTY**  
**Cattle Guard Application**

**SECTION A: OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMATION**

Name:								
Address:	Physical/Street Mailing City, State, Zip							
Telephone Number:								
Email Address:								
Legal Description of Cattle Guard Location:						Sec	Twp	Rge
Start Date:								
Completion Date:								
I hereby agree to construct and maintain the cattle guard.	Signature			Title		Date		

**SECTION B: PERKINS COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT**

Approved <input type="checkbox"/>	Signature		Title		Date	
Denied <input type="checkbox"/>						
Permit #						
Date of Preliminary Inspection:						
Cattle Guard Dimension	Width	Length	Wings			
Date of Final Inspection:						
Remarks:						

## **PERKINS COUNTY CATTLEGUARD APPLICATION**

All applications for cattle guard construction shall be approved by the Perkins County Highway Superintendent.

This policy is for the benefit of the landowner. A cattleguard will eliminate fencing for the landowner.

All new cattle guards construction in Perkins County shall meet the following specifications:

- A minimum of 7' in width X 24' in length for Primary Roads
- A minimum of 7' in width X 20' in length for Secondary Roads
- Must have a concrete or metal abutments and metal tops
- Tubing may be round or square, with cross members every two feet on center
- Cattle guard must be heavy enough to carry legal loads and have no rods or straps on top of the rails running parallel to the road.

All established cattle guards on county roads may be grandfathered in with the understanding that all maintenance and cleaning shall be the responsibility of the landowner. Cattle guards must meet the minimum requirement of 7' in width X 16' in length to allow for snowplows to be grandfathered in. Roads with cattle guards with dimensions less than 7' in width x 16' in length will not be plowed.

Replacement of all cattle guards on county roads shall be the responsibility of the landowner with all costs incurred being the responsibility of the landowner. All replacement cattle guards shall meet the following specifications:

- A minimum of 7' in width X 24' in length for Primary Roads
- A minimum of 7' in width X 20' in length for Secondary Roads
- Must have a concrete or metal abutments and metal tops
- Tubing may be round or square, with cross members every two feet on center
- Cattle guard must be heavy enough to carry legal loads and have no rods or straps on top of the rails running parallel to the road.

In the event of an emergency, Perkins County Highway Department may replace a cattle guard with the landowner being responsible for all costs incurred.

Application denials may be appealed to the Perkins County Commissioners at their next regular meeting.