

A Local Law of the Town of Sanford Regulating Driveway Design Standards

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Sanford as follows:

SECTION 1. Definitions.

BMP: Best Management Practices

Town: The Town of Sanford, Broome County, New York

SECTION 2. Application.

The requirements of this local law shall apply to all new driveways accessing Town roads in the Town of Sanford. Driveways proposed onto State highways require approval from the State Department of Transportation (DOT) and driveways proposed onto County Highways require approval from the Broome County Department of Public Works (DPW).

SECTION 3. Design Standards.

1 Access:

- a. The angle of all driveways Town roads shall be between eighty(80) and ninety(90) degrees for a distance of twenty(20) feet from the edge of the Town roads driving surface.
- b. The return radius between the edge of the driveway and the edge of the existing town road's driving surface shall be a minimum of fifteen (15) feet on each side of the driveway.
- c. Driveways shall have an adequate sight distance in each direction meeting the requirements of the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control devices measured twenty (20) feet back from the edge of the town road's pavement at a forty two (42) -inch eye height.
- d. Sight easements shall be provided across all driveway corners. No obstructions to vision such as shrubbery, brush, trees, earth, fencing or structure shall be permitted at the road intersections within the triangle formed by the intersection of the road center lines and a line drawn between points along such lines thirty (30) feet distance from their point of intersection and ten (10) feet back from the edge of the pavement of the road. This restriction does not apply to U.S. Postal Service mailboxes.