

Southwest Michigan Planning Commission 2009 Traffic Count Request Form
 (Please fill in the contact info for the Primary Contact for Traffic Count Requests from the SWMPC)

**Guide to the
 SWMPC Traffic Count Request Form**

<p>ID# Please fill in if your jurisdiction/agency has an internal identification number (ID#) for this traffic count location.</p>	<p>Weekday 24 hr A typical count is a 24 hour count taken Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday from 6am to 6am.</p>
<p>Road Name The name of the road/street that the count is to be taken on.</p>	<p>Weekday 48 hr Counts can also be taken for 48 hours. These counts are taken Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday from 6am to 6am.</p>
<p>Exact Collection Point Please be as specific as possible about the location of the traffic count. For example, if you would like the count taken just west of Main Street at the intersection of Elm, please say "West of Elm Street". If you would like the count taken anywhere in between two roads, please make sure there are no other intersecting roads between those two roads. For example, if you would like a count taken in between two roads, please be very specific and say "between roads A & B" or "between roads C & D", not "A & D".</p>	<p>Date(s) Preferred If you have a specific week or date you would like a traffic count taken, please indicate here. The SWMPC will do its best to fulfill this request. If this can not be accommodated, the SWMPC will work with you to find the next best alternative.</p>
<p>City, Village, or Township Name Jurisdiction that the count location is located. For example "St. Joseph Twp" or "Village of Edwardsburg"</p>	<p>Date(s) Excluded If you do not want a traffic count taken on a certain date, during a certain week or month, please indicate here. Reasons to exclude dates could be construction on a road or a festival in town that would skew a normal day's traffic counts.</p>
<p>County County the count is located in. Please use "B" for Berrien, "C" for Cass, and "VB" for Van Buren. If all counts are located in the same County, you may fill in the first record and draw an arrow down the remaining records.</p>	
<p>Direction (N/S or E/W) The direction of the road that the count will be taken on. A road that has a direction of North/South will be abbreviated N/S and a road that has a direction of East/West will be abbreviated E/W.</p>	
<p>Weekend Fri (am) - Mon (am) For a special weekend count that would take place anytime between Friday morning through Monday morning, please make a check in this box. These counts are normally done as a special count to catch weekend traffic flows that are different from normal travel during on weekdays.</p>	

All counts will include volume, gap, class, and speed.
 The SWMPC will make every effort to collect all counts requested.
 Visit http://www.swmpc.org/traffic_counts.asp for more information.