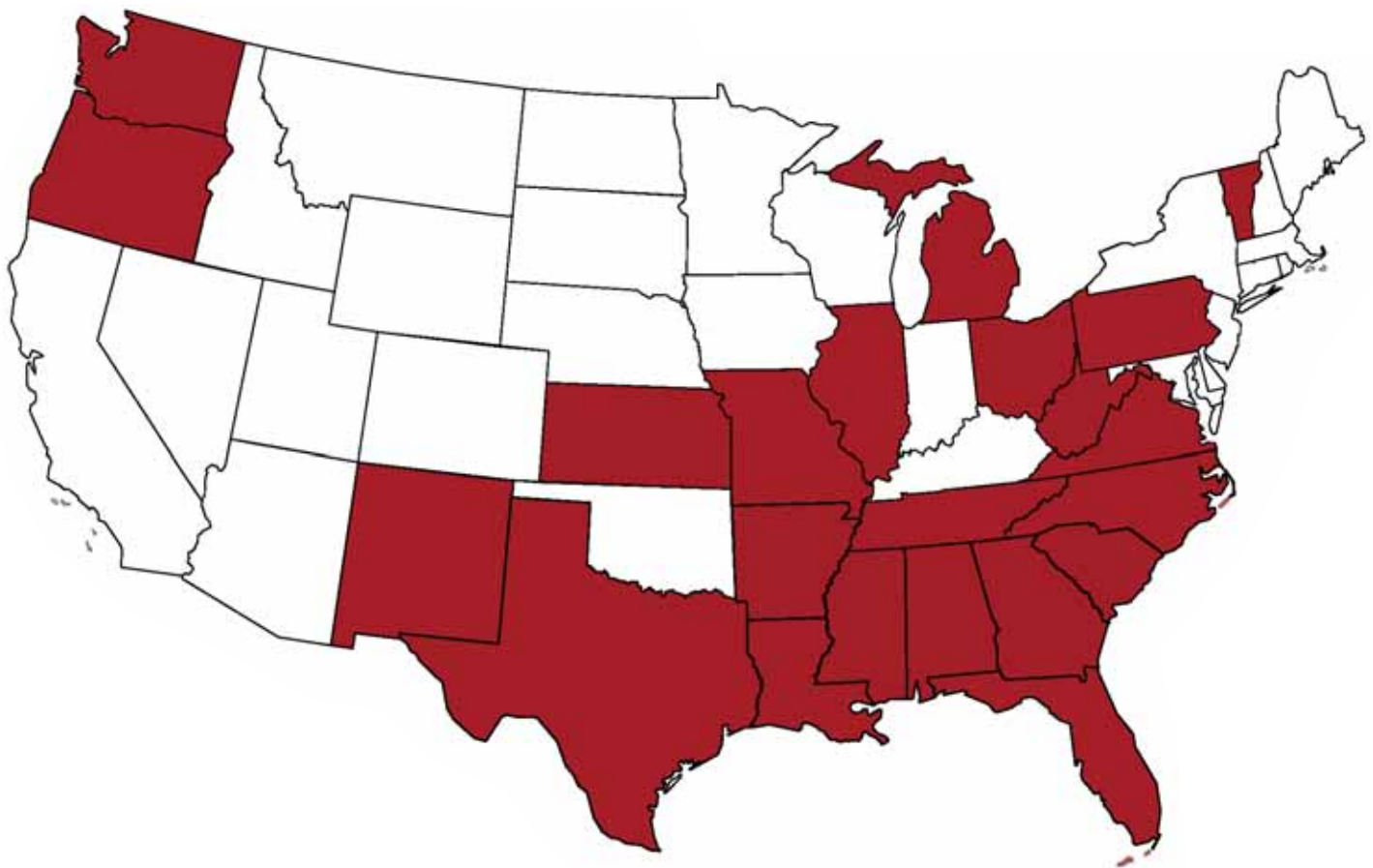


National Joint Utilities Notification System (NJUNS) Overview

Obtaining permits in a timely fashion from state departments of highways, county and city governments and utility companies is critical to successful and profitable moves by structural movers. While the height of utility wires are generally governed by the National Electric Safety Code (NESC) and the size and weights of loads are governed mainly by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO), there has been very little uniformity, from state to state, for obtaining permits regarding heights as it relates to utilities. Structural movers, as well as companies in the movement of oversize/overweight load, are able to schedule movement and work within

transportation guidelines. It is the inconsistency and not uniformity of heights and costs of utility companies that create havoc in the movement of houses or other structures.

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