

ORDINANCE NO. 2006-24-CM
AMENDING TIPPECANOE COUNTY CODE
CHAPTER 72, SCHEDULE I
Traffic Schedules regarding Speed Limits

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, through the Highway Engineering Department, upon the basis of an Engineering and Traffic Investigation, that the present maximum speed limit on Tippecanoe County hard surface roads of 50 miles per hour is greater than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist on County Road 250 West starting at US52 to 2,500 feet north of US52, Old Romney Road from Old US231 to County Road 400 South, County Road 400 South from Old Romney Road to US231, County Road 650 South from SR25 to 3,500 feet west of SR25, County Road 375 South from Old US 231 to County Road 25 East, County Road 25 East from County Road 375 South to County Road 400 South, and County Road 400 South from County Road 25 East to the City of Lafayette Limits; and

WHEREAS, it has also been determined by the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation, that the prima facie speed permitted by the laws of the State of Indiana is greater than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist on County Road 250 West starting at US52 to 2,500 feet north of US52, Old Romney Road from Old US231 to County Road 400 South, County Road 400 South from Old Romney Road to US23 1, and County Road 650 South from SR25 to 3,500 feet west of SR25, County Road 375 South from Old US 231 to County Road 25 East, County Road 25 East from County Road 375 South to County Road 400 South, and County Road 400 South from County Road 25 East to the City of Lafayette Limits.

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County desires to amend the Tippecanoe County Code Chapter 72, Schedule I Traffic Schedules regarding Speed Limits to incorporate and include the following speed limits and to re-adopt Chapter 72, Schedule I as so amended:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, that:

1. The reasonable and safe prima facie speed permitted on County Road 250 West, Old Romney Road, County Road 400 South, County Road 650 South, County Road 375 South, and County Road 25 East shall be as follows:
 - A. On County Road 250 West starting at US52 to 2,500 feet north of US52 the maximum speed limit shall be 30 mph.
 - B. On Old Romney Road from Old US231 to County Road 400 South the maximum speed limit shall be 30 mph.
 - C. On County Road 400 South from Old Romney Road to US231 the maximum speed limit shall be 30 mph.
 - D. On County Road 650 South from SR25 to 3,500 feet west of SR25 the maximum speed limit shall be 35 mph.
 - E. On County Road 375 South from Old US 231 to County Road 25 East the maximum speed limit shall be 35 mph.
 - F. On County Road 25 East from County Road 375 South to County Road 400 South the maximum speed limit shall be 35 mph.
 - G. On County Road 400 South from County Road 25 East to the City of Lafayette Limits the maximum speed limit shall be 35 mph.
2. A person who violates the speed regulation set forth in this Ordinance commits a Class C infraction.
3. Tippecanoe County Code Chapter 72, Schedule I Traffic Schedules regarding speed Limits, be amended to incorporate such speed limits and re-adopted as so amended.

4. The Sheriffs Department shall be notified of all the above traffic schedule amendments and installation of related regulatory signs.
5. The effective date of this ordinance shall be January 1, 2007.

Presented to the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, and approved on first reading this 6th day of November, 2006, by the following vote:

VOTE

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
TIPPECANOE COUNTY

Yes


John L. Knochel, President


Yes


Ruth E. Shedd, Vice President

Yes


KD Benson, Member

ATTEST:

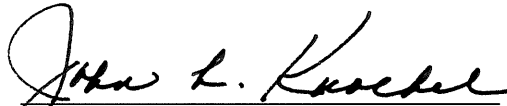

Robert A. Plantenga, Auditor of
Tippecanoe County

Presented to the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, and approved on second reading this 20th day of November, 2006, by the following vote:

VOTE

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
TIPPECANOE COUNTY

Yes


John L. Knochel, President


Yes


Ruth E. Shedd, Vice President

Yes


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