

ORDINANCE NO. 83

AN ORDINANCE OF HAYCOCK TOWNSHIP, BUCKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, ESTABLISHING A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF THIRTY-FIVE (35) M.P.H. ON WOODBINE LANE, HARRISBURG SCHOOL ROAD, CEDAR LANE, WEST SAWMILL ROAD, APPLEBACHSVILLE ROAD, CREAMERY ROAD (PAVED SECTION), CIDER PRESS LANE, DOGWOOD LANE, MISSION ROAD, COBBLER ROAD, EAST THATCHER ROAD, WOODCOCK LANE, OLD BETHLEHEM ROAD (S. OF 563) ROUNDHOUSE ROAD, LAKEWOOD DRIVE, AND A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF TWENTY-FIVE (25) M.P.H. ON CHURCH VIEW DRIVE (GRAVEL), BOULDER LANE, KINZLER LANE (GRAVEL), STRAWNTOWN ROAD, CREAMERY ROAD (GRAVEL), REED LANE AND CAMP TRAIL ROAD

BACKGROUND

A. The Board of Supervisors of Haycock Township has the authority to enact maximum speed limits on local roads pursuant to the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code.

B. An engineering and traffic investigation report for the purpose of determining reasonable and safe speeds has been prepared by C. Robert Wynn Associates, Inc., pursuant to Title 67, Chapter 610, of the Pennsylvania Transportation Code.

C. The engineering and traffic investigation report establishes that the maximum safe speed on Woodbine Lane, Harrisburg School Road, Cedar Lane, West Sawmill Road, Applebachsville Road, Creamery Road (paved section) Cider Press Lane, Dogwood Lane, Mission Road, Cobbler Road, East Thatcher Road, Woodcock Lane, Old Bethlehem Road (South of 563), Roundhouse Road and Lakewood Drive is thirty-five (35) miles per hour.

D. The engineering and traffic investigation report establishes that the maximum safe speed on Church View Drive (gravel),

Boulder Lane, Kinzler Lane (gravel), Strawtown Road (gravel), Creamery Road (gravel), Reed Lane and Camp Trail Road of twenty-five (25) miles per hour.

E. The Board of Supervisors has determined that it is in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the residents of Haycock Township and the travelling public to establish a maximum speed of thirty-five (35) miles per hour on Woodbine Lane, Harrisburg School Road, Cedar Lane, West Sawmill Road, Applebachsville Road, Creamery Road (paved section) Cider Press Lane, Dogwood Lane, Mission Road, Cobbler Road, East Thatcher Road, Woodcock Lane, Old Bethlehem Road (South of 563), Roundhouse Road and Lakewood Drive.

F. The Board of Supervisors has determined that it is in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the residents of Haycock Township and the travelling public to establish a maximum speed of twenty-five (25) miles per hour on Church View Drive (gravel), Boulder Lane, Kinzler Lane (gravel), Strawtown Road (gravel), Creamery Road (gravel), Reed Lane and Camp Trail Road.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Haycock Township as follows:

1. The speed limit on Woodbine Lane, Harrisburg School Road, Cedar Lane, West Sawmill Road, Applebachsville Road, Creamery Road (paved section) Cider Press Lane, Dogwood Lane, Mission Road, Cobbler Road, East Thatcher Road, Woodcock Lane, Old Bethlehem Road (South of 563), Roundhouse Road and Lakewood Drive shall be thirty-five (35) miles per hour.

2. The speed limit on Church View Drive (gravel), Boulder Lane, Kinzler Lane (gravel), Strawntown Road (gravel), Creamery Road (gravel), Reed Lane and Camp Trail Road shall be twenty-five (25) miles per hour.

3. The engineering and traffic investigation report prepared by C. Robert Wynn Associates, Inc., Township Engineer, for the purpose of determining the reasonable and safe speeds established herein, is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

4. Enforcement of this Ordinance shall be pursuant to the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code and all fines levied for violations thereunder shall be payable to the Township of Haycock.

5. This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days following its enactment.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED this 7th day of SEPTEMBER, 1999.

HAYCOCK TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ATTEST:

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July 13, 1999

Mr. Thomas Roeder, Roadmaster
Haycock Township
271 Old Bethlehem Road
Quakertown, PA 18951

Subject: Speed Limit Study
File No. 63-000

Dear Mr. Roeder,

This office has reviewed the PennDOT accident studies and your speed studies for the posting of the speed limit on 22 Township roads. All the speed studies appear satisfactory and this office concurs with your proposed speed limits on the roadways.

The posting of speed limits must be approved by the Board of Supervisors by Ordinance.

If you have any questions, require additional information, do not hesitate to contact this office.

Sincerely,



Wayne V. Doyle, P.E.

WVD/ajp

cc: Board of Supervisors