

RESOLUTION

Resolution No. _____
Effective Date: _____

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND ENFORCEMENT OF SPEED LIMITS ON 71ST STREET SOUTH BETWEEN THE NORTH LEG OF GREENWICH AND 127TH STREET EAST (636-E¾ 34) IN ROCKFORD TOWNSHIP, SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Sedgwick County, Kansas, pursuant to K.S.A. 8-2001 et. seq., has the power and authority with respect to streets and highways under their jurisdiction and within the reasonable exercise of the police power to enact and enforce resolution regulating traffic, said resolutions relating to those subjects enumerated in K.S.A. 8-2002; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to K.S.A. 8-1560, the Board of County Commissioners of Sedgwick County, Kansas, is authorized to determine on the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that any maximum speed permitted is greater or less than is reasonable and safe under the conditions found to exist upon a highway or part of a highway and to determine and declare a reasonable and safe maximum limit thereon, subject to the provision therein; and

WHEREAS, the elected board of Rockford Township did request the County Engineer to recommend a reasonable and safe maximum limit on 71st Street South between the north leg of Greenwich and 127th Street East (636-E¾ 34); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to K.S.A. 8-1560, the Board of County Commissioners of Sedgwick County, Kansas, determines on the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation performed by the County Engineer of Sedgwick County, Kansas, that the maximum speed permitted is greater or less than is reasonable and safe under the conditions found to exist upon 71st Street South between the north leg of Greenwich and 127th Street East (636-E¾ 34), and further determines and declares a reasonable and safe maximum speed limit thereon to be 45 miles per hour.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS, that:

SECTION ONE: The reasonable and safe maximum speed limit of 45 miles per hour is established and shall be enforced on 71st Street South between the north leg of Greenwich and 127th Street East (636-E¾ 34).

SECTION TWO: The maximum speed limit so established shall be effective at all times.

SECTION THREE: The County engineer is hereby directed to direct Rockford Township officials to erect upon or at the entrances to the highway or part of highway affected hereby, official traffic control devices, as may be most appropriate, giving notice of the maximum speed limit, denoted in miles per hour, established by this resolution; and that said traffic control devices be in conformity with the most recent edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways.

SECTION FOUR: All law enforcement officers with jurisdiction in Sedgwick County, Kansas, are hereby authorized to enforce the traffic control devices established in Section One hereof, and which have been properly installed as directed in Section Three hereof.

SECTION FIVE: Any person who shall violate any traffic control device established in this resolution shall be guilty of a misdemeanor as provided by law.

SECTION SIX: Any previous resolutions pertaining to maximum speed limits on this highway or part of highway be and are hereby rescinded.

Commissioners present and voting:

David M. Unruh _____
Tim R. Norton _____
Karl Peterjohn _____
Richard Ranzau _____
James B. Howell _____

DATED this _____ Day of _____, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS

David C. Spears, P.E., Director,
Public Works/County Engineer

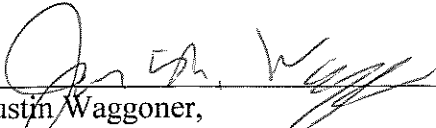
James B. Howell, Chairman, Fifth District

ATTEST:

Richard Ranzau, Chair Pro-Tem, Fourth District

Kelly B. Arnold, County Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY:

David M. Unruh, Commissioner, First District



Justin Waggoner,
Assistant County Counselor

Tim R. Norton, Commissioner, Second District

Karl Peterjohn, Commissioner, Third District