

**CITY OF WHITE SALMON WASHINGTON
ORDINANCE NO. 2015-04-966**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING VEHICLE CODE SECTION WSMC CH 10.08
REGARDING SPEED LIMITS AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND AN
EFFECTIVE DATE**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of White Salmon wishes to maintain the safety and welfare of city residents by regulating the speed of vehicles in the City; and

WHEREAS, the City finds that amendments are necessary to include recently annexed areas and to ensure the health and safety of City residents; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the City of White Salmon do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. WSMC Ch. 10.08 is hereby amended as follows:

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Chapter 10.08 - SPEED LIMITS

10.08.010 - State Route 14 and 141 speed limits.

There shall be and are established the following speed limits, which shall be applicable to the areas within the corporate limits on the city, as herein below specified:

1. From the west city limits upon State Route No. 14 to the east city limits on State Route No. 14, the speed limit shall be designated as forty miles per hour;
2. From the east city limits, on State Route No. 141, to Sixth Avenue, the speed limit shall be designated as thirty-five miles per hour;
3. From Sixth Avenue to M.P. 1.64, .03 miles north of the junction of Garfield Street on State Route No. 141, the speed limit shall be designated as twenty-five miles per hour.
4. On State Route No. 141 beginning at M.P. 1.64, .03 miles north of junction of Garfield Street and running within the city limits to M.P. 3.09 fifty feet north of Peck Road encompassing 1.42 miles of the pedestrian walkway the speed limit shall be designated as thirty-five miles per hour.
5. The schematic diagram attached to the ordinance codified in this section is incorporated by reference.

10.08.020 - Rhinegarden Park—Speed limits.

A speed limit shall be imposed on operators of all vehicles of any nature, kind or description, including motorcycles, not to exceed ~~fifteen~~ twenty miles per hour on all perimeter streets surrounding Rhinegarden Park, namely North Main Street on the east side thereof, Northwest Washington Street on the north side thereof, Northwest Garfield Street on the west side thereof, and Northwest Lincoln Street on the south side thereof.

10.08.030 - Public works director signing authority.

The city public works director is authorized and directed to place signage on city rights-of-way for the speed limits established in this Chapter WSMC 10.08 consistent with the Model Uniform Traffic Control Device requirements for speed signage.

10.08.040 - Penalties for violation.

Any violation of the basic rule set forth in RCW 46.61.400(1) or of a speed limit established in this WSMC Ch. 10.08 shall constitute a traffic infraction, and shall be punishable as according to the monetary penalties established in RCW 46.63.110 which is incorporated herein by this reference.

10.08.050 - Waubish Street.

There is imposed a speed limit of fifteen miles per hour on Waubish Street for its entire length.

10.08.060 - N.E. Center Street.

The speed limit on N.E. Center Street, from the intersection of Orchard Street to the intersection with O'Keefe Street shall be fifteen miles per hour when children are present and otherwise shall be twenty-five miles per hour.

10.08.070 - N.E. Tohomish Street.

A. The speed limit on N.E. Tohomish Street, from the intersection of Orchard Street to the intersection with O'Keefe Street shall be fifteen miles per hour when children are present and otherwise shall be twenty-five miles per hour.

B. Traffic between Church Street and Main Street shall be one-way from West to East.

10.08.080 - O'Keefe Street.

The speed limit on O'Keefe Street, beginning at the intersection with N.E. Tohomish Street to the intersection of N.E. Center Street shall be fifteen (15) miles per hour when children are present and otherwise shall be twenty-five miles per hour.

10.08.090 - Lincoln Street.

The speed limit on Lincoln Street shall be ~~fifteen~~ twenty miles per hour from Garfield Street west to the ~~city limits~~ intersection with El Camino Real. From El Camino Real to SR 141 the speed limit shall be twenty five miles per hour.

10.08.100 - Dock Grade Road.

A. The speed limit on Dock Grade Road shall be thirty miles per hour from its intersection with SR 14 to the left hand bend in the road prior to the residential area;

B. The speed limit on Dock Grade Road shall be twenty-five miles per hour from the beginning of the left hand turn prior to the residential area to its intersection with SR 141.

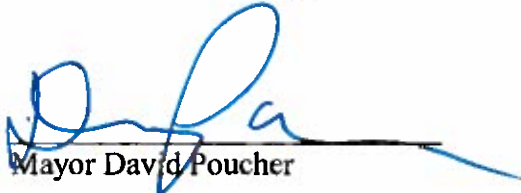
SECTION 2: EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall become effective five days after publication as provided by law.

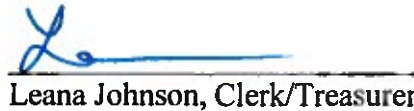
SECTION 3: SEVERABILITY

If any part of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, the remaining provisions shall be construed to be effective after removing the objectionable provision(s).

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor on April 15, 2015.

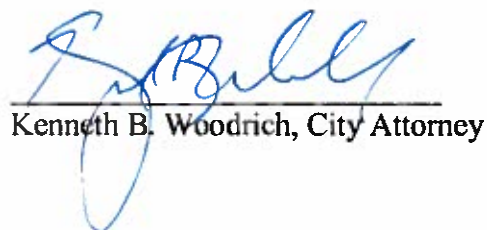


Mayor David Poucher



Leana Johnson, Clerk/Treasurer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Kenneth B. Woodrich, City Attorney