

RESOLUTION NO. 16-003

RESOLUTION OF THE MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ACCEPTING THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF TRAFFIC STUDY NO. 15-01 AND DECLARING INTENT TO ESTABLISH A PRIMA FACIE SPEED LIMIT ON LAYTONVILLE DOS RIOS ROAD, CR 322, M.P. 11.22 – M.P. 12.00 (LAYTONVILLE AREA)

WHEREAS, Section 21351 of the California Vehicle Code provides as follows:

“Local authorities in their respective jurisdictions shall place and maintain or cause to be placed and maintained such traffic signs, signals and other traffic control devices upon streets and highways as required hereunder, and may place and maintain or cause to be placed and maintained, such appropriate signs, signals or other traffic control devices as may be authorized hereunder or as may be necessary properly to indicate and to carry out the provisions of this code or local traffic ordinances or to warn or guide traffic”; and

WHEREAS, Section 22358 of the California Vehicle Code grants local authorities the right, upon the basis of an engineering and traffic study, to establish a prima facie speed limit of less than 65 miles per hour (MPH) on roads under their jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the Mendocino County Department of Transportation has completed Traffic Study No. 15-01, which found that the establishment of a 25 MPH prima facie speed zone on Laytonville Dos Rios Road is legal under the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors hereby:

1. Accepts the finding and recommendations of Department of Transportation Traffic Study No. 15-01 to establish a proper speed zone on Laytonville Dos Rios Road, CR 322.
2. Declares the intent of this Board to adopt an Ordinance amending Section 15.04.030(B) of the Mendocino County Code, to establish a 25 MPH speed limit on Laytonville Dos Rios Road, CR 322, from mile post 11.22 to mile post 12.00.
3. Directs the Department of Transportation to prepare, and the County Counsel to review, an Ordinance for the Board’s consideration to accomplish the speed zone changes on Laytonville Dos Rios Road as recommended by Traffic Study 15-01.

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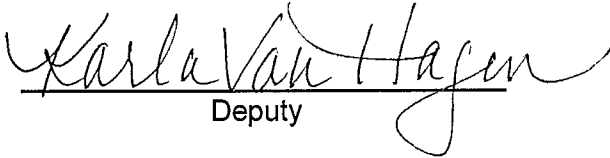
4. Directs the Department of Transportation upon the adoption of said Ordinance, to erect, place and maintain the appropriate traffic marking and control devices necessary to indicate and establish said speed zone changes.

The foregoing Resolution introduced by Supervisor McCowen, seconded by Supervisor Brown, and carried this 5th day of January, 2016, by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors Brown, McCowen, Woodhouse, Gjerde and Hamburg
NOES: None
ABSENT: None


WHEREUPON, the Chair declared said Resolution adopted and SO ORDERED.

ATTEST: CARMEL J. ANGELO
Clerk of the Board


Deputy

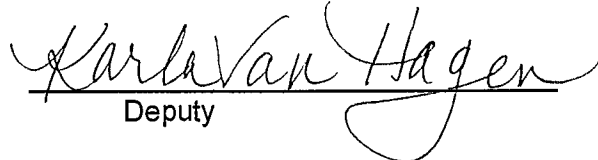
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
KATHARINE ELLIOTT, Acting County
Counsel


Deputy


DAN GJERDE, Chair
Mendocino County Board of Supervisors

I hereby certify that according to the provisions of Government Code Section 25103, delivery of this document has been made.

BY: CARMEL J. ANGELO
Clerk of the Board


Deputy