TOWN OF GRANT PORTAGE COUNTY WISCONSIN

ORDINANCE TO LOWER SPEED LIMIT ON EVERGREEN AVENUE

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-03

The Town Board of the Town of Grant, Portage County, Wisconsin, has the specific authority under s.349.11, Wis. Stats., to adopt this ordinance.

This ordinance, adopted by the majority of the town board on a roll call vote with a quorum present and voting and proper notice having been given, provides for the reduction of the speed limits on certain town highways in the town as follows:

- A. Pursuant to s. 349.11, Wis. stats., speed limits on certain Town of Grant highways are modified as follows:
 - a. Reduce the speed limit on Evergreen Avenue (From CTH U to the bridge over Lateral Two) from 55 mph to 45 mph.
- B. As required under s. 349.11(1)(a) Wis. stats., this action is supported by a completed traffic engineering study including the following:
 - a. Measured and determined the 85th percentile speed, 50th percentile speed, design speed and pace speed;
 - b. Evaluated crash data for the past three to five years;
 - c. Documented roadside development including land use, driveway locations, and school locations;
 - d. Documented roadway geometrics including lane width, shoulder width, sight distance limitations at hills, curves, and intersections, plus parking, pedestrian and bicycle activity;
 - e. Determined the functional classification of the roadway and the practical function of the road within the state and local system; and
 - f. Documented the current speed and level of enforcement.
- C. Pursuant to s. 349.11(5) Wis. stats., the town chairperson, or his or her designee, shall place appropriate traffic signs at the above-described location on or before the effective date of this ordinance.
- D. No person may operate any vehicle on the above-noted town highways in violation of the above-noted speed limits. Any violations shall be subject to penalties under s. 346.60 Wis. stats.

This Ordinance is effective upon publication or posting. The Town Clerk shall properly publish this ordinance as required under s. 60.80, Wis. Stats.

The Town of Grant voted to adopt this Ordinance on October 25, 2023 Ordinance #: 2023-03

Signed:

Sharon Schwab, Chairperson

Scott Provost, Supervisor

Doug Steltenpohl, Supervisor

Witnessed:

Stefanie Schlapa, Town Clerk

10/25/23

Dated

10/25/23

Posted: Town Hall, Transfer Station, Town Website