ORDINANCE NO. $(65-1)^{-1}$ AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE SPEED LIMIT ON DEWATTO BEACH DRIVE IN MASON COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Revised Code of Washington RCW 46.61.415 permits local authorities to establish or alter maximum legal speed limits pursuant to RCW 46.61.400 on County road within their jurisdiction based on engineering and traffic investigation; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 10.04 of the Mason County Code the Board of County Commissioners, by ordinance, may raise or lower a speed limit on any county road, except raising above fifty miles per hour.

WHEREAS, Mason County Ordinance 14-81 adopted on April 20, 1981, established the maximum speed limit on unposted county roads is fifty miles.

WHEREAS, the Mason County Public Works Department has conducted an engineering and traffic investigation on Dewatto Beach Drive, currently unposted; and

WHEREAS, County Commissioners held a public hearing and received public testimony regarding the speed limit on Dewatto Beach Drive.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners, after due deliberation and in the best interest of the public hereby adopts the speed limit posting for the entircty of Dewatto Beach Drive as follows:

ROAD NO.	ROAD NAME	SPEED	M.P M.P.
76090	Dewatto Beach Drive	25	0.00 - 0.812

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED, that this Ordinance lowers the speed limit on Dewatto Beach Drive. Speed limit is effective immediately as shown and the County Engineer is directed to erect the necessary signs in conformity herewith.

DATED this 7th of NOV. , 2017.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MASON COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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