

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-2

**THE TOWNSHIP OF CONEWAGO
DAUPHIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CONEWAGO, DAUPHIN COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING CHAPTER 15, PART 2, SECTION 201 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, BY ADDING TO THE LIST OF STREETS ON WHICH THERE IS A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT AND TO AUTHORIZE THE INSTALLATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF STREET REGULATORY SIGNAGE

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code, 75 Pa. C. S. Sections 3362(a) and (b), 3363, and 6109(a)(10) and (11) (e), a local municipal corporation is authorized to establish maximum speed limits and to post appropriate signage regulating speed limits;

WHEREAS, Conewago Township has undertaken to conduct Traffic Engineering Speed and Sign Studies of certain streets within the Township to determine the safe running speeds on these streets and to designate locations for installation of appropriate signage regulating maximum speed limits on these streets;

WHEREAS, the regulatory studies recommended the maximum speed limit of 25 MPH for a section of Chestnut Road (NB & SB), as well as 35 MPH for a section of Old Hershey Road (SB,) and the placement of appropriate regulatory signage; and,

WHEREAS, the enactment of this Ordinance and the imposition of speed limits is necessary for the protection and preservation of the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the Township.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Conewago, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained as follows:

1. Chapter 15, Motor Vehicles and Traffic, Part 2 Traffic Regulations, Section 201, Maximum Speed Limits Established on Certain Streets, is hereby amended to add to the list of Streets on which maximum speed limits have been established the following:

Street	Between	Maximum Speed Limit
Chestnut Road (NB & SB) (T568)	Colebrook Road (SR0341) and Ridge Road (T325)	25 MPH
Old Hershey Road (SB) (T602)	1,450 south of intersection with Elizabethtown Road (SR0743)	35 MPH

2. The Board of Supervisors shall cause these streets to be posted with appropriate signage advising of the speed limits imposed by this Ordinance.
3. The Board of Supervisors shall cause the existing sign "Reduced Speed 35 Ahead" currently installed on Old Hershey Road SB near the intersection with Elizabethtown Road (SR 0743) to be removed.
4. This Ordinance shall be enforced by the Police Department or any other authorized police officer in accordance with the provisions of the Vehicle Code of Pennsylvania as it pertains to fines and other penalties.
5. The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of the provisions thereof shall be found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in effect.
6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances or resolutions conflicting or inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed but only insofar as same are in direct conflict or directly inconsistent with this Ordinance.
7. This Ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after the date of its enactment.

DULY ORDAINED, this 27th day of July, 2022 by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Conewago, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF CONEWAGO**

ATTEST:

Heather Jegerfritz
Secretary

Terry Whitmeyer
Chair, Board of Supervisors

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