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**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WALLA WALLA COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

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Whereas, the County, in coordination with the Cities of Walla Walla and College Place, performed a corridor speed study on Reser Road, Prospect Avenue and Taumarson Road; and

Whereas, the speed study resulted in recommended speed changes to Reser Road and Taumarson Road; and

Whereas, Title 10, Chapter 10.04 was last reviewed and updated on October 11th 2021; and

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Walla Walla County Board of County Commissioners that:

Section I. The Board of County Commissioners Makes the Following Findings of Fact:

1. The Board of County Commissioners held a Public Hearing for the purpose of receiving testimony on the Reser Road and Taumarson Road speed limit change on June 13, 2022.
2. The County Engineer completed an engineering and traffic investigation as required by RCW 46.61.415 to support recommended changes to the speed limits on Reser Road and Taumarson Road.
3. Notices of a Public Hearing were published in the Walla Walla Union Bulletin on May 26 and June 2, 2022.

Section II. The Board of County Commissioners Makes the Following Conclusions of Law:

1. The County has reviewed and evaluated comments received from the public.
2. The proposed change to the speed limit on Reser Road and Taumarson Road is supported by the County Engineer's study and development patterns and usage of both roads.
3. The proposal meets a definable public need.

Section III. Adoption of Amended Section 10.04.005 of the Walla Walla County Code. The amendments to Title 10, Vehicle and Traffic, resulting in the modification of the Speed Limits Table is **adopted** as presented to the Board of County Commissioners on this date as attached in Exhibit A.


Section IV. Effective Date and Savings. This Ordinance is effective as of the date of signing.

Section V. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining parts of this Ordinance.

Section VI. This Ordinance will be published by an approved summary consisting of the title.

PASSED by the Walla Walla County Board of County Commissioners in regular session at Walla Walla, Washington, then signed by its membership and attested by its Clerk in authorization of such passage this 20th day of June 2022.

Attest:


Diane L. Harris, Clerk of the Board


Todd L. Kimball Chairman, District 2


Jennifer R. Mayberry, Commissioner, District 1


Gregory A. Tompkins, Commissioner, District 3

*Constituting the Board of County Commissioners
of Walla Walla County, Washington*

Approved as to form:


Jesse D. Nolte, Chief Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney



Exhibit A

10.04.005 Speed Limit Changes Taumarson Road & Reser Road

95520	Reser Rd.	WW City Limits Depping Rd.	35 30
51340	Taumarson Rd.	WW City Limits Havstad Dr.	35
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