

ORDINANCE NO. 639-20

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE SPEED LIMIT FOR LAKEWOOD CIRCLE LOCATED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF NORTH NEWTON, KANSAS AND PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES.

WHEREAS, a Traffic Engineering Study and Speed Limit Control Review have been performed concerning the speed limit for Lakewood Circle, North Newton, Kansas; and

WHEREAS, the current 30 MPH speed limit for Lakewood Circle creates a higher potential for a vehicle or pedestrian accidents.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF NORTH NEWTON, KANSAS:

SECTION I. SPECIAL SPEED RESTRICTIONS.

The governing body, having determined upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that the speed limit permitted under state law is greater than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist within Lakewood Circle, North Newton, Kansas, hereby determines and declares that the reasonable and safe speed limit for Lakewood Circle is 20 miles per hour. Said 20 mile per hour speed limit for Lakewood Circle shall be effective when appropriate signs giving reasonable notice thereof are erected.

SECTION II. PENALTY AND FINES.

The fine for a violation of this ordinance shall be considered a traffic infraction which fine shall be set by the municipal judge.

SECTION III. EFFECTIVE DATE.

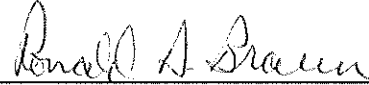
This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its summary publication in THE HARVEY COUNTY NOW formerly know as the NEWTON NOW, the official newspaper of said City.

PASSED by the Governing Body of the City of North Newton, Kansas, this 9th day of November, 2020.

ATTEST:


PATRICIA S. REDDING, City Clerk

(SEAL)


RONALD D. BRAUN, Mayor

